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Town Talk

About This, That, And The Other

The New Year came to my door
and knocked
In a hesitant, gentle way;
And when I answered the knock,
it said,
If you please, I have come to
stay;
I've come to visit your home and
heart;
To share your joy and pain;
I looked at the New Year's face
and asked,
"Will you bring me loss, or
gain?"
The New Year smiled—such a
tender smile—
As it said, "I do not know;
But whether the way be smooth
or rough,
I'll go the way you go.
We will be comrades," the New
Year said,
"And now, may I come inside?"
I murmured this greeting, "Wel-
come, friend,"
And I threw my portals wide.

Good Crop Year

After a weeks' drizzling rains, foggy, depressing atmosphere, muddy crossings, New Year dawned Monday morning with a blanket of snow on the ground, which, old-timers say, indicates a good crop year. However, 1945 is yet a closed book, to be revealed only page at a time. We can only hope that whatever is for our highest good will come to us.

Going Away

Peeping in at the Bus Terminal hasn't been so pleasant these few days, for almost every bus going out has been taking away some of our young folk returning to schools or to the battle fronts. We hope they'll all be coming back one of these days.

White Uniforms

The Walgreen girls—or in other words the girls at Lee Drug, are not worrying these days about what to wear to work — they've adopted the white uniforms.

A Visit for Christmas Present

Misses Mary Helen and Vada Payne received one of the very nicest Christmas presents that could be imagined—a free trip to New York and return, a gift, from their sister, and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Haberle.

The girls will spend two weeks with the Haberles, returning to Pennington about Friday of this week.

Two Idols less for the Japs

Idol worship for the Japs will check up short by at least two of their little "Gods", according to Mrs. Lee Barker, of Keokee. She says her son, Pfc. P. J. Barker, found two of these idols on the Island of Guam and sent them to her for souvenirs.

Rested and Refreshed

John Javin Adams and Martin Halstead are back at their work and school looking much younger and refreshed. Cor They spent some of the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Pellman in Cincinnati.

Dr. Young Missing in Action

Dr. G. W. Young has been missing from his office and about town. Upon inquiry we learn that Dr. Young is not feeling so well, and is staying rather close at home.

Sincerest Thanks

To our friends for their many acts of kindness and sympathy during the illness and death of our little son, grandson and nephew, Jerry Mack Rhea.

The Rhea Family

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Weather Bureau report for the week ending Dec. 24, 1944, for Lee County, furnished by Cam. J. Lewis, official observer:

Date	Temperature		Rainfall
December	Highest	Lowest	Rain and Melted Snow
25	47	39	.20
26	55	32	.09
27	38	25	.13
28	42	26	.76
29	35	29	.59
30	42	33	.42
31	49	40	.25

January Pre-Induction Call Local Board No. 1

Number Larger Than For Several Previous Months

Selective Service Board No. 1, Jonesville, lists 72 pre-inductions for the January, 1945 call. This is a larger number than has been listed for the last several months.

They are:

M. S. Fletcher, Edgar Harris, Emmett William Allen, Thomas Rupert Swinney, Johnny Lee Campbell, Henry Herman Gibson, Samuel Newton Holmes, William J. Tonker, Charlie Earl Miles, Lawrence Gibson Russell, Lester Eugene Thomas, Hobert Ernest Whitt, Earl Fletcher, Robert Olin Roberts, Roy Jack Hickam, Neal Thomas Long, Paul Franklin Jones, Willie Brock, Grover Cleveland Minor, James Wheeler Pridemore:

Charles Emory Dillmon, Joe Bill Reynolds, Dennis Rosco Evans, John Edward Garrett, Clarence Junior Minton, Joe Ayers, Charles Spurlock, John Winston Ayers, Thomas Estel Doyle, Fred Phillips, Lonzo Hensley, John James McNally, Roy Elmer Seabolt, Hubert Franklin Stewart, Carl Sewell Collins, John Henry Carmony, Frank Lester Newton, Curtis Milton Cupp, Lue Williams, Fred Thomas Williams, Herbert Hensley, Curtis Ellis Young, Earnest George Phipps, Robert James Johnson, Harve Bradley Pendergraft, Conda Long, Alva Long, Roy Cosby, Charles Elmo V. Hollifield, Cecil Marcum, John David Collins:

Robert Lee Hall, Hubert Huston Brooks, Roy Mathis Roop, Maynard Aster Crockett, Floyd Simpson Oaks, Sterling Sumpter Noah Hensley, Ray Nenley Smith, John William Britton, Joseph Stewart Niday, Lee Roy Jones George Washington Goins, Ceci James Tankersley, Anthony Middleton, William Emory Cheek, Prince Ball, Joe Irvin Ayers Arnold Bowlin, Harry Olen Hines, Jessie Howard Lovens, Charles Newton.

BACK IN STATES

PVT. JAMES I. ROGERS

Pvt. James I. Rogers, son of Mrs. R. L. Rogers, of St. Charles, returned to the States November 7, after 26 months foreign service. He is now in a State Hospital at Jackson, Miss., being treated for rheumatic fever.

James joined the army in 1940, at the age of 17. He was stationed in and around Washington, D. C., before being sent overseas in August, 1942.

He writes of having been in England, Africa, and Sicily, and says it's so wonderful being back in the States that he cannot understand why anyone would take thheir vacations abroad.

James had a brother, Dearl to die in a prison camp in Manchuria, China, December 13, 1942, after being captured in the Philippine Islands. Another brother, Robert L., Jr., is now in the Philippines. He writes that it is a nice place, and that most of the people speak English. He has sent some Jap invasion money to his family.

Ropert always writes of interesting things, and never says any thing in his letters to worry the family. He has been across ten months, and writes that he likes it there very much.

IN NAVAL SERVICE

S. 2-C. CARNELL SMITH

Seaman Second Class Carnell Smith, son of Mrs. Stella Smith, of Knoxville, Tenn., and husband of the former Miss Virginia Johnson, of Route 2, Jonesville, Va., entered the Navy May 30, 1944, and is now stationed at Camp Peary, Va. Before entering service, Seaman Smith was employed at Benedict.

Business Houses To Close Each Wednesday At Noon

The merchants and business men of Pennington Gap have mutually agreed to close their places of business each Wednesday, beginning at noon.

This agreement came as the result of a shortage of help during war times, and becomes effective Jan. 10, 1945.

The following have signed the agreement:

Service Grocery, A. & P. Tea Co., D. Cury's Dept. Store, E. R. King, Pennington Wall Paper and Paint Store, King's Hardware, M. D. Collier Furniture Corp'n, Lillies Beauty Shop, Cuma's Shoppe, Piggly Wiggly, Rose Beauty Shop, Dr. M. H. Robbins, May & Co., J. O. Gibson, W. W. Mac Co., Novelty Clothing Co., Pennington Hdwe. & Furniture Co., Economy Store, Creech Tire & Supply Co., King's Barber Shop, Joy's Beauty Shop, Guy A. Kauffman, M. L. Pennington, R. E. Orr, Lee Bank & Trust Co., Old Dominion Power Co., Dr. D. E. McDaniel, Gingham Girl Beauty Shop, Flanary Bros., West End Grocery.

St. Charles Baptist Church Has Night

Approximately 150 people gathered at the First Baptist Church at St. Charles Sunday night to watch the old year out and the New Year in.

The services begun at 7:00 o'clock and continued until 12:00 midnight. The 7:00 o'clock service began by a song service of old-time hymns. The girls quartette and the Bill Cooper quartette furnished special music. Rev. Tolbert Nelson, of Jonesville, brought the message, and Mrs. Nelson sang a special number.

Rev. Floyd Haun brought a brief message "Alone with Christ", followed by a baritone number by George Brummitt, choir leader. Other members of the church furnished special music.

Mrs. Clinton Green and Mrs. Lela Terry sang a duet in honor of Fred Bussell, who died last summer. They sang his favorite song, "I am a poor wayfaring stranger."

A trio consisting of Mrs. Mary England, Mrs. Minnie Tomlinson and Mr. Sewell Hurst sang a special number.

Rev. Hugh Boyd, pastor of the church at Kemmerer Gem, had charge of the services at 9:30, and at the 10:00 o'clock service, the young people took charge, led by Miss Emma Tomlinson. At this service a special prayer was offered for the boys in service. The year passed out without a cold star on the flag at this church.

From 11:00 to 12:00 the adults had charge, led by the pastor, Rev. Clinton Green. As the New Year came in the congregation was singing "On Jordons Stormy Banks"—and one person was converted.

Serving in Pacific

PFC. GRIFFITH Z. WATKINS

Pfc. Griffith Z. Watkins of Baltimore, Md., husband of the former Mossie Garrett of St. Charles, is now serving with the U. S. Army in the Southwest Pacific. Pictured above with Pfc. Watkins is their daughter, Mary Patricia, age 3 months.

Mrs. Watkins, who recently spent the Christmas holidays with relatives and friends at St. Charles and Pennington Gap, has returned to their home at Baltimore where she will await his return.

Awaiting His Return

MARY PATRICIA WATKINS

Visiting with Mrs. Watkins here was her sister, Mrs. Ellen Barnett, of Bristol and their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Langham, of Baltimore, formerly of St. Charles.

Board No. 2 Makes Heavy Call For Jan.

54 Are Selected for Pre-Induction; 33 for Induction

Selective Service Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, Lee County, Virginia, lists 54 registrants who will report for Pre-induction exams, and 33 who, having passed previous pre-induction, will enter military service. They are:

Claude Collins, Steve Webb, Emmette Jackson Newberry, Milford Earl Bishop, Fred Kinzer Surrett, Claude Elmer Collins, Leslie Delph, William Frank Moore, Joseph Paul Statzer, Alfred William Ward, Spartanburg, S. C., Walter Edward King, Thurston Banner Sturgill, Dayton Verington Speers, Curtis Ely:

John Henry Childs, Oak Ridge Tenn., Herman Raymond Ogle, Grand Junction, Colo., Fred Smith, Auburn Tobias Pennington, Jr., Silas Eugene Cheek, Garfield James Vanover, Charles Ernest Holmes, John Monroe Hosmer, Mobile, Ala., Harry Leslie Siemp, William Carl Lundy, Earl Boggs, Archie Willard Mooneyhan, Otis Garrison, Sumner, Wash., Willie Oliver Perkins, Fred James Ward, Frank Hill Duff, Joseph Edgar Miles, Dayton, Ohio, Oscar Newton, Clifford Martin Justice, Oliver Springs, Tenn., Jasper Clark, Keokee, Va., Edward Carter Bledsoe, Forrest Gilmer Orender, Ballard Duncan, Elton Randolph Collins:

Claude Lawrence Collins, James Arnold Hartsock, James Fugate Reasor, Charles Wallen, Charles Ernest Ward, William Thompson, Oak Ridge, Tenn., Henry Cole Nelson, Speedwell, Tenn., John Hurley Quinley, Carroll John Hammons, Aaron D. Hampton, William Delbert Pitman, James Edward Cooper, Paul Irvin, James Junior Ball, Hansford Barker, and Bruce Neal Poteet.

Inductions

George Mullins, Paul Judson Gilbert, Fred Lee Speers, Joe Miller, John Rankin Baldwin, Middlesboro, Ky., William Hix Hall, Baltimore, Md., Tilmon Harrison Johnson, Middlesboro, Ky., George Lee Napier, James Eli Hughes, Taylor Smith, Oliver Arthur Lewis, Jr., Baltimore, Md., Earnest Russell Curry, Raleigh Hamilton Barker, Herbert Ray Welch, Baltimore, Md., Hagen Rice James, Portsmouth, Va., Edward Stanley Meredith, Kermit Edward McFarland,:

Holley Eugene Vanoy, Leonard Freeman Vandergriff, Balkan, Ky., Joseph Roy Casteel, Middletown, Ohio., Alonzo Bray, William Jackson Moore, Morgan Walker Legg, Bufford McKinley Hinkle, James Hobert Flanary, James Simon Kelly, Dewey Turner, Henry Silas Sturgill, Clyde Poe, Bascom Bruner, Joseph Hampton Miller, James Everett Shuler, Clyde Franklin Milsap.

Mrs. Smalley Resigns Position With Old Dominion Company

Mrs. F. M. Smalley, for seven years cashier for Old Dominion Power Co., of Pennington Gap, resigned her position, effective Jan. 1, and has been succeeded by Miss Evelyn Kirk.

Jimmy Lewis is in Sicily

James P. Lewis, one of our town's youthful Navy recruits, writes his parents that he embarked from New York Dec. 10, and made a safe landing in Sicily

VISIT HERE FROM FLORIDA

PVT. AND MRS. CLIFFORD IRVIN

Pvt. and Mrs. Clifford Irvin have just enjoyed a ten days' visit with friends and relatives in Pennington Gap and Stone Creek, as Pvt. Irvin was being transferred from Camp Blanding, Florida, to Ft. Meade, Md., awaiting further assignment.

Pvt. Irvin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Irvin, and Mrs. Irvin's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Jones, both of Stone Creek. Mrs. Irvin has been living in Florida, but plans to make her home with her parents for the next few months.

Lee Co., Bristol Men Held in Prison Death

IN MARINE AIR CORPS

PVT. JACK BRUCE

Pvt. Jack Bruce, recently with the Marine Infantry at Camp Lejeune, N. C., has been transferred to the Marine Air Corps at Cherry Point, N. C. He has been in service since August 8, 1944

Pvt. Bruce is the son of Dr. W. H. Bruce, formerly of Pennington Gap. His wife was formerly Miss Oneida Willis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Willis, who live near Jonesville. She and their little daughter, Billy Sue, are making their home with her parents for the duration.

Mrs. Bruce owns and operates the Rose Beauty Shoppe in Pennington Gap.

Pennington Lions Club Observes 'Ladies Nite'

Sponsored by the W.M.U., the members of the Pennington Lions Club enjoyed the special privilege of bringing their wive along with them to the supper dinner at the First Baptist Church Thursday evening.

After dinner the guests were entertained with a special recreational program, which had been prepared by Mrs. P. R. Stubbs and Mrs. Elmo David. The outstanding feature of this program was the debate on the subject of whether the West End of town or the East end is the better place to live. Dr. Robbins and Guy A. Kauffman ably defended the west side, while Roy Fletcher and Dr. Carr equally as ably pleaded for the east. Both sides were so well presented that the judges could not choose between them, thus the debate ended in a "tie".

Mrs. Arthur Burchette had charge of the music, and played several numbers, also several vocal numbers were sung by Mrs. Anne Hurd.

Robert Guy Fugh, president of the Club, was toastmaster.

Jerry Rhea

Jerry Mack Rhea, small son of Elise Rhea and grandson of Mrs. Pearl Rhea died at Lee General Hospital Saturday night, Dec. 30, following a very brief illness.

The child had enjoyed Christmas in a happy way, had played with his toys all day Monday and Tuesday, and Tuesday night went with the family to a movie. He became ill Wednesday and was rushed to Lee General Hospital, grew steadily worse until the end came. He would have been four years old in February.

Funeral services were held at the home Monday, at 2:30 p.m., by Rev. C. D. Mehaffey, pastor of Pennington Gap Methodist Church. Burial followed in Cecil Cemetery.

S. G. Hill Elected Chr. Lee School Baard

S. G. Hill, General Manager of Virginia Lee Co., was elected Chairman Lee County School Board at their last meeting, to succeed the late C. P. Horton, Sr., who died suddenly Dec. 4.

Mr. Horton's place as member of the Board has not yet been filled.

Local Board Changes Date Of Meetings

Selective Service Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, has changed the date of their regular meetings from 7:00 o'clock Tuesday nights to 2:30 Tuesday afternoon, each week.

Cecil Boatright, James Brown Accused of Stabbing Cell Mate

Cecil Boatright, 32, of Lee County, and James Brown, 27, of Bristol, both inmates of the Virginia State penitentiary, are accused of stabbing to death on January 3rd another inmate, Jeter Pickett, 25, of Caroline County.

The details of the murder, as related by Major W. Frank Smyth, Jr., superintendent of the State penitentiary, are as follows:

Pickett, who was a life-termer, was in the die room of the tag shop at the prison. D. C. Stuart, guard stationed in the tag shop, said that Pickett was working in the small wired-in room with two other prisoners, Cecil Boatright, of Lee County, and James G. Brown, of Bristol.

Major Smyth said that Pickett was heard to scream and that as Guard Stuart ran the length of the long shop, Pickett stumbled from the die room bleeding profusely. He was rushed to the prison hospital where he died ten minutes later, without making a statement. He had been stabbed several times with a sharp instrument. Smyth said that Boatright and Brown were covered with blood. They were charged with murder and will be brought to trial in Richmond circuit court.

Boatright was admitted to the penitentiary in 1937 for a 37-year term imposed for murder in Lee County. He was convicted for the roadhouse slaying of two men, and his combined sentences totaled 37 years.

Four Years in Service

PFC. CLAUDE M. JOHNSON

Pfc. Claude Marion Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Johnson, of Jonesville, Route 2, has spent four years in the U. S. Army service, having enlisted when only 17 years of age.

He has been overseas about two years, serving in the European theater of operations, and is now somewhere in France.

Delinquents Reported By Local Board No. 1

The following men are reported delinquents as of Dec. 30, 1944, by Local Board No. 1, Jonesville, Lee County, Virginia:

Chester Alvis Jennings, Carter Pridemore, William Kenneth Hennick.

Dan Reasor Reported Much Improved

The condition of Dan Reasor, 17-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Reasor, of Big Stone Gap, who was brought to Lee General Hospital here on Dec. 29, suffering gun shot wounds, is reported much improved and is given a good chance for recovery by the Hospital authorities.

The accident occurred near East Stone Gap while the boy, in company with three other boy companions, were returning from a hunting trip on Wallens Ridge. They stopped to rest on a large rock on the hillside. Dan dropped his gun, it struck the rock, discharging, the load ranging upward penetrating the groin and puncturing the abdomen.

When he was first admitted to the hospital the Doctors pronounced his condition critical from shock and loss of blood.

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Social and Personal

Miss Dot Moyers and Mr. Bobby Holder of Maryville, Tenn., were week-end guests of Miss Pearl Cornett and Mrs. Christine Bowman.

Mrs. Rebecca Crowell is in Kingsport this week with her daughter, Mrs. J. O. Price, who is very sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Slagle, of Dayton, Ohio, have returned to their home after a visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Slagle.

Sam Slagle and Bill Tritt spent last week-end in Abingdon.

Mrs. F. M. Smalley, Mrs. Letcher Baker and Miss Myrtle Phyllis Smalley are in Baltimore, Md., this week, visiting with Seaman 1-c Billy King.

Mrs. Minnye B. Trent was in Pennington visiting her sister, Mrs. A. J. Galloway, on her way to Florida to see her sons who are in service there.

Miss Ruth Woliver, of Baltimore, Md., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Everette Woliver, and friends during the holidays, returning to her duties Dec. 27.

Ernest Hall and L. M. Bledsoe, both former Lee Countians who moved recently to Orleans, Ind., are back among their friends and relatives here, Mr. Hall on a visit and Mr. Bledsoe to stay.

The latter ran for sheriff of Lee County last year.

R. Lee Blackwell, Louisville attorney, visited his brother, Sam C. Blackwell, during the holidays.

Miss Rebecca Fry returned to her employment in Washington, D. C., and Miss Velma Hickam, who had been visiting at the Fry home during the holidays, returned to Richmond Wednesday, Dec. 27. They were accompanied by Miss Dortha Fry who spent a few days in Washington with Rebecca. Virginia Fry, who is a student of Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia, returned to her school work Tuesday, January 2.

Lt. Williams at Home

Among the servicemen fortunate enough to be home for the Christmas holidays was Glen Williams, Lt. U. S. N. R., son of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Williams, of Jonesville.

Lt. Williams has just finished 23 months of sea duty, the last seven months in the Mediterranean where he served during the Southern France invasion aboard a minesweeper. He was promoted from Lt. (jg) to Lt. on October 1, 1944, and is awaiting reassignment to a new duty, presumably at sea.

Miss Mary Ruth Williams daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Williams, of Jonesville, who is a senior at Radford College, Radford, Va., has returned to school after spending the holidays with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Rhea T. Orr, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Orr, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Williams, of Jonesville.

Mrs. Wheeler Hall of Pennington spent last week in Harriman, Tenn., visiting her husband who is employed at Oak Ridge, Tenn.

Miss Rosa Lee McElroy of Kingsport and James C. Skeen of the U. S. Coast Guard were visiting Miss Janell Johnston of Pennington Gap during the Christmas holidays.

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VIRGINIA:
In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 11 day of December, 1944.
Bob Shuffler ..... Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Creeda Hughes Shuffler
..... Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce "a vinculo matrimonii" on the grounds of adultery and are to obtain a divorce "a mensa et thoro" on the grounds of desertion for a period of less than two years and to obtain the care, custody and control of Reece Shuffler and Virginia Lee Shuffler, infant children born to the aforesaid marriage and for general relief.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Creeda Hughes Shuffler, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address is Johnson City, Tennessee, it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D. C.
p. q. Raymond C. Shannon.
Adv. No. 50-4t.

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Adv. No. 47-tf.

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Calvin, Va., Sergeant Recently Decorated

With the 35th Infantry Division in France—Sergeant Nick Sonye Jr., of Calvin, Virginia, recently was awarded the Bronze Star for helping to rescue a wounded comrade from a wrecked and burning tank destroyer.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Sonye, of Calvin.

The citation accompanying the award stated in part:

"When enemy fire struck his tank destroyer, setting it ablaze, killing the driver and seriously wounding another member of the crew who was unable to leave the burning vehicle, Sgt. Sonye climbed back into the tank destroyer and with the assistance of two other members of the crew, succeeded in removing the wounded man to a place of safety just before the vehicle's load of ammunition exploded.

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LOST

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Irene Dunne - Alan Marshall - Frank Morgan
—in—
WHITE CLIFFS OF DOVER
TUESDAY, JANUARY 9
BARGAIN DAY
Lucille Ball - Dick Powell - Virginia O'Brien
—in—
MEET THE PEOPLE
WEDNESDAY - THURSDAY, JANUARY 10 - 11
BOB CROSBY
—in—
THE SINGING SHERIFF
and
MOON LIGHT AND CACTUS
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LEO CARILLO
and MITCH AYRES ORCHESTRA
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Chapter No. 12
"THE MASKED MARVEL"
Thursday-Friday, January 11-12
BATHING BEAUTY
—with—
Red Skelton - Esther Williams
Latest War News
Saturday, January 13
SIX GUN GOSPEL
—with—
Johnny Mack Brown - Raymond Hatton
Ellen Hall
—also—
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Social and Personal

Mrs. Everett Woliver of Pennington Gap and daughter, Miss Ruth Woliver of Baltimore, spent the day at Mrs. Wheeler Hall's Wednesday, Dec. 27.

Miss Ann Johnston of Woodway spent a few days during the holidays with relatives in Pennington.

Miss Ruth Johnston of Woodway spent Tuesday night with Janell Johnston here.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gilbert enjoyed holiday visits from the following: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lay, St. Charles; Mr. and Mrs. Martin Reed, Three Point, Ky.; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Barnette and small son, Junior, of Bristol; Mrs. Grifith Watkins and daughter, Mary Patricia, Mr. and Mrs. Lonzo Laningham and daughter, Pauline, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Clark and family, Pennington Gap.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Clark have returned to Denver, Colo., after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Clark here for some time.

Lt. Watson Here on Leave

First Lt. Robert H. Watson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Watson, of St. Charles, is here for a few days' leave with his parents and many friends.

Lt. Watson comes direct from England where, with the Eighth Air Force, he has been doing excellent combat service.

In addition to the Air Medal and Three Oak Leaf Clusters which he already held, he was recently awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross.

Mrs. Paul Riddle and daughter and Mrs. Harley Shuler and son of Calvin, are visiting their sister and brother-in-law, Rev. and Mrs. Mack Fisher, of Norton, Va.

Don't fail to see "The Seventh Cross" with Spencer Tracy at the Lee Theatre Thursday and Friday, January 18-19.

Lt. Laningham Here on Leave

Lt. B. B. ("Billy") Laningham is here for a well earned rest, after eighteen months' service overseas with the AAF.

Lt. Laningham will be here for about two weeks, he says, after which he and Mrs. Laningham, formerly Miss Josephine Reasor, will go to Miami, Florida. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Laningham.

Little Larry Milhorn is visiting his father, C. W. Milhorn, Jr., and his grandparents in Johnson City, Tenn. His mother will go after him the last of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Fletcher have had as visitors recently Mrs. Fletcher's sister, Miss Suella Susong, teacher in Middle Georgia College of Cochran, Tenn., and Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Susong and little son, Billy, of Grand Rapids, Michigan. All have returned.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Meade and daughter, Barbara, of Atlanta, Georgia, spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Meade, and family. They were accompanied by a friend, Miss Charlotte Hatfield.

Mrs. Elizabeth Young is back home with her daughters, Mrs. J. M. Fry and Mrs. Roy King and families, after spending several weeks in Richmond.

Mrs. Loraine Litton returned to Dayton, Ohio, yesterday where she is employed, after spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stout.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Pearce and children have returned to their home in Panama City, Florida, after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Bolin.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Meade and son, Tom, spent Christmas at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Percy Owens, and family of Norton.

S-Sgt. and Mrs. Kermit L. Mullins recently concluded a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Mullins of Woodway, and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Copeland, of St. Charles.

Sgt. Mullins returned Monday to his Marine base at Cherry Point, N. C., and Mrs. Mullins to their home in Greenville, N. C.

Pfc. E. C. Gardner has returned to his post at Washington, Ill., after a several days' furlough visit with his wife and parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Herndon.

Cpl. and Mrs. Clarence E. Tilley arrived here from Camp Millard, Ohio, to spend the holidays. Cpl. Tilley, who is with a R. R. Bn., will be here for 15 days, and Mrs. Tilley will remain here with her mother, Mrs. Ida Smith.

Miss Phyllis Quinley is back from a visit with her sister, Mrs. C. F. Gilley and family, also her mother who is spending a few weeks with the Gilleys at Oak Ridge.

The Junior Christian Commando Club will meet Sunday, Jan. 7, for the purpose of electing new officers.

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Hamburger Fry

Mrs. Jake Howard entertained members of the Sunday School class of boys from the First Baptist Church with a hamburger fry at her home last Thursday night. Invited guests: Bobby Billings, Billy Reasor, Fred Hilton, Leroy Hall, Carol Gene Doss, Bobby Tipton.

Maurice Natheson, of Brooklyn, New York, visited the Tiptons on his way back to L. M. U. Tuesday.

Bob Tipton, Ruby Hyden and Joseph Dowling were dinner guests of Mrs. Jake Howard Tuesday.

P. O. 2-c Lemar Brooks, who has been in North Africa the past several months, is now home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Brooks, of Kingsport, Tenn., and his wife, formerly Miss Aline Hyden, of Woodway.

Mrs. Murl Rush, of Pulaski, was called home last week on account of the death of her grandfather, E. R. King.

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AT 12:00 NOON

We the following Merchants and Business Men of Pennington Gap, Va., are agreed that we will close our business concerns every Wednesday afternoon beginning January 10, 1945, until further notice is issued. This is due to the shortage of employees during war time.

Novelty Clothing Co.
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Economy Store
Creech Tire & Supply Co.
King's Barber Shop
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Lee Bank & Trust Co.
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Dr. D. E. McDaniel
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W. W. Mac Co.
Service Grocery
A. & P. Tea Co.
D. Cury's Dept. Store
E. R. King
Pennington Wall Paper & Paint Store
M. D. Collier Furniture Corp.
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TOWN TALK

About This, That, And The Other

Following The Trend

An old Indian, who for years had been selling huckleberries at fifty cents a bucket, upped the price to a dollar. A previous customer asked why.

The Indian replied: "Heap big war somewhere!"

Wedding Bells Have Rung

A family in Pennington Gap had their Christmas package all ready to mail to their son, stationed in California, when they received a letter telling them of his marriage to a California girl. They immediately opened the package, added some gifts for the bride and mailed the package.

Full details of the wedding have not been learned, but will be forthcoming.

The Home Touch

A soldier formerly living at Duffield suffered two attacks of pneumonia before going into service, and each time was attended by Dr. B. T. Young.

Recently Dr. Young had a letter from the boy, in which he stated: "I am down with pneumonia again, and although I'm getting every attention possible, seems like if I could only be home again, and have you doctor me, I could come through anything."

Dr. and Mrs. Young wrote him a cheering letter, and sent him some of the medicine he used when the boy was at home.

First Hospital Baby

Ever so many babies have been born in Lee County in 1945, but the first to make his advent at Lee General Hospital is Master Johnny Clayton Johnagan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Johnagan, of Jonesville, Route 3, January 5 1945. Hospital nurses state that they "had" 107 babies in 1944.

New Fire Truck

The Town of Pennington Gap is starting the New Year in possession of a bran new fire truck. This is a long-needed asset to our town, and while we hope there will be no necessity for its use, we will feel much safer to know that the situation can be met in case fire breaks out.

Christmas Greetings By Cablegram

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Parks and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hampton were the happy recipients of Christmas greetings by cablegram from their sons in service, Cpl. L. C. Parks, serving in the Philippines with MacArthur's forces, and Sgt. L. P. Hampton, serving in Germany. The parents of both boys live at St. Charles.

Hearing Is Believing

When Chief Petty Officer L. V. Minor, stationed in New York, was notified by long distance telephone call of the birth of a son on Monday morning, January 8, his first comment was: "Gee, I'd like to hear him cry!"

Dr. Henderson took the baby to the phone and by some mysterious magic produced a cry. The father was happy and satisfied. He hopes to obtain leave at an early date to visit with his wife and son at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Quinley.

To ripen pears, let them stand at room temperature until them yield to slight thumb pressure.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Weather Bureau report for the week ending Jan. 7, 1945, for Lee County, furnished by Cam J. Lewis, official observer:

Date	Temperature		Rainfall
January	Highest	Lowest	Inches and Inches
1	54	29	.92
2	31	7	.00
3	27	8	.00
4	38	21	.00
5	39	17	.00
6	45	17	.00
7	47	22	.38

J-ville-Flatwood Boys Keokee Girls In Lead

Tougher Games Forecast This Week-end As Competition Tightens

The lanky lads and shapely lassies of the Lee County Basketball Conference ushered in the first week of 1945 with a bang Friday night, fulfilling their respective schedules in top season form after a three weeks' holiday rest.

Top slotters remained in top slots with no upsets, but with very exciting contests which took the final seconds to deside.

The Keokee girls, parading through their third perfect season, moved into top slot with their third straight win, as apparently strong upstarts drifted away from even a tie for the highly coveted first place in the conference standing.

The attractive Keokee lassies defeated the hard fighting St. Charles sextette 41 to 31 at St. Charles, in a contest that was interesting to a packed gym from the first whistle. Thomas led the winners' scoring attack with 15 points, followed by Arnett with 14. Parsons led St. Charles with 24 points.

The lanky St. Charles boys scuttled the Keokee boys 49 to 18 in a game that was expected to be very close, since Keokee had battled to a tough finish with all previous competition. St. Charles led 23-8 at the half. Kirk and Williams led the St. Charles' scoring with 12 points each, while Grayson followed with 11 points. Duncan led Keokee with 6.

Jonesville was the only school in the conference to win both ends of their in contests. They defeated the Blackwater girls 26 to 12; also winning over the Blackwater boys 36 to 18. Scoring honors in these games were very even.

Flat wood and Pennington Gap caused an epidemic of heart failures in both their contests at Flatwood. The Pennington girls won the preliminary 29 to 28, with the Flatwood boys getting revenge over the Gap boys with a 26 to 25 win, looping their winning basket under the breath of the final whistle. King led the Pennington girls with 14 points, followed by Stanley with 8. Wynn led the Flatwood girls' scoring attack with 14, followed by Graham with 13. Ben Bowen led the Flatwood boys with 9 points, while Williamson was out front for the Pennington team with 14.

The Dryden girls broke their streak of continued bad luck for the season by defeating the Thomas Walker girls 25 to 12 at Dryden, with the Thomas Walker boys avenging the loss with a 24 to 8 win over the Dryden lads. Reasor led the Dryden girls' scoring with 17 points. Thomas looped 12 for the visitors. Burke led the visiting boys' basket parade with 8.

Games Friday, January 12: Keokee at Jonesville; St. Charles at Pennington; Flatwood at Dryden; Blackwater at Thomas Walker.

THE OFFICIAL STANDING

Girls	W	L	Pct.
Keokee	3	0	1.000
Jonesville	2	1	.667
Pennington	2	1	.667
St. Charles	1	1	.500
Blackwater	1	1	.500
Thomas Walker	1	2	.333
Dryden	1	2	.333
Flatwood	0	3	.000

Boys	W	L	Pct.
Jonesville	3	0	1.000
Flatwood	3	0	1.000
St. Charles	2	0	1.000
Keokee	1	2	.333
Pennington	1	2	.333
Thomas Walker	1	2	.333
Blackwater	0	2	.000
Dryden	0	3	.000

L.M.U. To Present Play At St. Charles, Jan. 18

The Lincoln Players of Lincoln Memorial University will present "Lincoln Takes A Wife", a three-act historical comedy, in the St. Charles High School auditorium, January 18, at 7:30 P. M. This play was written by and will be presented under the direction of Earl Hobson Smith, Professor of Dramatic Art at Lincoln Memorial University.

GOLD STAR SOLDIER

PFC. PATTON W. CLAWSON

Pfc. Patton W. Clawson, 34, husband of Mrs. Stella McConnell Clawson, of Woodway, was killed in Germany on December 6, while serving with the Fifth Infantry Division, according to the telegram from the War Department, dated December 28.

Pfc. Clawson trained at Camp Walter, Texas; Camp Breckenbride, Ky.; and reported to Fort Meade, Md., before going overseas in June, 1944. He entered service in December, 1943, and prior to that time was employed by the Nehi Bottling Plant at Appalachia.

Mrs. Clawson and son, Larry, age 7, live at Woodway.

Seven Marriage licenses Issued During December

December, 1944, the last month of Leap Year, came to a close with the record of seven marriage licenses having been issued in Lee County. This same number was issued last year in December, while five years ago there were fifty-one.

Those to whom the licenses were issued last month were:

Clyde Maggard, 23, Pound, Va., and Laura Sturgill, 21, of Dryden; Charlie Johnson, 19, and Opal Lee Pearson, 19, both of Jonesville; James Q. Roop, 22, and Bobbie Doris Patter, 18, both of Leona Mines; William G. Reece, 24, and Ruth Pace, 21, both of St. Charles; Chester Middletown, 20, and Gustine West 19, both of Pennington Gap; Clarence Sprinkle, 21, and Inez Roberts, 19, both of Pennington Gap; Charles Patton Christian, 47, and Beulah Rhoten, both of Keokee.

ST CHARLES WINS TWO

St. Charles High School boys defeated Blackwater boys 37-25 at Jonesville, Tuesday night.

St. Charles girls won over the Blackwater girls 55 to 37. This was a conference game, delayed from the December schedule.

MEETS DEATH IN SERVICE

PVT. WM. FRED COLLINS

Pvt. William Fred Collins, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Collins, of Dryden, Va., was killed in action December 2, 1944, while serving in France, according to a telegram from the War Department to his parents.

Pvt. Collins entered service August 28, 1943, at the age of 18, and went overseas April 18, 1944. He was a student of Dryden High Schol at the time he entered service.

Besides his parents, Pvt. Collins is survived by one sister, Nell Collins.

BROTHERS ARE NOW SERVING OVERSEAS

CPL. HOBART BREWER AND PVT. EDGAR E. BREWER

The Brewer boys are sons of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Brewer, of Pennington Gap, and are now serving overseas, in the Southwest Pacific area. They are former students of Pennington High School, and employees of the Blue Diamond Coal Company.

Cpl. H. E. Brewer (right) took his basic training with the Marine Corps at Parris Island, S. C.

Pvt. E. E. Brewer (left) took his training in field artillery at Fort Bragg, N. C.

Jonesville Soldier Appreciates The P. V. N.

November 28, 1944.
In Germany,

Editor,
The Powell Valley News,
Pennington Gap, ,Virginia.
Dear Mr. Blackwell:

For quite awhile now I've been sweating about not getting my second copy of The Powell Valley News. I received my first one some time ago, and now I'm wanting to hear the news at home again. I sure enjoy the paper very much.

I have a buddy to whom I pass the paper along, as there is right much news in it from his home town, Keokee. Over here in this part of the world a fellow sure enjoys the news and any little thing he gets from home. Builds up his morale, I guess.

Here's hoping I get the paper tomorrow, and other weeks to come. Maybe I will get home one of these days, and will have things more easy and convenient.

Thanking you very much.

Pvt. Lonzo Ely,
Jonesville, Va.

Pennington Gap Fire Department Organized

Mayor E. E. Parsons announced today that following the purchase of a new fire truck at a cost of approximately $5,000, a fire department has been organized in Pennington Gap, and is doing regular drill practice.

E. S. Vaughan is captain of the department, and John Bailey will drive the truck. Other members are Jimmy Jessee, Bill Wilder, Charlie Berry, H. P. Billings, and J. E. Jessee.

Mayor Parsons stated the following regulations to be observed by the citizens: Everybody on the streets with cars or any other kind of vehicles must pull to the curb as soon as the siren blows, and stay there until the fire truck passes.

Children must not congregate about the truck while in practice, but if they want to look on must keep to the sidewalks or at some other safe distance.

Duffield Soldier Fights In Gothic Line In Italy

Pfc. Thomas Clendenin, son of Mrs. Mandy Clendenin, is serving with the Fifth Army, 338th Infantry Regiment, in Italy. This regiment has been credited with killing and wounding many hundreds of Germans and taking nearly 700 prisoners in four weeks of cold, bitter fighting in the Gothic Line.

The men in this division are called "Old Timers" and have won three Distinguished Service Crosses, 35 Silver Stars and more than 200 Bronze Stars.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our many friends for the kindness and sympathy shown in the illness and death of our dear mother. Also for the beautiful floral offerings.

C. L. Boone
R. T. Boone
W. F. Boone
Mrs. Jim Chandler
Mrs. Bud Hall.

Local Board No. 1 Lists Induction Registrants

Only five registrants are listed by Local Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va., to fill the induction call for January 16, 1945. They are:

Philip Lee, R 3, Jonesville; Bronson Parkey Morley, Ewing; Kenneth Leroy Burgan, Ocoonita; Joseph Franklin Hensley, R 2, Jonesville; Morris Joshua Pendleton, R 4, Jonesville.

First Baptist Church

Sunday morning, January 14. Sermon subject: "Bed Too Short, Blanket Too Narrow". Evening: "Vision and a Task". Special music both services.

Sunday afternoon, 2:30, meeting of the Powell River Baptist Association, Sunday School Department. Bro. L. S. Kniceley, State Sunday School Worker, will be with us.

P. R. Stubbs, Pastor.

Card of Thanks

Sincerest thanks to our friends for their many expressions of kindness and sympathy in the death of our husband and father, Thomas Bradley Stewart.

We want to express special appreciation of the beautiful floral offerings, to the ministers who conducted the funeral services, and to those who donated the use of their cars.

The Smalley Family
of Pennington Gap;
The Stewart Families,
Mrs. Fannie Warden
Stewart.

EARNS PURPLE HEART

PFC. MARRISON HAMMONDS

Pfc. Marrison Hammonds, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hammonds, Pennington Gap, Route 2, has received the Purple Heart, having been wounded in action October 24.

Pfc. Hammonds will have been in service two years the 4th of February, and overseas two years the 2nd of August. He is stationed somewhere in France.

The Hammonds have a son-in-law in service, Pfc. Luther Davis, stationed in Oklahoma. They also have four grandsons in service, one in the States and one overseas.

They have three sons living in Virginia, and six daughters, three in Virginia and three in Tennessee.

Sixth War Loan Over Top In Lee Half Million

FORMER BLUE DIAMOND EMPLOYEE

PVT. CLARENCE WARSHAM

Pvt. Clarence Warsham, husband of Mrs. Hester Haynes Warsham, Woodway, is serving with the 34th Red Bull Division (Infantry) in Italy.

He has been in service since October, 1943, and overseas since May, 1944. He attended school at Cosburn, Va., and prior to entering service was employed by Blue Diamond Coal Company at Bonny Blue.

Pvt. Warsham is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Warsham, of Woodway.

Stockholders Meeting, Lee Bank & Trust Co.

The annual meeting of stockholders of Lee Bank & Trust Company was held in the bank's office Tuesday, January 9th. The preferred stock was represented by proxy, and majority of common stock was represented by those present.

The cashier's report showed the bank to be in a good liquid condition. The report showed 1944 to be the bank's best year as to earnings and increase in resources. The bank paid a regular 8% dividend on its preferred stock and a 6% dividend on its common stock; $5,000 was added to surplus funds, and a good amount carried to undivided profits. The report revealed that there had been an increase in resources for the year of $665,000.00.

The following directors and officers were elected for the year: Directors: M. E. Flanary, J. B. Cox, S. J. Shelburne, Thos. M. King, M. D. Kelly, D. C. Sewell, Jr., Robt. B. Ely, Dr. B. T. Young and W. D. Harr. Officers: M. E. Flanary, president; J. B. Cox, vice president; S. J. Shelburne, chairman of the board; Thos. M. King, secretary and assistant cashier; and W. D. Harr, cashier.

Following the business of the meeting, it was adjourned and a dinner was served the stockholders at the Virginian Cafe, which was greatly enjoyed by all.

Promiscuous Shooting Reported About Town

Circumstances bear out the theory that some boys in Pennington Gap must have received some .22's for Christmas presents, and have gotten beside themselvesin the use of them.

At any rate, Mayor E. E. Parsons reports that much promiscuous shooting from these little weapons has been going on in town, and that some stray shots have gone through windows at some private homes, barely missing some of the occupants.

The Mayor states that the shooting of .22's or any other gun within the town limits is strictly forbidden by the law, and punishable by heavy fine. He has given Deputy Sheriff Claude Benfield instructions to enforce this law to the fullest extent.

Pennington Methodist Church

Sunday morning, January 14: Theme: "Some Rules For Living". Special music by Pennington High School Glee Club.

Sunday evening: "The Demands of Life". Regular midweek prayer service Wednesday night.

Charlie D. Mehaffey, Pastor.

Sale of "E" Bonds Exceeded Quota By Amount of $28,665.75

Hon. T. B. Fugate, chairman Lee County War Finance Committee, today made a very gratifying report that Lee County has exceeded its Sixth War Loan quota of $300,000 by an average of $407,987.75.

The quotas and sales, as reported by Mr. Fugate, are as follows:

"E" Bond' quota, $180,000; sales, $208,665.75; overage, $28,665.75.

With a combined quota of F and G Bonds of $40,000, the sales were; F Bonds, $9,472; G Bonds, $59,900; total, $69,372; overage, $29,372.

Savings notes, $14,600; certificate of indebtedness, $207,000; Savings notes due 1947, $10,000; Treasury bonds, $197,500; total sales, $707,937.75, against the combined $30,000 quota; overage $349,900.

This is by far the best report of any previous War Bond drive in Lee County, and Chairman Fugate wishes to express his gratitude to the organization, schools and all who had part in the sales, for the results and fine showing during this Sixth War Loan Drive.

The regular quota for the month of January is $40,000, based on the sales of "E" Bonds.

First Christian Church

Sunday, January 14: Bible School, 10:00 a. m. F. M. Smalley, Supt. Worship with communion at 10:45. Sermon subject: "Christ's Answer to the Meaning of Life". This sermon is dedicated to the young people in attendance.

Christian Endeavors meet at 6:15 p. m., Mrs. Ruth Shelburne Keith, superintendent.

No preaching at night, as the pastor will be at Union, the associate church, for evening worship. Mid-week prayer service Wednesday night, January 17, with Elmo David as leader.

A cordial invitation to all who will come and worship with us.

W. B. Moore, Pastor.

BOARD No. 1 LISTS NEW REGISTRANTS FOR MONTH OF DEC.

The following registrants, having become 18 years of age during the month of December, have registered with Selective Service Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va.:

Earl Fletcher, Ben Hur; Willie Borck, R 1, Ewing; Grover Cleveland Minor, Jonesville; James Wheeler Pridemore, Ewing; Charles Emory Dillmon, Ewing; Joe Bill Reynolds, Jonesville; Dennis Rosco Evans, Rose Hill; John Edward Garrett, Rose Hill; Clarence Junior Minton, Ewing; Joe Ayers, Ewing; Thomas Estel Doyle, Rose Hill; John Winston Ayers, Ewing.

LANDED SAFELY IN ENGLAND

T. SGT. JACKSON E. REASOR

Mrs. Jackson E. Reasor has received word that her husband, Technical Sgt. Jackson E. Reasor, has landed safely somewhere in England.

Mrs. Reasor and small daughter will make their home in Pennington Gap until his return.

BUZZARD ROOST BRIEFS

Buzzard Roost's most interesting social event of 1944 came as the old year was nearing its close. On December 29, to be exact, Crowdell Collins, 56, of Newman's Ridge, and Eva Bell King, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Bell, of the Wilder Bent section, were married at Middlesboro, Ky., in the Chamber of Municipal Court.

Court Judge Ball performed the ceremony, in the presence of a few immediate members of the families of the bride and groom. This is the second marriage for both.

The newlyweds were given a reception at the home of the bride on New Year's Eve, together with a miscellaneous shower. They were the joint recipients of many useful household gifts by their many friends and relatives.

They will make their home here for the present.

Mrs. Ruby Collins Gibson has returned to her home in Lafayette, Ind., after spending the holidays here with her father, Walter Preston Brownlow Collins. She was accompanied home by her youngest brother, Oran Mallon Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Wilder and infant son, of Buchanan, Mich., spent the holidays here with relatives and friends, returning to their home Monday.

The Cleo Sextons are removing this week to the Truckle Hollow community, where they will begin this season's share-cropping activities on the lands of Miss Bertha Hyatt. They are replacing Bill Sexton, who is also removing this week to the principality of Prof. W. S. Cox, on Federal Highway No. 58, east of Jonesville.

Miss Beauty Livesay, of Big Mud, was the week-end guest of her sister, Mrs. Mary Livesay Hall, at Journey's End.

Dr. Frank S. Martin, who for the past 35 years has been a practicing veterinary surgeon in Southeastern Kentucky, with headquarters at Middlesboro, has been on an extended visit with friends and relatives in this section, spening most of his time with his daughter, Mrs. Vola Martin Livesay, of Big Mud. Dr. Martin, born in the Acadia community 68 years ago, was married in 1894 to Miss Effie Agee, of Journey's End. They have four living children.

"My wife had a dream last night and thought she was married to a millionaire."

"You're lucky. My wife thinks that in the day time."

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News From BENEDICT

Mrs. Bertha Skiles, of Bonny Blue, visited relatives here Monday.

Sgt. Alvis Gibson, who has been overseas for three years and is now stationed in the Panama Canal Zone, visited his aunts, Mrs. Elsie Holman, Mrs. Myrtle Maiden, Mrs. Betty Beach, and Mrs. Nervie Maiden, at Jellico, Tenn. All visited Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Holman here last week.

Mrs. Jake Wolfenbarger and Mrs. Ruby Satterfield, of St. Charles, visited here Friday.

Fred Thompson and son, Joe, and Rich Carter made a business trip to Norton last week; also Luther Roberts made a business trip to Crarlottesville, Va.

The Quarterly Conference of the Freewill Baptist Church was held at Palmer Baptist Church here Saturday. A large crowd was in attendance, and dinner was served at the church.

Mrs. Jim Thompson, of Jonesville, visited relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thompson and Eva, of Dunbar, visited relatives here over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Thompson and children, of Toms Creek, visited here over the week-end.

Pfc. Jack Skiles, of the U. S. Army, spent a week-end leave here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Shackleford.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Blevins and White Wolfenbarger visited at Kye Cole, Sunday.

First Virginia War Fund Contribution Is $300,000

W. Hiter Harris, president of the First & Merchants Bank at Richmond and treasurer of the Virginia War Fund, has presented Worthe Faulkner, National War Fund representative, with a $300,000 check to aid national war effort and relief of our allies and the people of occupied countries. An urgent appeal for cash recently was made by the War Fund, as a result of invasion requirements of USO and the 21 other National War Fund organizations.

While Virginia has contributed approximately 96 per cent of its $1,900,000 quota, according to reports from the 110 local War Fund Committees, collections sent State Headquarters to date have been small.

"As president of the Virginia War Fund it is my duty to urge all committees to send as much cash as possible to State Headquarters at once," W Tayloe Murphy said today. "Enormous demands are being made by the recent developments in the war and national headquarters is hoping that a majority of the quotas of the State will be avilable at the earliest possible moment. Local chairmen are urged to get all solicitors to turn in their collections at once, that this urgent need may be met."

Virginia recently completed payment of the 1943 quota assigned to it, and Mr. Murphy was optimistic about the success of the 1944 campaign. More than a score of localities have not as yet completed their campaigns, and Norfolk and Portsmouth will not hold their drives until February.

The poultry freeze order, requiring poultry raisers to sell only to the Quartermaster Corps, affects only Accomac, Northhampton, Augusta, Rockingham, Page, Shenandoah, and Frederick counties in Virginia.

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P. O. Pennington Gap, Va. R. D. 2

Meetings Scheduled For 1945 Farm Production

County and community committeemen are among farm leaders invited to attend a series of county meetings in the period January 11-20 to discuss and plan Virginia's 1945 farm production program, the State AAA Office has announced. Local meetings will be sponsored by county USDA War Boards.

The meetings will probably afford the best opportunity that committeemen and other leaders will have to obtain information about the production job for 1945, and the prvisions of the 1945 Agricultural Conservation Program, the announcement said.

Among the discussion topics will be crop and livestock production needs, the general situation, and price support programs.

Others expected to attend the meetings are professional workers, vocational agriculture teachers, SCS district supervisors, members of county boards of agriculture, FSA committeemen, managers of REA cooperatives, representatives of farm organizations, key bankers, superintendents of schools, local ministers, newspaper editors, and other farm leaders.

Lemon Juice Recipe Checks Rheumatic Pain Quickly
If you suffer from rheumatic, arthritis or neuritis pain, try this simple inexpensive home recipe that thousands are using. Get a package of Ru-Ex Compound, a 2 weeks' supply today. Mix with a quart of water, add the juice of 4 lemons. It's easy, pleasant and no trouble at all. You need only 3 tablespoonfuls two times a day. Often within 48 hours — sometimes overnight — splendid results are obtained. If the pains do not quickly leave and if you do not feel better, Ru-Ex will cost you nothing to try as it is sold by your druggist under an absolute money-back guarantee. Ru-Ex Compound is for sale and recommended by
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THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, JANUARY 25-26
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Sell Your Tobacco At
Planters Warehouses
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Rogersville, Tennessee
And Be Assured Of Receiving Tops In Prices, Efficiency And Courtesy
We Will Be Looking For You!
J. Frank Testerman W. M. Allen
Managers and Operators

BUSINESS HOUSES TO CLOSE EACH
WEDNESDAY
AT 12:00 NOON
We the following Merchants and Business Men of Pennington Gap, Va., are agreed that we will close our business concerns every Wednesday afternoon beginning January 10, 1945, until further notice is issued. This is due to the shortage of employees during war time.
Novelty Clothing Co.
Pennington Hdwe. & Furn. Co.
Economy Store
Creech Tire & Supply Co.
King's Barber Shop
Joy's Beauty Shop
Guy A. Kauffman
M. L. Pennington
R. E. Orr
Lee Bank & Trust Co.
Old Dominion Power Co.
Dr. D. E. McDaniel
Gingham Girl Beauty Shop
Flanary Bros.
By W. S. Flanary
West End Grocery
W. W. Mac Co.
Service Grocery
A. & P. Tea Co.
D. Cury's Dept. Store
E. R. King
Pennington Wall Paper & Paint Store
M. D. Collier Furniture Corp.
Lillie's Beauty Shop
Cuma's Shoppe
Piggly Wiggly
Rose Beauty Shop
Dr. M. H. Robbins
May & Co.
J. O. Gibson
King's Hardware

News From
HAGAN

Born ot Mr. and Mrs. Lester Myers, December 29, a son, who has been given the name Ralph Clark.

Jack Green and A. B. Fee, of Kentucky, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Andy Ingle last week.

Pvt. Joe Fee, of Camp Edwards, Mass., is spending a ten-day furlough with his wife and parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Carter, of Beech Springs, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lester Myers, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Depew and family and Miss Elizabeth Depew, of Hubbard Springs, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Steve Langley and family, Wednesday.

Habit is a cable; we weave a thread of it every day, and at last we cannot break it.
—Horace Mann.

TAKE THE GUESSWORK OUT OF YOUR BAKING with

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Families of World War I Veterans Entitled To Aid

The Veterans Administration has advised dependents of veterans of the last war entitled to widows' and orphans' pensions under the act passed December 14 to file their claims at the nearest field office.

The act extends pension privileges to widows and orphans of all veterans who served 90 days or longer in the last war and did not receive dishonorable discharges. Previously, only widows and children of veterans with service - connected disabilities were entitled to pensions.

This act provides for the following monthly payments to dependents: widow, $35; widow and one child, $45; each additional child, $6; one orphan, $18; two orphans, $27; three orphans, $36 —with $4 for each additional orphan.

Maximum payments permitted any one family is $74 a month, and no pension may be made to a childless widow or a child who has an annual income of $1,000 or more, or to a widow with child with an annual income of $2,500. A pension may, however, be paid to a child if the widow has an income of $2,500 or more, and the child is without income. A widow, to be entitled to a pension, must have been married to the veteran prior to passage of the act, or if married later, she must have lived with him continuously for ten years prior to his death, and they must have lived together from marriage until death of the veteran.

Lee County families may apply to C. F. Connelly, St. Charles, or Z. C. Flanary, Pennington Gap.

Not the tractor, nor the plow, cultivator, drill or harrow gets the most use on the nation's farms. The milking machine is the busiest piece of machinery. Three out of four farms who have them use them 365 days out of the year.

Jonesville FFA Wins Four Basketball Tilts

Marion Harris, Reporter

The Jonesville FFA Chapter played four games in November, winning in each case. Two games were played with the Dryden FFA Chapter, and two with the Thomas Walker Chapter. These were good games and were enjoyed by all who attended them.

Fourteen (14) Chapter Farmers and five (5) Green Hands were initiated before the Christmas holidays. The Chapter Farmers are: Ray Bledsoe, Denver Browning, Coy Collins, Hollis Daugherty, Fred Garrett, Hansell Garrett, Marion Harris, Buford Hines, Kenneth Hines, Lonas Hines, Blaine Johnson, Marion Livesay, Numan Rutherford, and J. C. Sexton. The Green Hands are: Billy Cress, Philmore Edens, L. C. Hines, Charles James, and Paul Levacy.

The farm machinery repair class for adult farmers at the Jonesville Agriculture Department shop was suspended at the end of November, until farmers get their tobacco grading completed. It will be conducted again, either one or two nights per week, beginning the latter part of January or early February.

The agriculture classes started working in the shop two days per week in December, and will continue this schedule in the New Year. The first year class will spend most of its time, at first, learning about the care and use of tools, while the second year class will do more advanced work, both in class exercises and in construction and repair jobs of practical nature.

News From
JONESVILLE R.F.D.

(For Week of Jan. 4)

Mr. and Mrs. Will Greer and family have moved back to their home in Jonesville from Ellicott City, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eldridge and two children spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Lue Williams.

Will Greer, Johnny Robbins and Lue Williams attended the tobacco market at Tazewell, Tenn., Wednesday.

Misses Virginia Greer and Ida Greer spent Saturday with Mrs. Ponter Greer and Mrs. Lillie Anderson.

Feldon King, of Tazewell, spent Sunday with Miss Virginia Greer.

Mrs. Robert Eldridge spent Wednesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Eldridge.

News From
BENEDICT

(For Week of Jan. 4)

Mrs. Cordie Holman and daughter, Hazel; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kinser and grandson, Jimmy, were among the Kingsport visitors here last week.

Ernest Holman spent last week in Middlesboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Maiden, of Middlesboro, visited relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Coffman, of Pennington Gap, were here last week visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Worley Dean, of Stone Creek, were visitors here Sunday.

Mrs. Bessie Noe and family, of Ben Hur, spent Sunday here with relatives.

Mrs. Bonnie Sturgill and daughters, Jean and Wilma, visited with relatives at Monarch, Sunday.

NOTICE

To whom it may concern: I will not be responsible for any debts made by anyone except myself.

Signed,
Roy L. Barker
Adv. 52-4t. pd.

News From
MILLER'S CHAPEL

Clifford Napier, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Napier, of this place, and Miss Margie Miller, of Baxter, Ky., were married December 25, 1944.

Mrs. R. C. Childress, who is employed at Baltimore, Md., returned to her work Monday after a visit here. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Cleo Crusenberry.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lester McGinnis, Jonesville R.F.D., Jan. 3, a son, to whom has been given the name Lester Earl. Mrs. McGinnis is the former Miss Maxine Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Anderson, of this place. She and Mr. McGinnis are here with her parents.

Luster Rogers was in Harlan, Ky., on business last week.

Sally Ben Johnson was shopping in Pennington, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Sexton and daughter, Lucille, and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Cracker Poteet, of Route 4, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Napier were visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Quesenberry, Sunday.

Misses Mary Lee and Thelma Jean Garrett, Sally Bea and Deloise Johnson visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Anderson and family Sunday.

Ballard Bledsoe is on the sick list at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Williams visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Anderson, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luster Rogers were visiting her sister at Woodway, Sunday.

A. J. Johnson visited at the home of his son, M. B. Johnson and family, at Verda, Ky., last week.

Mrs. R. C. Childress spent Friday night with her sister, Mrs. Henry Allen and family.

State No. 508

REPORT OF CONDITION OF

Peoples Bank of Ewing

Of Ewing, in the State of Virginia, At the Close of Business On December 30, 1944. Made to the State Corporation Commission.

ASSETS

Loans and discounts (including $0.00 overdrafts)	$ 150,104.90
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	493,300.00
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection	390,741.28
Bank premises owned $1,400.00; furniture and fixtures $1,000.00	2,400.00
TOTAL ASSETS	$1,036,546.18

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	$ 639,013.64
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	87,483.97
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	143,102.70
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	109,967.11
TOTAL DEPOSITS $979,567.42	
TOTAL LIABILITITS (not including subordinated obligations shown below)	$ 979,567.42

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital*	$ 25,000.00
Surplus	25,000.00
Undivided profits	6,978.76
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	56,978.76
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	$1,036,546.18

*This bank's capital consists of: Common stock with total par value of $25,000.00.

MEMORANDA

Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):	
(a) U. S. Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities	$ 300,000.00
(e) TOTAL	$ 300,000.00
Secured and preferred liabilities:	
(a)) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law	$ 253,069.81
(e) TOTAL	$ 253,069.81
(a) On date of report the required legal reserve against deposits of this bank was	$ 91,832.86
(b) Assets reported above which were eligible as legal reserve amounted to	$ 390,741.28

We, T. B. Fugate, president, and H. T. Ritchie, cashier, of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

T. B. FUGATE, President,
H. T. RITCHIE, Cashier.

Correct—Attest:

C. D. FUGATE — T. B. FUGATE
M. H. SHIFLEY — H. T. RITCHIE
S. A. YEARY — H. C. T. DEAN
Directors

State of Virginia, County of Lee, ss:

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 6th day of January, 1945, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

J. N. PARKEY, Notary Public.

My commission expires September 7, 1947.

KEITHLEY THEATRE
JONESVILLE, VIRGINIA

Monday and Tuesday, January 15 - 16
The White Cliffs of Dover
—starring—
IRENE DUNNE — ALAN MARSHALL
FRANK MORGAN
News and Comedy

Friday and Saturday, January 19 - 20
DOUBLE FEATURE
BENEATH WESTERN SKIES
—with—
BOB LIVINGSTON — SMILEY BURNETTE
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—also—
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—with—
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Monday and Tuesday, January 15 - 16
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News and Shorts

Wed., Jan. 17—BARGAIN DAY—14c and 20c
WHAT A WOMAN
—with—
ROSALIND RUSSELL — BRIAN AHERNE
WILLARD PARKER
Also Chapter No. 1, Serial
"LOST JUNGLE"

Thursday and Friday, January 18 - 19
THE SEVENTH CROSS
—with—
SPENCER TRACY
Latest War News

Saturday, January 20 — DOUBLE FEATURE
FUGITIVE FROM SENORA
—with—
DON (RED) BARRY — LYNN MERRICK
—also—
KANSAS CITY KITTY
—starring—
Joan DAVIS - Jane FRAZEE - Bob CROSBY
Also News and Shorts

ATTENTION--LEE COUNTY TOBACCO GROWERS!

THE FIRST THREE WEEK SALES ON THE ROGERSVILLE MARKET SOLD 3,937,403 POUNDS OF TOBACCO FOR AN AVERAGE OF $45.64 PER CWT. SALES MONDAY, JANUARY 8TH AVERAGED $46.69.

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STATE PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM IMPROVEMENT PLAN RECOMMENDED

Setting forth a broad, comprehensive six-year program for the improvement of the Public School System of the State, the report of the nine-member School Study Commission, headed by Dr. Geo. H. Denny, of Lexington, has been released to the public. The program calls for free textbooks, better administration and supervision, expansion of vocational education, uniform salary scale for teachers, enforcement of compulsory education, enlargement of the State Board of Education to nine members, one from each Congressional District, and appointment of members of the county school boards by the Boards of Supervisors, for staggered terms—the City school board members also to have staggered terms, and no members to succeed themselves for more than one term, with the total improvements in the system estimated to cost $10,532,426 annually, in State and local funds, and to be attained by 1952. The goal would be reached by six gradual steps, beginning with the school year 1946-47, when an increase of $4,678,257 is recommended, and increasing each year until the complete plan has been put into effect. The Commission does not prescribe where the additional sources of revenue are to come from, but states: "Better schools in Virginia are going to take, necessarily, more money, and both the tax levying authorities and the taxpayers must cooperate to this end."

Among the many recommendations in the 38-page report, under the general heading of Administration, Finance, Compulsory Education, Teachers and Salary Standards, Teacher Training, Curriculum, Vocational Education, Health Education and Physical Fitness, Plant and Equipment, Consolidation of Schools, Textbooks, Libraries, Home and School, and Negro Education, are the following: (a) That the State Board of Education be increased to nine members, one from each Congressional District—no one to serve longer than four years and not to succeed himself for more than one term; (b) That Boards of Supervisors to be elected in June of an off-year from that of other county officials should appoint School Board members from the county at large, who would serve for staggered terms, and neither the county nor the city school board member to succeed himself for more than one term; (c) That the annual expenditure per pupil in average daily attendance be increased from the $86 per pupil for 463,977 pupils in 1944-45 to $100 per pupil for 500,000 in average daily attendance by 1952; (d) That counties and cities, in order to obtain State appropriation, be required to put up a sum at least equal to a tax of 55 cents per $100 true value of all property subject to local taxation, or a sum equal to the larger amount appropriated from local sources for the school year 1941-42 or 1942-43, if the latter sum be greater than the amount which would be received from a tax of 55 cents per $100; (e) recommended free textbooks for both the elementary and high schools but that the elementary grades be supplied first, and that this should be made mandatory in all divisions.

CHAPLAIN GARRISON'S REGIMENT HIGH IN CHAPLAIN CASUALTIES

The following experience of an Army Chaplian, who was a former pastor of the First Christian Church, Big Stone Gap, Va., is related by the Commission of Army and Navy Chaplains, Washington, D. C.

Washington, D. C.: The figures cited to show that casualties run high among Army chaplains are confirmed in a communication to the General Commisison on Army and Navy Chaplains, Washington, D. C., from Chaplain Carlton D. Garrison, now a chaplain with the Ninth Infantry. The ministry for Chaplain Garrison which has obliged him to preach in enemy pillboxes in the Siegfried Line, is a far cry from the old orderliness and the security of his civilian pastorates.

Concerning his experiences Chaplain Garrison has sent the following account to the General Commission:

"I have had no experience that might be classified unique,unusual, or dramatic; however, that designation might be placed upon the activities of every day in this theatre of war. The fact that our regiment which has a normal strength of three chaplains, has lost two chaplains killed in action and three chaplains wounded in action since D-day, would seem to bear out my statement.

"Religious services are not the smooth running type of worship one would like to have. Since joining this outfit, I have held services in everything from a foxhole with one man to a heavily wooded area with 250 men in attendance. In our present location, my chapel has consisted of a captured German pillbox in the middle of the Siegfried Line that will accomodate from 25 to 30 men. Services are held throughout the day in order that all men may have opportunity to attend.

"A rather amusing incident occurred a few Sundays ago when I went to a separated unit of our battalion to conduct a service for them. On my way there I noticed the absence of any men moving about; nevertheless, with my clerk, I continued down the road. Every once in a while, a soldier would stick his head out of his foxhole and look at us with a glance of amazement. We went on to the unit, got them together in a wooded area, held the services and returned by the same road. Having returned, I was asked by our battalion executive officer concerning my whereabouts during the course of the day. When I told him about going in this unit, he asked me if I did not know that road was parallel and in front of our own front lines. My reply was, 'No Sir, if I had known that, I certainly wouldn't have held the service fifty yards in front of the road."

"Chaplain Garrison is a Hoosier, having been born near Columbia City, Indiana, attended the elementary schools in Fort Wayne, and the high school in Coesse, Indiana. He was graduated from the Johnson Bible Tennessee and from Phillips College, Kimberland Heights, University, Enid, Oklahoma.

Chaplain Garrison was ordained to the ministry of the Disciples of Christ Church and appointed to the First Christian Church of Jellico, Tennessee in 1940. He later held a pastorate at Big Stone Gap, Virginia, and was, at the time of his appointment to the chaplaincy in 1943, pastor of the First Christian Church, Dover, Okla. Mrs. Garrison resides in Indianapolis, and the parents of Chaplain Garrison in Columbia City, Indiana.

DWELLING BURNED

The one-story frame dwelling owned and occupied by George Peters and family, located on the north side of Kentucky Avenue in North Pennington, was totally destroyed by fire of unknown origin about one o'clock Wednesday morning. The loss is reported at several hundred dollars, with no insurance.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

Mrs. Margie Clarkston

Mrs. Margie Clarkston, 52, of Seminary, Va., died Saturday at Lee General Hospital after an illness of two days.

Surviving are her husband, C. E. Clarkston, and six children: Mrs. K. E. Blankenship and Mrs. Warren English, both of Kingsport, Tenn.; Miss Edna Clarkston, Seminary; Mrs. Elmer Collier, Dunbar; Mrs. Earl Hobbs, Johnsons Mills, Va.; Edgar Clarkston, with the U. S. Army at Camp Wheeler, Ga.

She is also survived by four brothers, C. C. Slemp and Ora Slemp, of Dryden; Letch Slemp, Seminary; and Irvine Slemp, of Kingsport; and five sisters, Mrs. Cornie Nichols, Mrs. Belle Robinette, and Mrs. Maude Kincaid, all of Kingsport; Mrs. Hattie Reasor, Dryden; and Mrs. Alpha Dorton, Flint, Mich.

Funeral services were conducted Monday at 1:00 o'clock p. m., at Seminary Church, in charge of the Rev. J. S. Peebles, pastor. Interment followed in the American Legion Cemetery, near Big Stone Gap.

Harve D. Parsons

Harve David Parsons, 56, a life-long resident of Pennington Gap, died Friday morning, January 5, at the Mountain Home for war veterans at Johnson City, Tenn.

Mr. Parsons had gone to the Home a little more than two weeks ago for a check-up on a heart ailment. On Friday morning he was feeling better than usual, and had been enjoying the company of some friends in the recreation room, when suddenly he complained of feeling sick. He started to return to his room, but collapsed before he reached it, death resulting within a short time. Physicians attributed the cause to a heart attack.

Funeral services were conducted here Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, at the First Baptist Church, in charge of the pastor, Rev P. R. Stubbs, assisted by the other pastors of the town. Burial followed in Cecil Cemetery.

Mr. Parsons was the son of the late John P. Parsons and Emily Yeary Parsons, and had been born and reared in this community. For the last nineteen years he had been tipple foreman at Benedict.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Mary Ann Presnell Parsons; two sisters, Mrs. George Reep, Pennington Gap, and Mrs. Bill Barker, of Big Stone Gap; three brothers, Ray Parsons, of Nashville; John Parsons, of Elizabethton; and Joe Parsons, of Pennington Gap.

Mrs. Al Brown Gilmer

Mrs. Al Brown Gilmer, 70, died in a Middlesboro hospital Saturday night after a lingering illness. Mrs. Gilmer lived for many years in Jonesville, and for the last several years had made her home in Norton. She was the last of the Brown family, and the sister of the late R. L. Brown and the late C. O. Brown, former Jonesville residents.

She is survived by several nephews and by Capt. Paul H. Coldiron, of Fort Ord, Calif., whom she reared from his childhood.

Funeral services were held Monday from the Presbyterian Church at Norton, in charge of Dr. Frank A. Brown, pastor.

C. C. Warden

C. C. Warden, 74, died at his home here Tuesday, January 2. Funeral services were held at the home Thursday, January 4, in charge of Rev. C. D. Mehaffey, pastor of the Pennington Gap Methodist Church. Burial followed in Cecil Cemetery.

Mr. Warden is survived by his widow, Mrs. Rebecca Warden; two sons, Silas and Claude, both of Pennington Gap.

Thomas Bradley Stewart

Thomas Bradley Stewart, former resident of Pennington Gap, died at his home in Pineville, Ky., January 8, at the age of 64. Mr. Stewart, who was a retired employee of the L. & N. Railroad Company, had been in declining health for a long time.

The body was brought to the home of his daughter, Mrs. Arthur Smalley, here, where, on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, funeral services were conducted by the Rev. Russell, pastor of the First Christian Church of Pineville; W. B. Moore, pastor of the First Christian Church of Pennington Gap; and Charlie D. Mehaffey, pastor of the Pennington Gap Methodist Church. Burial followed in Cecil Cemetery. Committal services at the grave were conducted by members of the Masonic Order, and flower girls were members of th Eastern Star.

Survivors are: The widow, Mrs. Fannie Warden Stewart; six daughters, Mrs. Arthur Smalley, Pennington Gap; Mrs. Bradley Jones, Middletown, Ohio; Mrs. Clarence Ramsey, Artemus, Ky.; Mrs. R. T. Hembree, Barbourville, Ky.; Mrs. Masque Pannell, Baltimore, Md.; Miss Nell Jack Stewart, Pineville, Ky; one son, Guy Stewart, Four Mile, Ky. He is also survived by four brothers and three sisters.

News From

"Keep Paper Coming—BOND BUYING GOING"

Somewhere in France,
U.S. Army Signal Corps.

Dear Mr. Blackwell:

I am writing a few lines to express my appreciation of your paper, which I have been receiving for the past year. I like getting the paper, and reading about the good old place I left some time ago.

I have some good friends in Lee County whom I would like to see, and When I get back I will tell them all about this place here.

Hope you will keep up the War Fund back there, so we boys can come back home. Every dollar put into War Bonds will get this war over sooner.

I have some friends here in France that I would like to be with, but can't get in touch with them.

Please keep the paper coming to me, and keep the bond buying going, and we boys will be back in America soon—I hope. I have a brother somewhere in Saipan.

Your friend,
Pvt. A. R. Miles.

"How did you get that beautiful black eye?"

"Well, you know that beautiful blonde whose husband is in China? Well, he isn't in China."

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FOR FURTHER INFORMATION SEE OR WRITE

A. B. Foster

BOX 422-A PENNINGTON GAP, VA.

To Whom It May Concern

By W. L. Jones

LET'S EDUCATE

Much emphasis is placed on grades. History, English and all the rest must be learned in high schools, colleges and university. All this is well and good. These are part and only a part of true education.

There are some very vital things that are neglected. To mention a few, there are: Initiative, dependability, courtesy, worship, and work.

Memorizing dates and formulae are not enough. A parrot or phonograph can do that. The power of inquiry and research develop initiative. To be where he belongs and when he belongs there is one thing the student should be taught. Too often the young person thinks nothing of taking a day off or being late, regardless of how it may inconvenience others. Being on time and dependable are virtues to be taught early in life. Command courtesy, "thank you", "yes, sir", tipping the hat to ladies, living for others instead of for self, are items of importance. The habit of reverence, going to church, reading the Bible, prayer, should be a vital part of any curriculum. Not from a denominational or sectarian point of view, but such as fit into the creed of any denomination. Then, finally, too many think "The world owes me a living". Well, does it? The student owes the world. All the liberties, the great institutions, the libraries and art galleries, the symphonies, aeroplanes, radios, and all that makes life worthwhile have been handed to the new generation at the cost of labor, tears and suffering. The average high school student of today has better advantages than the college graduate had twenty years ago.

The idea back of all education is that the student be prepared to earn his way in the world, to be a better citizen and add to the progress of the republic. May we not suggest that more emphasis be placed on some of the ancient virtues that once made real men!

Any individual not in the armed services, regardless of whether married or single, whose "gross income" was $500 or more during the 1944 tax year must file an income tax return.

State No. 164

REPORT OF CONDITION OF

Lee Bank & Trust Co.

Of Pennington Gap, in the State of Virginia, at the close of business on December 30th, 1944. Made to the State Corporation Commission

ASSETS		
Loans and discounts (including $0.00 overdrafts)	$ 194,969.08	
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	1,296,736.85	
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	74,970.90	
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	19,050.00	
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection	639,243.69	
Furniture and fixtures	2,610.00	
Real estate owned other than bank premises	3,900.00	
Other assets	356.72	
TOTAL ASSETS		$2,231,837.24
LIABILITIES		
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		$1,344,879.13
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	452,151.32	
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	152,143.15	
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	72,890.59	
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	46,196.88	
TOTAL DEPOSITS	$2,068,261.07	
Other liabilities	1,414.99	
TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below)		$2,069,676.06
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS		
Capital*	$ 96,000.00	
Surplus	25,000.00	
Undivided profits	9,052.71	
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred capital)	32,108.47	
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	162,161.18	
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS		$2,231,837.24

*This bank's capital consists of:
First preferred stock with total par value of $46,000, total retirable value $46,000. Common stock with total par value of $50,000.

MEMORANDA

Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):	
(a) U. S. Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities	$ 383,612.71
(b) Other assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities (including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold under repurchase agreement)	28,000.00
(c) TOTAL	$ 411,612.71
Secured and preferred liabilities:	
(a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law	200,178.69
(c) TOTAL	$ 200,178.69
Subordinated obligations:	
(a) On date of report the required legal reserve against deposits of this bank was	175,175.51
(b) Assets reported above which were eligible as legal reserve amounted to	639,243.69

We, M. E. Flanary, president, and W. D. Harr, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

M. E. FLANARY, President,
W. D. HARR, Cashier.

Correct—Attest:

THOS. M. KING
D. C. SEWELL, JR.
M. D. KELLY

M. E. FLANARY
J. B. COX
S. J. SHELBURNE
Directors.

State of Virginia, County of Lee, ss:

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 9th day of January, 1945, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank. FRED L. QUINLEY, Notary Public.

My commission expires January 20, 1947.

News From OAK HILL

Pvt. Earl Fannon is at home for a few days, after which he will report for duty in Camp Beal, Calif.

Mrs. Millard Sage and Mrs. Trenton Mullins have returned from Dayton, Ohio, where they have been visiting Mrs. Sage's sister, Mrs. Jim Livingstone.

Miss Mabel Gillenwater was visiting Miss Jackie Mullins, Sunday.

Echol Roy, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Tobe Davis, is very ill at this writing.

Pvt. Haburn Davis, from the South Pacific, is at home on a 20-day furlough. He has been overseas for more than three years.

Mrs. Daner Munsey was visiting her mother, Mrs. Wright Jones, of Stickleyville, Monday.

Paul Rasnic and Echol Livingstone are busy hauling tobacco to market for the farmers of this section.

Mrs. Devoda Gillenwater and sister, Nona, went to Stickleyvile, Saturday.

Mrs. A. P. Gillenwater has received a letter from her son, David, saying he had landed safely in England.

Surgeon General Appeals For More Medicals Wacs

Never before has the Medical Department of the Army had such an urgent need for women, Major General Norman T. Kirk, surgeon general of the Army, announced today.

Virginia has been leading the nation in recruiting women to serve as medical technicians in Army hospitals, but thousands more are needed.

The general's message, intended for Virginia women, was sent to Captain John E. Brior, who is in charge of WAC recruiting in the State, follows:

"For many of our soldiers this war will never be over. They are done with fighting but they are finding the road back a difficult one.

"Never before has the Medical Department of the Army had such an urgent need for women —women who can help teach the wounded to triumph over pain, discouragement and physical disabilities and who can give them a helping hand in resuming useful, productive lives.

"More than 20,000 women are needed as skilled hospital technicians. The men who need the help of these technicians are depending on your service in the Women's Army Corps to help them on the road back.

"The sooner your services are available the sooner men with the marks of war upon them can return to the pattern of normal living."

PUCKETT'S CREEK

(For Week of Jan. 4)

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Clark and family, of Pennington, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Stapleton; also Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Clark and daughter, Shuron Lee from Denver, Colo.

Lucille Parks and Wanda Dean visited Geneva Stapleton, Sunday.

Harold Newberry, of the U. S Navy, visited at the home of Marcella Sprinkle this week.

Pvt. Ben Cooper and Pvt Clyde Carter have recently been in on furloughs.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Stapleton spent New Year's Day with Mr and Mrs. Asher Garrette, on Stone Creek.

CAM J. LEWIS
PHONE 54
Pennington Gap, Va.

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For Sale

The Mrs. Charlie Collins farm, further known as a part of the Corvey lands; 58½ acres located on the famous Sugar Run Creek, one mile southeast of Hubbard Springs and on east adjoining the famous Yeary Farm, now owned by Hon. J. W. Keller and wife, of Harlan, Ky.

This land contains 8 acres of Sugar Run Creek bottoms, valued at $300.00 per acre, or $2,400; 25 acres good timber and land valued at timber $2,000, the land it stands on, $1,000.... then the 25½ acres bluegrass and cut in two by highway valued at $100 per acre, $2,550; total $7,950. Tobacco allotment, plenty water and electricity; good church and school. Never been priced or offered for sale before 'til now. All above can now be bought for only $6,000.00 cash. Possession at once. You can get it, if someone has not been here first.

Five-room modern home, bath and corner lot. The late I. Kauffman residence, located in best residential section on highway. Corner lot in South St. Charles; $4,000.00 cash or terms. Possession at once.

News From HAGAN

Rev. Hatfield, of Fonde, Ky., and Rev. Floyd Young, of Middlesboro, Ky., preached at the Community Church here Sunday.

Pvt. Joe Fee has returned to Camp Edwards, Mass., after spending a ten-day furlough here with his wife and parents.

Mrs. Henry Irvin, Mrs. Earl Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Gill Hensley and children were shopping in Pennington, Saturday.

Apsy Ely was a busiess visitor in Middlesboro, Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. Floyd Young, of Middlesboro, Ky., and Rev. Hatfield, of Fonde, Ky., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Ely, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Eldridge and family were visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Eldridge, Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Irvin enjoyed a visit last week from her father, who lives in Jonesville, and her brother, Mack Presley, of Maryland.

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE

Powell Valley National Bank

Of Jonesville, in the State of Virginia, at the close of business on December 30, 1944. Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes

ASSETS		
Loans and discounts (including $0.00 overdrafts)	$ 234,279.21	
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	569,932.81	
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	22,162.50	
Corporate stocks (including $1,550.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank	1,550.00	
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance and cash items in process of collection	540,888.98	
Bank premises owned $3,000.00, furniture and fixtures $1,500.00	4,500.00	
Real estate owned other than bank premises	1,320.26	
TOTAL ASSETS		$1,374,632.86
LIABILITIES		
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	$ 904,751.31	
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	265,295.54	
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	54,748.43	
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	88,170.89	
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	5,097.23	
TOTAL DEPOSITS	$1,318,062.80	
TOTAL LIABILITIES		$1,318,062.80
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS		
Capital Stock:		
Common stock, total par $25,000.00	$ 25,000.00	
Surplus	25,500.00	
Undivided profits	10,070.06	
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred stock)	1,000.00	
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	$ 61,570.06	
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS		$1,374,632.86
MEMORANDA		
Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):		
(a) United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities	$ 310,000.00	
(c) TOTAL	$ 310,000.00	
Secured liabilities:		
(a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law	$ 135,963.20	
TOTAL	$ 135,963.20	

State of Virginia, County of Lee, ss:

I, D. C. McClure, president of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

D. C. McCLURE, President.

Correct—Attest

J. O. WOODWARD
W. L. DAVIDSON

R. W. McCLURE
R. C. McCLURE
Directors.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 9 day of Jan., 1945.
R. P. HINES, Notary Public.

My commission expires March 23, 1948.

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News From BLACKWATER

By: Miss Hallie Perry
(For Week of Jan. 4)

Pfc. Andy Johnson, of the U. S. Marine Corps, is spending a 30-day furlough with friends and relatives here. He will return to his new post in Washington, D.C.

Mr. Bozmon and Mr. and Mrs. Lemons, of Knoxville, Tenn., were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sturgil "Doc" Baker recently.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Robinette and daughter, Sammy, spent a few days last week visiting Mrs. Robinette's parents at Lafollette, Tenn.

Mrs. Echel Satterfield and daughter, Vivian, are spending a few days at Great Falls, S. C., with her husband.

C. R. Willis, of the U. S. Navy, who has been serving overseas for several months, is home on furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Willis.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Robinette and family, of this place; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roop and son, of Oak Ridge, Tenn.; Senator Lloyd M. Robinette, of Jonesville, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. Leonord Weatherly and daughter, Mrs. Faye Collier and son, of Big Stone Gap, Va., were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis E. Robinette and son, Christmas.

Mrs. J. M. Walton and daughter, Ruby, of Morgantown, Ohio, are visiting relatives here.

Mr. S. S. Hickam and girl friend, and his sister, Sally Frank, of Oak Ridge, Tenn.; Mr. and Mrs. Dave Kirtley, of St. Charles, Va., were visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hickam, Christmas.

Misses Waive Robinette and Hallie Perry spent Thursday with Miss Reba Watson, at Hunters Gap.

Mr. and Mrs. Newman Munsey, of Jonesville, and Mr. and Mrs. Blair Jones, of Kingsport, Tenn., were visiting their father, Mr. Bradley Walton, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Richardson and children spent a few days at Kingsport with Mr. and Mrs. Kay Miller.

Misses Mary Ruth and Esther sborne, students at L.M.U., spent the Christmas holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Osborne.

Mrs. W. T. Flennor and small daughter, of Kingsport, Tenn., spent the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Fisher.

Mr. Charles Roberts, of Pittsburgh, Pa., is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mac Roberts.

Mrs. Sammy Maples, of South Carolina, was visiting her mother, Mrs. Mattie Roberts, last week.

Mrs. John Russell and children are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Eldridge.

Rev. Pleas Jenkins, Churchill, Tenn.; Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Johnson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Eldridge and children, Mr. D. C. Sanders and daughter, Arneda; Messrs. Doyle McPherson, Parkey Bledsoe and Billy Ray Scott were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Perry and daughter.

Misses Mildred and Eula Ruth Osborne and Messrs. Glen Weatherly and Junior Livingston, of Dayton, Ohio, were visiting their parents through the holidays.

Mrs. James Russell and children, of Kentucky, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Lawson.

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News From JONESVILLE

Route Four
Mrs. G. W. Ball
(For Week of Jan. 4)

Alice Ann and Jeanie, small daughters of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Roberts, who have been ill, are much improved.

The Cracker Poteet family have moved into the Pete Williams property.

Mrs. J. W. Newman, who is spending the holidays in California, writes her husband here that they have a new granddaughter, born to their son and Mrs. Edward Newman, with whom she is visiting.

Lynvil Roberts has returned to Kingsport, Tenn., after having spent last week with his parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Bledsoe and family were guests of Misses Ollie and Pinie Bledsoe, of Wallens Creek, Sunday.

Roy Ball, of Appalachia, visited his parents here during the holidays.

Miss Ruby Ball spent the past week-end visiting friends in Berea before returning to her school in Delmar, Delaware.

A. C. Harirs was on Route 4 Monday.

Mrs. Minnie Wells, of Kingsport, Tenn., visited friends in this commnuity recently.

Word was received here Monday of the death of Mrs. Mary Harris Mitchell, formerly of Jonesville, but who has made her home in Southern Texas for a number of years. She was a sister of the late J. L. Harris, of Jonesville, Route 3.

News From WALLENS CREEK

(For Week of Jan. 4)

Miss Jean Horton, who has been spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Horton, Jr., has returned to Fredericksburg College.

R. P. Parkey, R. C. Watson and R. E. Johnson made a business trip to Jonesville, Saturday.

Mrs. Clyde Collins made a business trip to Pennington, Saturday.

Mrs. Ruthie Collins is recovering from a short period of illness.

Ernest Glass, with the U. S. Army overseas, is reported missing in action.

Miss Maggie Olinger is recovering from a recent illness.

Claude Russell, son of H. P. Russell, spent the past week here with his grandmother, Mrs. Mary Russell.

We are sorry to know that our neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Collins and daughter, are moving away.

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News From EWING

(For Week of Jan. 4)

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Chadwell were in Tazewell, Tenn., on business, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Thomas and daughter, Patsy, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rowland over the week-end, at Loyall, Ky.

Seaman 2-C. Don Harold Rowlette has just completed his boot training at Great Lakes, Ill, and spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Rowlette, at Ewing. He reported back to Great Lakes for further assignment.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Brooks had as their Christmas dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Rowlette and son, Seaman Don Rowlette; Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Thomas and family, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Brooks and family, of Loyall, Ky.; Mr. and Mrs. Huston Rowlette and family. Mr. and Mrs. Dixie Brooks and family. A very delicious dinner was enjoyed.

Jewel [illegible], of Baltimore, Md., has returned to her work after spending the holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Thomas.

Pvt. Charlie Sutton, of Fort Benning, Ga., spent several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Sutton.

Mrs. Jackie Sutton, who has been ill for some time, is able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Brooks and family were visiting in Pineville over the week-end.

A memorial service was conducted at Big Spring Union Church, Sunday, December 31, in honor of S.-Sgt. Arnold Wolfenbarger, who was killed in Germany, November 22.

Pfc. Billy Carmack has been wounded in Germany for the second time.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Britton, of Detroit, Mich., are visiting their parents here.

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News From STICKLEYVILLE

(For Week of Jan. 4)

Mrs. Dorothy Castle Keck visited her parents during the holidays, and has now returned to New Tazewell, Tenn., to resume her school duties.

Miss Dixie Robinette was at home for the holidays, returning January 1 for her work in Kingsport, Tenn.

Pfc. W. D. Castle is stationed at Elgin Field, Fla.

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Social and Personal

Miss Eloise (Boots) Richards has accepted a job as teacher in the Pruden grade school.

Clyde Orr, student of L.M.U., spent last wek with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Orr.

Virginia Tipton, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., spent a few days this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tipton.

Leonard Lambert, of L.M.U., spent last week-end with his family at Woodway.

Mary Anne Laningham is at home for a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Laningham.

By all means see "Secret Command", coming to Lee Theatre, Thursday and Friday, January 25 and 26.

Mrs. Bob Housley, Jr., and son, Bobby, and Mrs. Cecil Shelburne were in Harlan last week.

Ruby Hyden spent last Tuesday night with Irene Williams.

Jenelle Anne Howard visited friends at L.M.U., Wednesday and Thursday.

Miss Hinkle Is Home Economics Teacher

Miss Jeanette Hinkle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Hinkle, graduated from Radford College, Radford, Va., in December, majoring in home economics. Miss Hinkle has accepted the position of home economics teacher in the Spottswood High School, Spottswood, Va.

Reaches His Destination

Mr. and Mrs. Tennessee Gilbert, of Keokee, have received word that their son, Pfc. Charles C. Gilbert, has arrived safely overseas.

Pfc. Gilbert has been in service almost five years; 39 months of which were spent in the tropics, 14 months of this time being spent in the South Pacific under General Douglas MacArthur's command. He returned to the States a year ago, and has returned again overseas for combat duty somewhere in Europe.

NEWLYWEDS

G.M. 3-C. AND MRS. W. H. BROWNING

G.M. 3-C. and Mrs. W. H. Browning, who were married October 18, 1944, were visiting Mrs. Browning's grandmother, Mrs. C. B. Musick, at Dryden, last week. Mrs. Browning was formerly Miss Mary Helen Musick, daughter of Mrs. Thomas J. Davis, of Lynch, Ky.

Mr. Browning is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Browning, of Cumberland, Ky., and is now stationed at Little Creek, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. John Parsons, of Elizabethton, Tenn., and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Parsons and children, of Nashville, were here last week, due to the death of their brother, Harve David Parsons.

By all means see "Secret Command", coming to Lee Theatre, Thursday and Friday, January 25 and 26.

Will C. Turner, St. Charles, observed his 72nd birthday anniversary on New Year's Day, and to celebrate the occasion he invited his seven children and 32 grandchildren to have dinner with him. Also several friends were present. All report a good dinner and a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Parks, of St. Charles, recently enjoyed a visit from their daughter, Mrs. Woodrow Bryant and son, Gene, of Norton.

Mrs. Elizabeth Noel has moved into Pennington Hotel for the winter.

Class Social

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Creech entertained the Ladies' Bible Class, Methodist Church School, at their home Tuesday night, January 9. After the usual devotional period, a recreational program was given, using the New Year motif throughout. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. Elmer Huskey, of Jonesville, Route 2, has returned from Macon, Ga., where she has been visiting her husband, stationed at Camp Wheeler, Ga.

By all means see "Secret Command", coming to Lee Theatre, Thursday and Friday, January 25 and 26.

Promoted

Clyde P. Franklin, of Bonny Blue, Va., has been poromoted to corporal at the Field Artillery School, Fort Sill, Okla., where he is stationed with the 580th Field Artillery Battalion. Cpl. Franklin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Franklin, Bonny Blue.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Carter, who have lived at Calvin for the past fourteen years, have gone to Crumpler, N. C., to make their future home.

Miss Irene Carter, who is attending high school in Ash County, N. C., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Carter, during the holidays. Miss Carter states that she likes her school work very much.

New Baby

A son was born to Chief Petty Officer and Mrs. L. V. Minor on Monday, January 8, to whom has been given the name John Morgan. Mrs. Minor, who was formerly Miss Virginia Quinley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Quinley, is with her parents here. Mr. Minor is stationed in New York, and hopes to get a leave soon to visit with his wife and baby.

Promoted

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Tomlinson received word from their son, Garner C. ("Steve") Tomlinson, telling them of his recent promotion to third class petty officer.

He is stationed in San Diego, Calif., at the U. S. Naval Repair Base in the payroll department. His wife, the former Evalena Pugh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Pugh, of Pennington Gap, is making her home in San Diego while her husband is stationed there. She is employed by the U. S. Naval Hospital as manager of one department in one of their ship's service stores.

Miss Virginia Lee Brooks, cadet nurse at the University of Virginia, attended the annual sweetheart dance and banquet of Sigma Chi Fraternity at Monticello Hotel, Charlottesville, January 6.

Her escort was Robert Alberti, N. R. O. T. C., of University, Virginia. The fraternity was honored by the presence of Captain and Mrs. Williams and Dean and Mrs. Lewis. Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Lewis were made honorary sweethearts for the year.

FEMININE VERSION

And then there was the WAVE who was beseeched to say, when on watch, "Halt! Who goes there?" and not, "Stop! Or I'll scream!"

BAYS — SPRUILL

Mrs. Hayden Bays, of Pennington Gap, announces the marriage of her daughter, Virginia Lee, to Mr. Howard L. Spruill, of Edonton, N. C.

The wedding took place at 5:20 o'clock, December 19, at the home of Justice of the Peace Harry M. Seeley, Elizabeth City, N. C. The ring ceremony was used.

The bride wore a suit of dusty pink, with black accessories. Her corsage was of American Beauty roses and valley lilies.

The attendants were Mrs. G. T. Keyes and Ernest Wand, Jr.

The bride is a graduate of Mangun High School, Bahama, N. C. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Spruill, of Edonton, N. C., and is stationed with the Marine Corps at Edonton, where the couple will make their home.

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Wednesday and Thursday, January 17 - 18
DON AMECHE — DANA ANDREWS
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Friday and Saturday, January 19 - 20
TWO BIG FEATURES
SONG OF NEVADA
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ROY ROGERS — DALE EVANS
Also
MY BUDDY
with
DONALD BARRY
Also Chapter No. 8, Serial
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Sunday and Monday, January 21 - 22
Two Shows Sunday — First Starts At 1:00 P. M.
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TOWN TALK

About This, That, And The Other

In these days of indigestion
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Has a different way to kill us,
And in time they always claim us
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Pennington Or Pennington Gap?

Right much confusion is caused as to whether or not we live in Pennington or Pennington Gap. For instance, if you make a freight or express order to be shipped to Pennington Gap, or wish to check your baggage that way, you are likely to be informed there is no such place.

On the other hand, we go to the postoffice and get our mail directed to Pennington Gap. J. V. Kelly, L. & N. operator, tells us that this discrepancy is due to the fact that the name of the railway station is just Pennington, and the postoffice is Pennington Gap.

Few Boys To Graduate

The mid-term exams for Pennington High School began Monday and ended yesterday (Wednesday).

"We really feel like we're on the home stretch now," one girl said, adding that there were about 47 in the graduating class this year, and only about ten of them boys. Seems like the Army and Navy are nabbing our boys from all walks of life.

To Build Greater

The Methodist Church has started a building fund with which to add additional Sunday School rooms, and probably rooms for other purposes.

The line of least resistance—The cigarette line at Pennington Pharmacy each Wednesday afternoon.

This Cold World!

Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt makes the statement that her bedroom is "like an iceberg" with the new 68 degree temperature; we working women have the same feeling about our offices sometimes—but we just don't hear so much about the boys in the foxholes!

Hawaii On the Air

Paul Ferguson, serving with the armed forces in Hawaii, yielded to the longing for familiar voices Tuesday night by calling his family over long distance telephone. After a brief conversation with his wife, the baby was held up to the phone to call "Hello, Daddy".

Aragram

The Cavalcade Program, 8:00 to 8:30 p. m. (EWT), NBC, on January 22, "Penny Fancy", starring Fay Bainter, tells the story of Public Health Nurse in the Harvard Hospital Unit, England, 1941, and includes an appeal for Army nurses.

Had Typhoid

We were just wondering what had become of our Dry Branch correspondent, Mrs. Edith Astrop when we learned today that she has been ill of typhoid. Glad she is able to be out again.

CONVENTION CALLED OFF

The Virginia Baptist General Association, which was scheduled to meet at Lynchburg, beginning February 20, has been called off, due to the Government order restricting conventions.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Weather Bureau report for the week ending Jan. 14, 1945, for Lee County, furnished by Cam J. Lewis, official observer:

Date January	Temperature Highest	Temperature Lowest	Rainfall Inches and Hundredths
8	49	39	.00
9	45	31	.00
10	35	19	.00
11	22	15	.00
12	43	15	.00
13	48	24	.72
14	50	26	.00

Backward Glance At Events In Lee County During 1944

Powell Valley News Files For 1944 Reveals Week By Week Many Interesting Local Happenings

Nineteen hundred forty-four has faded into history. In looking over the records, as recorded in our issues from week to week, we publish the following survey of local happenings. Not all of them, for often we fail to be informed of deaths, weddings, and other items of interest, and many go unpublished. The first issue of 1944, dated January 6, had the following headlines:

Pfc. Doxie Suttle, Jonesville, killed in accident at Lewis, Delaware.

W. R. Pennington chosen chairman for 1944 in drive against polio.

Chas. H. Henderson, Jr., commissioned lieutenant (jg).

Sgt. Kermit C. Flanary reported killed on December 23, 1943.

Deaths and funerals: Bert Gibbons, 28, Rose Hill; Mrs. Eliza Barker, 83, Dryden.

Mrs. Grace Leigh opens new beauty shop in Pennington.

Lee County Board of Supervisors hold first 1944 meeting on January 3rd.

January 13

Lt. Rhea Hambright, former Lee countian, listed killed in action.

Lee Bank & Trust Company holds annual meeting January 11.

DeLuxe Cleaners under new ownership.

Sgt. James A. Spencer, of St. Charles, awarded D.F.C.

A. K. Garrett, Ben Hur, killed in mine accident January 10.

A. D. Robbins, life-long resident of Lee County, died January 10.

Emmett Bailey, Robbins Chapel, died January 5.

Ewing bank holds annual stockholders meeting January 8.

Basketball conference activities resumed after holiday lay-off.

Powell Valley National Bank hold stockholders meeting January 11.

January 20

Fourth War Loan Drive opened January 18th — $875,000.00 quota.

Jonesville boys upset Flatwood to tie for loop lead. Flatwood boys lose first game in 8 years.

Mrs. Frank Smalley died Wednesday, January 19.

I. Kauffman, St. Charles merchant, died January 18.

Death of Mrs. Maude Ethel Swinney, Jonesville.

Aric Barton, of the Pocket, died January 11.

Women of Virginia going strong in Red Cross war service.

Wedding announcement of Pfc. Doris Cunningham, Jonesville, to Miss Alice Elizabeth Rollins, of Johnson City, on December 22.

Youth Rally at First Christian Church announced for January 29th.

January 27

Estes & Cecil improve their establishment.

Republicans plan precinct meetings to select delegates.

Agricultural Chairman Carter lists War Loan chairmen.

Associational Sunday School Rally at First Baptist Church announced for Sunday, January 30.

Deaths and funerals: Lloyd Smith, 37, Dryden, Jan. 21; Mary Ruth McElyea, infant, Keokee; parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. McElyea.

Lee basketeers start last half of 1943-44 schedule.

Wedding of Lt. Henry S. Shackleford, St. Charles, and Miss Rosalee O'Dowd, Reno, Nev.

February 3

Gulf Service Station damaged by explosion.

Lee Bond purchases in Fourth War Loan to February 1 totaled $185,000.

Lt. Clyde W. Orr promoted to captain.

D. S. Reasor, prominent Lee County citizen, died February 1.

A. T. Pennington, Jr., suffers broken leg.

Five marriage licenses listed for month of January in county.

Pennington and Dryden girls tie for second place in Lee Conference.

February 10

Boy Scouts of America celebrate 34th anniversary, Feb. 8.

Four Lee County boys listed as casualties during week: Pfc. George Edward Adams, St. Charles, killed in action.

Dearl Rogers, St. Charles, reported to have died from Jap atrocities.

Lt. W. C. Jones, St. Charles, reported missing. (Later reported prisoner of war in Germany.)

Cpl. McRay Coffman, Pennington Gap, died somewhere in Italy, January 19.

Bonny Blue over top in Fourth War Loan.

Weddings: Georgie Arnold and Pfc. Wm. Tomaszewski, on January, 28, announced.

February 17

Report of officers and executive committee, American Red Cross, meeting on night of February 11. Purpose of formulating plans for the Red Cross War Fund Drive to start March 1.

Lt. Wayne W. Livesay gets Oak Leaf Cluster.

Police Chief Pace does excellent clean-up job; makes ten arrests during month.

Edsel Pugh attends conference in St. Louis and Des Moines.

Pennington boys take first place in cage conference.

Section flooded by heavy rains, accompanied by wind and thunderstorms.

Lee County F.F.A. Federation organized.

Deaths: Creed Fulton Thomas, 75, Woodway; Eliza McFarland, 68, Ben Hur; Wm. Boyd Davidson, 68, Jonesville.

Earl Laningham advanced to Deputy Grand Master.

February 24

Wayne W. Livesay promoted to first lieutenant.

W. L. Tinsley new addition to P. V. N. staff.

Lee County Conference first division basketball teams play week-end games.

Boards Nos. 1 and 2 send many for induction and pre-induction.

Cpl. Ray D. King receives the Purple Heart.

Weddings: Miss Anna Stapleton and Harold Kirk, both of St. Charles, on February 19.

Deaths: Mrs. Elizabeth Legg Gates, Keokee; died Feb. 16.

The Cam J. Lewis family called to Harlan on account of the death of Mr. Lewis' brother, Fred L. Lewis.

March 2

Lee Countians buy $400,692 in War Bonds during Fourth War Loan Drive.

Democratic mass meeting called for March 4th at Jonesville.

Maj. Clyde L. Pennington, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Pennington, of Pennington Gap, promoted to lieutenant colonel.

Six marriage licenses listed for February in clerk's office at Jonesville.

Kermit L. Mullins promoted to corporal.

Republicans nominate Ralph L. Lincoln for Congress, Ninth District, at Bristol, February 26.

Sgt. Jack Reasor, son of Mrs. D. S. Reasor, promoted to staff sergeant.

Lt. Vernon Sexton, former Bonny Blue resident, reported killed in action, Jan. 20, 1944.

Navy announces openings for 17-year-old men.

Wedding announcement: Miss Lucy Ann Scott, of Big Stone Gap, and James Roy Kelly, of Dryden, married January 24th.

Defeat of Pennington boys causes three-way tie for first place in basketball conference.

Deaths and funerals: Mrs. Hattie A. L. Sally, Benedict, died February 25th.

Harrison Childress, Wallens Creek, died February 20; Louise Jackson, 82, near Jonesville, died February 1; Alvin W. Sproles, Pennington Gap, died February 24; Lon Boyd Hall, Jonesville, died February 23; Ralph W. Thompson, Pennington Gap, R 1, died February 27.

March 9

Lee County severely damaged by tornado Saturday, March 4. Considerable property damage at Rose Hill, Flatwood, and other points in lower end of county; many persons narrowly escape death, with 82 reported injured.

Red Cross established relief office in Jonesville.

Vaughan Brothers become new residents of Pennington, to operate Pennington Milling Co.

Pvt. Charles Redwine reported wounded in action in Italy.

John P. Smith promoted from private to private first class.

Lee cagers close season Friday; tournament to start March 17th.

Weddings: Virginia Quinley and L. V. Minor were married at the Methodist Church, March 2.

Deaths and Funerals: Kemp Hall, Jonesville, Route 4, died February 22.

Earl Mahan, eight-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Mahan, Blackwater, died February 27.

Mrs. Hannah Cecil, former Pennington Gap resident, died at Norton, March 3.

Mrs. Jim Owens, Pennington Gap, died March 4.

March 16

Lee basketball tournament announced to open Friday morning, March 17. Eight high schools to be represented.

Local Red Cross chapter has organization meeting, March 13.

Ben Hur Scouts chartered.

Clyde McElyea suffers loss of fingers in mine accident.

Rev. W. B. Moore seriously ill.

Rex Harding Grabeel appointed officer awarded silver wings with the rating of pilot, on March 12.

Home Makers sponsor tea for Red Cross.

Movement on foot to make Camp Ground a training center for young folk.

Boards Nos. 1 and 2 list many pre-inductions.

Flight Officer Bill Goins receives pilot wings.

Charles E. Pennington becomes flight officer.

Edward Bacon receives pilot wings at Sumner, N. M.

Deaths and funerals: Sam Warf, Ewing, died March 10.

Dr. Palmer Hines, brother of Carl B. Hines, of Lee Drug Co., dies at Abingdon, March 12.

Infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Haskins died March 11.

March 23

Rehabilitation plans for Lee County tornado victims announced.

John W. Flannagan, Jr., renominated for eighth term in Congress.

Blue Diamond Coal Company begins new development at Caryville, Tenn

Equipment and drillers arrive from Kentucky to begin drilling new oil well near Rose Hill.

Pvt. Palmer H. Diffenderfer, Jonesville, reported killed in action February 28.

Claude C. Davis, Hagan, promoted from second to first lieutenant.

Pvt. Eugene Clark reported missing.

Phillip Pitts, St. Charles, commission second lieutenant, AAF.

Pfc. Ralph O. Robinette promoted to corporal.

Lt. G. R. Ellison missing in action; brother wounded.

Deaths and funerals: Maggie Rasmic Hughes, Dryden, March 19; Wm. Nelson Burchette, of Jonesville, March 15; Mrs. Lucinda Carter, St. Charles, March 15; Infant Dixon, Benedict, on March 1; Billy Wayne Bishop, three-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Bishop, St. Charles, March 15.

Pennington Lions played a lively baseball game March 30.

March 30—Service Edition

Keokee girls, Pennington boys, win Lee County cage titles.

Kirk triplets were one year old March 28.

OCD sponsors "I-Day" meetings to be held on Invasion Day.

Lt. Livesay awarded second Oak Leaf Cluster.

Lt. Bill Jones reported war prisoner in Germany.

Cpl. Ray B. King awarded the Purple Heart.

Staff Sgt. Judy Carter sails for overseas service.

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Hospitalized In England

M. SGT. BOB A. SUTTON

M. Sgt. Bob A. Sutton, son of Allen Sutton, of Ewing, was wounded while in Army service in France, and is now in a hospital in England, where he is reported improving. He writes that he hopes to be back in action soon.

M. Sgt. Sutton is a brother of E. P. Sutton, Ben Hur, and Hubert Sutton, of Baltimore, Md. He enlisted in the Army October 8, 1940.

Pennington Lions Club Holds Meeting Jan. 11

The new membership drive which was launched during the month of December by the Pennington Lions Club, has increased the membership to 32 active members, and one member-at-large—Lion C. Beacom Waddell, now serving with the armed forces somewhere in the European theater of operations.

New members initiated into the Club at last Thursday evening's meeting were:

A. S. Pennington, of the M. D. Collier Furniture Corporation; J. Wade Parsons, office manager, Pennington Hardware & Furniture Co.; C. L. Fletcher, owner of Fletcher's Dry Cleaners; and C. M. Berry, manager, D. Cury's Department Store, Pennington Gap.

Visitors at this meeting included: Pvt. N. H. (Puley) Kauffman, who has just returned from several months in Alaska, now visiting his brother Lion Guy A. Kauffman for a few days; F. M. Smalley of Old Dominion Power Co.; and A. B. (Salty) Foster, who represents the Meade Corporation in this territory, and who is also the very efficient basketball coach at Pennington High School.

Mr. Foster brought before the Club the urgent need for shower baths for the basketball teams, and was assured by the Club of their support in obtaining this long needed necessity.

Awards were made to winners in the membership drive. First award, an Eversharp pen and pencil set, donated by Lion Jack Pearce, went to Lion J. M. Anderson.

Second award—two cartons of cigarettes or the equivalent thereof, donated by Lion President R. G. Pugh—went to Lion M. H. Robbins. From what we saw of this award it was the "equivalent thereof", but was greatly appreciated by Lion Robbins, although he does not smoke. He said he could easily find a place for the award among his friends.

I.O.O.F. Celebration At St. Charles, January 20

Jessee Lodge No. 285, St. Charles, will celebrate Thomas Wilder's birthday anniversary on January 20 with a joint meeting of Odd Fellows and Rebekahs.

This is the 126th celebration of this great man's birthday since the founding of the Order, and all members of both I.O.O.F. and Rebekah Lodges in the county are urged to attend.

Singing and speaking are included in the program, and refreshments will be served.

Ellis Roberts, D.D.G.M.

Revival At Stickleyville

Rev. Hagan and Rev. George Gibson, of St. Charles, are holding a revival at Blue Springs Church. Everyone invited to attend.

Ad Rogers, Oak Ridge, Tenn., spent last week-end with his wife, the former Miss Mary Pinkston.

Sixth War Loan Most Successful 1944 Drive

YOUNG MINESWEEPER

SEAMAN KENNETH E. LIGHT

Seaman 2-C. Kenneth E. Light, of Pennington Gap, is in service somewhere in European waters, as a crew member of a U.S. Navy minesweeper.

Kenneth graduated from Pennington High School, May 26, 1944, and enlisted in the Navy June 6, with only a few days' vacation in between. Outside school hours, while in Pennington, he worked in Pennington Hardware & Furniture Store.

He is a brother of Mrs. Pearl Zion, of Pennington Gap, with whom he always made his home.

Seaman Light took his boot training at Camp Peary, Va., later going to Boston Receiving Station, then back to Norfolk, where he was assigned to his ship.

First Christian Church

Sunday, January 21: Bible School, 10:00 a. m., Frank M. Smalley, Supt. Worship with communion, 10:45. Sermon subject: "Christian Education". Special music: Solo by Arthur Lane Livesay.

Endeavor Societies meet at 6:15 p. m., Mrs. Ruth Shelburne Keith, Supt. Sermon subject: "Tragedy of Neglect". Members are expected, friends invited.

W. B. Moore, Pastor.

First Baptist Church

Sunday morning, January 21. Sermon subject: "The Morning Star". Sunday evening: "The Tongue".

Special music at both services. The Pennington High School Glee Club will sing at the evening service. Regular mid-week prayer service.

P. R. Stubbs, Pastor.

Pvt. Homer Kinzer Reported Missing

Pvt. Homer Kinzer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emory Kinzer, Jonesville, has been missing in action in Belgium since December 18, 1944, according to a telegram from the War Department to his mother, dated January 4.

Pvt. Kinzer has been in service since December 19, 1942, and prior to his enlistment helped his parents on the farm.

Cpl. Jack Pennington Reported As Missing

A message came to Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Pennington, of Ben Hur, Tuesday, Jan. 9, notifying them that their son, Cpl. Jack Pennington, serving with General Patton's Army in Germany, is missing in action.

Cpl. Pennington is about 27 years of age, and has been in service nearly four years. He has been overseas about one year. At one time, before going overseas, he served as a guard at the White House, Washington.

His brother, Pvt. G. R. (Doc) Pennington, is here for a brief furlough from Moore's Hospital in North Carolina, where he spent several months from an attack of malaria.

Seaman James E. Moore Is At Home On Furlough

Seaman 2-C. James E. (Jimmy) Moore has just completed his boot training at Great Lakes, Ill., and is at home on furlough with his father, Rev. W. B. Moore, and family.

Seaman Moore enlisted in the Navy November 1, 1944. He will return to Great Lakes on January 25 for further assignment.

182 Per Cent Over-Bond Quota Exceeded By 137 Per Cent

Individuals and corporations in Virginia made War Bond investments during 1944 aggregating $653,135,089, the largest sum ever subscribed in the State in any one year in the history of war financing, Dr. Francis Pendleton Gaines, of Lexington, chairman of the War Finance Committe For Virginia, declared after an analysis of the official reports from the Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond.

Three war loans—Fourth, Fifth and Sixth—were conducted in 1944, the first and perhaps the only time that three drives will be attempted in any one year, Dr. Gaines pointed out.

The Fourth campaign, held in January and February, resulted in sales totaling $184,857,169, or 130 per cent of the quota; the Fifth, in June and July, $220,342,879, or 140 per cent of the quota; and the Sixth, in November and December, $247,935,040, or 182 per cent of the quota.

All quotas in the Fourth campaign were exceeded, except the quota of other Bonds for individuals, E Bonds excluded. The State over-subscribed all quotas of the Fifth and Sixth campaigns.

"We offer our grateful thanks to the thousands of volunteers in the cities, towns and counties who labored untiringly, in the cold of the winter and in the heat of the summer, to establish this great record," Dr. Gaines said. "Virginians have done more than merely meet their financial obligations to their government in this time of war; they have exceeded them by some thousands by wide margins. We know this news will warm the hearts of every Virginia fighting man and woman.

"But while we pause to take pride in this remarkable achievement, there is nothing in the present course of the war, especially the European phase, to lead anyone to believe that further Bond buying can be curtailed. As long as there is fighting, there must be Bond buying to provide our fighting men and women and those of our Allies with the fighting tools to hammer out victory.

"May we therefore not wait until the next war loan to buy additional Bonds, but keep on buying through payroll savings and through the purchase of extra Bonds whenever possible. As usual, each city, town, and county in Virginia will have monthly quotas to meet until the next drive. It is equally important to hold on to the Bonds we have already purchased."

Jonesville Soldier Killed In France December 15

Pvt. Harry Williams, of Jonesville, Route 1, was killed in France on December 15, 1944, according to report of relatives. Pvt. Williams had been overseas about five months, first landing in Italy, and from there to France.

He was the son of Mrs. Ellen Williams, now residing in Appalachia.

Resign From College To Enter Armed Forces

Jimmy Tom Bassingham, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bassingham, and Henderson Graham, son of Bradley P. Graham, both of Pennington Gap, are among the young men who have answered the call to service, even at the sacrifice of college. They enlisted in the Navy, taking their physical examinations at Roanoke on Monday, and from there were assigned to Bainbridge, Md., for boot training.

Jimmy Tom was a student of Riverside Military Academy, at Gainesville, Ga., and Henderson was in Hiwassee College at Madisonville, Tenn.

Misses Jewel Lucas and Helen Middleton attended a musical concert at Lincoln Memorial University last Saturday night.

Jenelle Howard left last Wednesday to visit her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Pat C. Gibson, of Dayton, Ohio. She visited friends and former classmates at Lincoln Memorial University before going on to Dayton.

Backward Glance At Events In Lee County

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Weddings: Miss Opal Stewart, of Pennington Gap, to Pfc. Wayman Burden, of Bonny Blue, on March 3rd.

April 6—Easter Edition

Knights Templar Easter Observance announced to be held at the Methodist Church, Saturday night, April 8, and at First Baptist Church, Sunday morning, April 9th.

Post-Easter religious campaign planned by Methodist pastors.

Earl C. Laningham named on Southwest Virginia Board, National Affairs Committee.

Pennington Gap goes over the top in Red Cross War Fund.

Rebekah Lodge instituted on April 1.

Grandma Kelly honored by church ladies on her 93rd birthday.

Change in postal rates became effective April 1.

Pfc. Wm. Keith Hilton graduates from California school; Pfc. E. L. Evans graduates from replacement unit.

Weddings: Miss Margaret Haynes, of St. Charles, to Edward Kirby, of the U. S. Coast Guard, on March 26, announced.

Deaths and funerals: Ralph Howard Johnson, mine foreman, killed April 1 in mine accident.

C. A. Bales, Rose Hill, died March 25; Henry M. Stanley, Ewing, died March 21; Linda Sue Osborne, three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Talmadge Osborne, died April 2.

Annual bull sale at Ewing, on April 4.

April 13

Lee County visited by two violent windstorms during week. Many homes in community wrecked and damaged.

Wave of car thefts sweeps community.

Revival in progress at Methodist Church, conducted by the Rev. G. W. Atkinson, of Jonesboro, and Rev. Dan L. Jones, of Greeneville, Tenn.

Staff Sgt. Roy E. Welch reported killed in action February 20.

P. H. S. seniors attend Vocational Guidance Program at L. M. U.

Strike threat faces Old Dominion Power Company.

Charles A. Sprinkle, promoted from second to first lieutenant.

Kemmerer Gem union exceeds Red Cross quota.

Weddings: Miss Mildred Reasor, formerly of Dryden, to Ralph Zubke, of Michigan, on April 8.

Deaths: Enoch Smith, Stone Creek; died April 12.

April 20

X-Ray Clinic announced for April 24-27, at local Methodist Church.

Rudy Parsons reports for duty in Pacific Coast League.

P.H.S. defeats St. Charles 17 to 8 in first non-conference tilt.

Twelfth anniversary of the pastorate of Rev. W. B. Moore observed at the First Christian Church, April 16.

Local Board No. 2 sends many for pre-induction.

Otto H. Bryant promoted to staff sergeant.

Wedding of Miss Helen Duff, Johnson's Mills, Tenn., to Sgt Hiram Aulbert Lewis, formerly of Keokee, on March 16, announced.

Miss Gertrude Warner, Supervisor Mountain Missionary Work of the Covenant Church, leaves for a visit with her parents at Lincoln, Neb., prior to her marriage to Rev. Arnold Johnson in June.

Deaths and Funerals: Edward Crider, of St. Charles, died April 17; Mrs. Cynthia Myers, Hagan, died April 13; Mrs. Callie Statzer, Pennington Gap, died April 16; Martha Edith Lee, Rose Hill, died April 16.

April 27

Lee soldier relates vivid picture of death in combat. This is a thrilling story of how a soldier feels on getting his first man; also of how he "prays and means it". If you happen to have the April 27 issue you will find it interesting to re-read this article.

James Earl Mullins, Duffield, drowned in Wallens Creek.

St. Charles "Tuts" defeats P. H. S. 14 to 4 at St. Charles.

Marshall E. Stanley, former Lee Countian, fatally injured in motorcycle accident. Died in a Norton, Va., hospital.

Other deaths: Mrs. Matilda Quesenberry, Miller's Chapel.

May 4:

Story of Rev. T. W. Nelson, now a Jonesville pastor, receiving National Hero Award in November, 1936, for rescuing two men from a mine room at Bonny Blue, saving them from possible fatal injuries from a mine blast.

Henry Goins takes over Virginian Cafe.

Eastern Star banquet and inspection meeting held April 28.

Party of four leave for Hot Springs, Ark., May 3: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fletcher, James Cox, Mrs. Kate Green Russell.

Weddings: Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Stella Newman, formerly of Pennington Gap, to Mr. William Guenzel, of Long Island, N. Y., on April 11.

Lions Clubs hold annual zone meeting at Appalachia.

Deaths: William Sherman Ely, Pennington Gap, on May 1.

May 11

Keokee leads Lee Baseball Conference undefeated.

Fifth War Loan organization for county under way.

Mrs. Joseph Payne goes to Detroit for medical treatment.

Four Lee Countians reported missing in action.

Lt. Livesay awarded third Oak Leaf Cluster.

John W. Laningham promoted to captain.

Deaths: Mrs. Rhoda Johnson, Blackwater; Mrs. Mittie Walton, Blackwater; Infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Barnes, Ewing.

Mrs. C. D. Mehaffey, Mrs. C. E. Gardner, Mrs. C. W. Adams and little daughter, Sally Ann, and Mrs. Lettie Shufflebarger start on a litle Western hike (by auto).

May 18—School Edition

Le County's 78 schools finish 1943-44 term next wek. Eight high schools to award diplomas with fitting final exercises. Graduating plans and dates announced in this issue.

Lee High School Baseball Conference enters final week.

St. Charles semi-pros play for first time in years.

Deaths: Mrs. J. Marion Smith, Woorway, died May 15.

May 25

Lonesome Pine League is reorganized; four teams enter.

Meeting to formulate plans for election on wet-dry issue held at First Baptist Church, May 21. Dr. Bolt, Harlan, chief speaker.

Scouts hold camporee at Roaring Fork.

Dr. Setzler attends Grand Commandery at Culpeper, Va

Mrs. E. E. Skaggs named home secretary, Lee County Chapter, American Red Cross.

John R. ("Bobby") Barton commissioned second lieutenant

Pvt. Frank J. Greer, Jonesville, reported missing in action.

Closing exercises at Flatwood High School. Exercises of P. H. S announced for Friday night, May 26.

Keokee and Flatwood were winners in week's high school baseball.

Hobart L. Russell, Jr., commissioned ensign in the U. S. Naval Reserve.

Edsel Pugh wins public speaking award at Lynchburg College.

Weddings: Miss Eura Wacks, formerly of St. Charles, to Cpl. James Francis Scott, of Brownsville, Texas; Miss Mary Alice Carter, St. Charles, to First Class Petty Officer G. L. Cook, at Norfolk Va., on February 27.

Ensign Carl Flanary, Jonesville promoted to lieutenant (jg)

Deaths: Mrs. Rebecca West, Stone Creek, on May 4; Mrs. James Sexton, Ben Hur, May 12; Gregory G. Galloway, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Galloway, Sr., of St. Charles, on April 27; Pete Risco, Darby, on May 10; Carol Dean Johnson, two-months-old, St. Charles, on May 16; Infant of Mr. and Mrs. John F. McPherson, of St. Charles, May 16; Henry Logan Doan, St. Charles, May 17; Mattie Lou Hartsock, Leona Mines, May 18.

June 1

James M. Slemp elected to high office of Junior Order, U. A.M. of A.

District Conference convened at Methodist Church May 30-31. Dedication of St. Charles Methodist Church, May 29.

Fred Welch succeeds Enos Pace as chief of police.

Cumberland Coach Co., buys Tri-State lines.

Registration for canning sugar set for June 12-13.

Flatwood High School wins Lee County baseball title.

Lonesome Pine opens: winners, St. Charles, Harlan, Stickleyville.

Weddings: Miss Jean Patricia Wilkes, of Belleville, N. J., to Sgt. James L. Begley, Jonesville.

Deaths: James A. Fulton, of Pennington Gap, died May 21; Curtis Newman killed in mine accident May 30.

June 8

Fifth War Loan Drive announced to start Monday, June 12, with quota of $350,000.

Democratic mass meeting called for Saturday, June 17.

Staff Sgt. Ronald Elkins, of Jonesville, receives Air Medal.

Maj. F. B. Rowlette promoted to lieutenant colonel.

Seven marriage licenses issued in county for month of May.

Weddings: Miss Minniesue Kelly and Cecil Shelburne, May 26; Miss Hazel Ellison, formerly of Pennington Gap, to Robert Grimshaw, Rutherford, N. J., on May 27.

Stickleyville leads Lonesome Pine League; win 16 to 1.

Mrs. and Mrs. John G. Hughes receive messages from the War Department that their son, Pfc. Willard Hughes, was wounded in action overseas May 29, and that another son, Sgt. Elmo Hughes, was seriously ill in a Texas hospital. Elmo died in the Walter Reed Hospital later, and Willard was killed after recovering from his first wounds.

Lee County Circuit Court convened at Jonesville.

Jonesville W. S. C. S. sponsors silver tea.

June 15

Fifth War Loan Drive off to splendid start.

Three third-term Mayors elected in county: E. E. Parsons, of Pennington; Charlie Wheeler, of St. Charles; and O. M. Hyatt, of Jonesville.

Brackston Bays, of Hubbard Springs, drowned near Flatwood, Saturday, June 10.

Ace writers - cameramen cover sect rites.

Bonny Blue to receive War Bond sale citation.

Many Lee Countians register for canning sugar.

Henry Goins takes over Whiteaker restaurant on Railroad St.

Four teams tie for Lonesome Pine League lead.

Pvt. Fred Lawson, Jonesville, listed as killed in war zone, May 20.

June 22

Cpl. James R. Sewell killed in highway accident June 16, while at home on furlough.

New oil well started on farm near Jonesville.

Heat wave broken by severe storm.

Selective Service Board changes location of office from Town Hall to North Railroad Street

J. E. Laningham goes to Republican National Convention in Chicago

St. Charles won in game with Middlesboro, 12-2, June 18

Weddings: Miss Lucille Orlelle Cunningham, Jonesville, to Lt. Robert B. Brewer, May 11

Deaths: Hiram Ely, Pennington Gap, died June 9, Silas Parsons, Jonesville, died June 11; Jake Roberts, killed in an industrial accident at Monroe, Mich., June 2, returned here for burial; Mrs. Robert Chumley, Crummies Creek, Ky., June 12.

June 29

Conley Pearl Moore, baseball player, killed in highway accident June 25th.

Plans complete for Fourth of July celebration at Big Stone Gap.

Revival in progress at First Baptist Church, conducted by Rev. J. Ernest Wren, of Wise.

Gibsons go out of hotel business, Barlows in.

Capt. G. W. Hines died in Bristol, June 28.

Pvt. Paul Coffman, Benedict, reported killed in Italy, June 1.

Sgt. Clyde W. Hobbs is Axis prisoner of war.

Homecoming celebration at Woodway announced for July 2

July 6

Lt. Chas. H. Henderson, Jr., Bonny Blue, reported killed in action.

Mrs. Mary Lambert, Jonesville, killed in highway accident July 4th.

M. S. Culbertson buys Monte Vista Hotel at Big Stone Gap.

Keokee opens series at St. Charles.

Guy L. Pugh, St. Paul, dies of heart attack June 29.

Other deaths: James T. Cope, Bonny Blue, June 20; Billy Morris Cravens, Bonny Blue, June 8; A. T. Ely, Sr., Pennington Gap, June 22; William E. Phillips, Keokee, June 28; Mrs. Mary Keel, Jonesville, Rt. 4, June 28.

Weddings: Miss Tincie Doss to Cpl. Brownlow Ely, June 9; Miss Irene Smith to Cpl. Charles Shillings; Miss Zelma Carroll, Jonesville, to Sgt. James C. Wade, Brunswick, Ga., June 16; Lt. Johanna I. Balas, San Antonio, Tex., to Lt. Arnold Payne, Pennington Gap, May 19. Lt. Balas is a member of the Army Nurses' Corps.

Six marriage licenses in the county are listed for the month of June.

July 13

Lee County Fair set for August 28 through September 2.

Fifth War Loan quota short $75,000.

Pennington Hotel under new management of Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Bailey.

Hon. T. B. Fugate and Dr. W. C. Caudill were delegates to the Democratic State Convention at Roanoke, July 8.

Tri-State-Cumberland Bus Terminal moved to corner room in the Dr. Tritt Building, just above Lee Drug Store.

Roller Building purchased by Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Shelburne.

Cpl. Harry V. Kinzer, Jonesville, promoted to sergeant; also awarded Air Medal.

Sgt. James Spencer, St. Charles, awarded Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to Air Medal.

Deaths: Charlie Fleenor, St. Charles, July 10; Carrie Elizabeth Parks, Puckett's Creek, July 9; Sarah Carter, St. Charles, July 11; Mona Sue Ball, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Ball, Kemmerer Gem.

Weddings: Miss Pattye Louise Williams, Derby, to Alvin Taylor Roberts, July 7; Mrs. Ethel Robinson and Byron Fugate, both of Rose Hill, June 29.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Jessee announce the engagement of their daughter, Anna Ruth, to Lt. Wayne W. Livesay.

July 20

Tech. Sgt. Elmo Hughes died in Army hospital July 18.

Anna L. Dulaney, 2nd Lieut., Army Nurses' Corps, wins Air Medal award.

Sgt. L. M. Parsons with twice-cited Bomb Group.

D.A.R. Chapter meets at Cumberland Gap.

Children's Home Society Drive for funds in progress.

July 27

Robert S. Graham named head of public school body; T. B. Fugate, chairman Lee County Committee.

Mrs. Jack Sage, Duffield, seriously hurt in auto accident July 23rd.

Dr. M. H. Robbins named member of Welfare Board.

Mrs. Lavina Johnson, Ben Hur, found dying at home early Tuesday morning, July 25th.

Pfc. Bill Lawson and Pfc. Tom Housley both reported missing in action.

Sgt. Arthur H. Warf, Ewing, awarded Combat Infantryman Badge.

Eugene Sexton, Jonesville, promoted to corporal.

James C. Latimor, noted newspaperman, died in Richmond on July 21.

August 3

Paramount makes movie at Stone Creek, Sunday, July 30.

James Stanifer, Jonesville, drowns while wading in Powell River.

Jonesville Woman's Club sponsors paper drive.

Pennington Gap Lions elect new officers.

Pvt. Verlin V. Skidmore reported killed in action June 24.

Southwest Virginia I.O.O.F. to observe anniversary at Woodway August 13.

Navy quota for 17-year-old enlistees increased.

Marion T. Hines, Jonesville, listed in war's casualties; reported killed in Italy, July 10.

Drouth broken by light rainfall.

Deaths and funerals: Ezra Mullins, Ocoonita, died July 29; Mrs. Mary Jane Carnes, Pennington Gap, July 29.

Tech. Sgt. Cecil E. Kennedy, Keokee, awarded second Oak Leaf Cluster.

Lt. (jg) Carl F. Flanary, of Jonesville, cited for gallantry.

Lt. Neal B. Keys, Rose Hill, cited for merit in action.

August 10

1944-45 public school teachers announced.

Fifth War Loan Drive exceeds quota by a large sum.

Pfc. Willard Hughes reported killed in Italy.

Cam J. Lewis appointed to assist unemployed ex-service men

J. F. Brummitt, local minister, died suddenly August 6.

Weddings: Miss Nancy Sevier, Shawanee, Tenn., and Cpl. Dan P. Richmond, Ewing, married July 25th.

Pfc. Ballard S. Flanary, Jonesville, reported missing in action.

Miss Almeda Lee Drummond, formerly of Pennington Gap, married to George Barnard Martin in Baltimore, May 25th.

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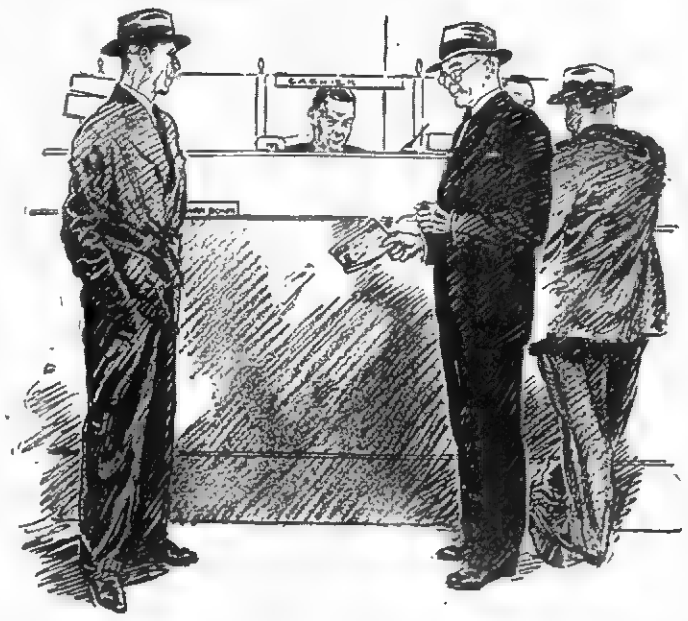

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Backward Glance At Events In Lee County

(Continued from page 2)

Engagement of Miss Noreen Marion Grainger, of Crystal, W. Va., to Lt. Warren C. Evans, formerly of St. Charles, announced.

Mrs. Susan Smith, Jonesville, died August 4.

August 17

Everybody getting ready for the big Lee County Fair; many attractions added to program.

Ewing Livestock Market reports good sales.

Lt. R. H. Watson, St. Charles, awarded Air Medal and Cluster.

New Tri-State bus line: one bus to run from Pennington Gap through Woodway, Stickleyville, Pattonsville and Kingsport.

Staff Sgt. Pearlie Ellis Smith, Keokee, reported killed in France on July 17.

Deaths: Sarah Yeary, Turner's Siding, died July 26; Sarah Conatser, St. Charles, died August 2; Wanda Jean Durth, two-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Durth, St. Charles, died August 6; Mrs. David Mise, Jonesville, died August 14; Nicholas William Pope, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pope, Leona Mines, died August 15; Wm. Jessee Hester, St. Charles, died August 9.

August 24

Jonesville Camp Meeting begins.

Former Bonny Blue couple, Mr. and Mrs. George Willis, found dead in their apartment at Detroit. Bodies returned here for burial.

Lt. Wayne W. Livesay reported missing.

Staff Sgt. Shelburne Stamper reported seriously wounded.

Pfc. Joe C. Warner, Jonesville, reported missing.

Geo. W. Carroll, of Bluefield, guest speaker at a homecoming service at Bethel Church at Hubbard Springs, Sunday, August 20.

Cooperative credit for farmers in drouth area established.

Charles R. Collier advanced to rating of Chief Petty Officer.

Weddings: Miss Virginia Jeanette Bailey, Dryden, to Merrill Merchant, of South Mills, N. C., on August 19.

Deaths: Olen C. Gibson, Norton, died August 18.

August 31

Lee County Fair opens with record attendance.

Lee County public schools open.

Pfc. Ballard S. Flanary, Jonesville, reported killed in action in France, June 13.

Information given regarding mailing Christmas gifts to men overseas.

Staff Sgt. Jack Fortner, former Benedict mine foreman, reported killed in action August 4.

Henry H. Anderson, Blackwater serviceman, promoted from captain to major.

Miss Cuma Harber, now Mrs. Leonard Hays, opens new store in Pennington.

Deaths: Mrs. Mary Bell Andis, formerly of Jonesville, died August 24; Gloria Jean Johnson, eight-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson, Leona Mines, died August 25th.

September 7

Clarence Crusenberry fatally wounded by gunshot at Turner's Siding, Sunday, September 3. Bert Buchanan charged with the shooting.

Pfc. Lucius Lawson, Pennington Gap, reported missing. He was later reported killed.

Prosecution faced by parents in school cases; Supt. Shelburne urges parents to send children to school.

Rabies reported in Lee and Wise Counties.

Tech. Sgt. C. E. Kennedy reported killed in action, Aug. 12.

Lonesome Pine League ends successful season.

Fair closed September 2; was successful, despite heavy rains.

Pfc. Jack Sprinkle reported dead from wounds received in battle.

Lt. Wayne W. Livesay reported Axis prisoner of war.

Samuel Poteet, Jonesville Rt. 4, promoted to sergeant.

Staff Sgt. Frank M. Hawks awarded Air Medal.

Six marriage licenses issued in county for month of August.

Cadet Robert C. Osborne commissioned as lieutenant.

Pfc. Lloyd Livesay, Jonesville, wins good conduct medal.

Deaths: Lee Reece, former Mayor of St. Charles, died suddenly Sept. 6; Eddie Lee Hobbs, Pennington Gap, died Sept. 6; W. B. Merriman, Jonesville, died suddenly Sept. 2.

September 14

Disastrous fire hits St. Charles; six homes burn as block is destroyed.

J. H. Bailey leaves KU; is succeeded by Howard Asher.

Polio cases in Virginia reach new high total.

Brother of Mrs. W. D. Harr dies in Bristol.

D. W. Kelly graduates at NTS as storekeeper.

Weddings: Miss Noreen Grainger, of Crystal, W. Va., to Lt. Warren C. Evans, St. Charles, on Sept. 7; Miss Mary Ella Hall, of Dublin, Va., to Ensign Berhard M. Alderson, also of Dublin, on August 9.

Deaths: James Bell Horton, former Virginian, died at Ravenwood, Mo., Sept. 1; Mrs. Minnie Q. McNiel, Jonesville, died Sept. 11; James M. Daugherty, Pennington Gap, R.F.D., Aug. 23.

September 21

Staff Sgt. Julian Carter reported killed in action August 27.

Pfc. Lucius Lawson reported killed August 21. Pfc. Lawson was first reported missing.

Pennington Lions enjoy barbecue dinner.

Lester Parsons, Pennington Gap, died from mine injuries.

Samuel C. Hobbs, Rose Hill, promoted from first lieutenant to captain.

Pvt. Bascom J. Bryant, Ewing, listed killed in action in the Mediterranean area.

John W. Litton wounded in France.

Weddings: Miss Ruth Ann Stout, Pennington Gap, to Rev. Glenn F. White, Louisville, August 26; Miss Helen Fay Underwood, of Salem, to Martin F. Zion, F. 1-C., on August 24. The groom is a son of Mrs. Gertrude Fry, formerly of Pennington Gap.

Deaths: George Pace, Blackwater, died September 9; Dr. Earl N. Moody, Bluff City, Tenn., Sept. 18. Was former resident of Lee County.

September 28

Commissioners named in wet-dry angle: Attorney Guy A. Kauffman, Pennington Gap, and Attorney W. L. Davidson, Jonesville, to determine whether or not petitions bear sufficient number of legal voters.

Service Flag dedicated at High Top, September 22.

Air Medal for Tech. Sgt. R. P. Crowell.

St. Charles and Oreton win out in L. P. semi-finals.

Weddings: Miss Stella West, Pennington Gap, to Pfc. Frank C. Dean, stationed at Fort Benning, Ga., on September 19; Miss Nelle Smith, Pennington Gap, to Sgt. L. J. Stewart, of Harlan, on September 17; Miss Ola Newberry, Supt. of Knoxville General Hospital, to George Galandis, of Knoxville, September 16. Mrs. Galandis is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Newberry, Pennington Gap; Marion Hope Denny, Ph.M. 2-C., (WR), U.S.N.R., to Thomas Richardson Ford, Ph.M. 1-C, U. S. N. R., on August 17; Mrs. Maggie King and Frank Smalley, both of Pennington Gap, September 21.

Perle A. Sorah, Keokee, promoted to staff sergeant.

October 5

Cpl. Paul Morris killed in aircraft accident September 28, at Kingman, Ariz. Body returned here for funeral and burial.

U.S.O. National War Fund Drive on.

C. C. Youell, superintendent, Imperial and Monarch mines of Blue Diamond Coal Co., transferred to Leatherwood, Ky.

P. T. A. District Meeting October 6th.

Pfc. Eugene Johnson, of St. Charles, awarded Bronze Star.

Only four marriage licenses issued in county during September.

Bonny Blue Community Church elects officers.

Weddings: Miss Elrica Harvey, of Radford, formerly of Pennington Gap, and Mr. John Allen Young, of Bassett, Va., on September 15; Miss Dorothy Castle, Stickleyville, to Seaman 1-C. Forester F. Keck, of Newcastle, Tenn., on Sept. 4; Miss Helen Housley, formerly of Pennington Gap, and Ensign Shelton Hutchinson Butt, married at Oak Ridge, Tenn., Sept. 30.

Deaths: Mrs. Margaret L. Zion died at her home at Woodway, Sept. 21; Barbara Diane Rowe, six-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rowe, Kemmerer Gem, died Sept. 22; Leslie Charles Parsons, of Pennington Gap, died Sept. 19; Mrs. Lena S. Frady, died at Asheville, N. C., Sept 22; body returned here for funeral and burial; Infant twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Burke, Jonesville, Died Sept. 20; Mrs. Chad Howard and infant died at home on Puckett's Creek, Sept. 16; Mrs. Willie Phillips, Stickleyville, died Sept. 16; Joe Curtis Myers, six-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Milford Myers, of Pennington Gap, died Sept. 23.

October 12

War Fund quota in county only half met.

Nationwide fire prevention week observed.

Sgt. Roy J. Myers awarded combat decorations.

Tech. Sgt. Crowell gets Oak Leaf Cluster.

Graves of distinguished Virginians to be marked.

Weddings: Miss Virginia Crumley, of Dandridge, Tenn., to Staff Sgt. Willard Glenn Leeper, on September 9. The Crumleys formerly lived in Pennington Gap; Miss Stella Kleineck and Sgt. Charles L. King were married Sept. 9; Miss Ruth Barron Rosenbaum, of Jonesville, and James Morris Snodgrass were married Sept. 22.

(More on page 6)

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Other Bonds and Securities	59,461.59
Loans	867,333.29
Overdrafts	236.81
Banking House, Furniture & Fixtures	46,880.91
Real Estate Owned	10,247.95
Other Assets	167.21
	$5,205,571.18

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Capital	$ 100,000.00
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Undivided Profits	42,096.88
Reserves	75,156.63
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Wounded

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Pennington received a telegram from the War Department announcing that their son, Gene, was recently wounded in Germany.

During 1943, the equivalent of 221 average sized classrooms of children between the ages 5 and 14 years were killed in accidents, the National Safety Council reports.

St. Charles Or Flatwood Boys to Lose Loop Lead

All Girls' Teams Showing Improvement St. Charles Is Now In Second Place

A vicious battle still rages for top slot in the boys' division of the Lee County Conference cage circuit. The Jonesville and Flatwood boys won another each last week to remain undefeated, with four consecutive wins, while St. Charles came out of the coal country to win a pair to also join in the undefeated tie for first place in the league standing.

In the girls' division, stronger competition is constantly developing toward finally crushing the three years of perfect ball played by the Keokee lassies, but considerably more strength must be developed before they fall. Their high scroing record is being reduced, but their excellent defense keeps them in the win column—their toughest struggle coming Friday night at Jonesville, when the Capital Hill girls held them to a 16-12 game, almost upsetting their apple cart. Honors were practically even in the scoring parade, with Arnett leading for Keokee. Free baskets netted most of the scores.

The Jonesville boys remained tied for the league leadership by defeating the Keokee boys 23 to 11, with Martin leading the winners' tally sheet and Hensley sharing top honors for the visitors, and almost an upset for half, and almost an upset for Jonesville.

The St. Charles High boys and girls did the iron man stunt of the week in the Conference, winning two games each in their respective divisions. The boys defeated Blackwater 37 to 25 on Tuesday, making up an unplayed game in December that was redated because of frigid weather, with the St. Charles girls making it full measure by defeating the Blackwater girls 55 to 37. Williams, Hilton and Kirk shared equal scoring honors for St. Charles, looping 8 points each, while Creech led for Blackwater with 15. Parsons led the coalfield girls with 24 points, followed by Willis with 20. Lawson looped 23 for Blackwater, followed by Sanders with 10.

The Friday double schedule at Pennington Gap was also won in two of the most exciting games of the week. The St. Charles girls emerged with a two-point lead to win 29 to 27 as the final whistle saved the day, the St. Charles boys following with a 22 to 19 victory over the fast improving Pennington Boys. Bailey led the scoring parade for the Pennington girls with 11 points, followed by Stanley with 10. Parsons led St. Charles with 14; Jones had 9. Williamson led the Pennington boys on the offensive with 10 points; Kirk topped St. Charles with 9.

Thomas Walker won a double bill over Blackwater at Thomas Walker. The girls were victorious by a count of 42 to 23, with Lee leading the winners with 22 points, while the Walker boys kept the honors of victory at home with a very close 22 to 20 win. Keys led the winners, with Creech tops for the losers.

The Dryden girls showed every indication of returning to their normal stride with a 37 to 27 win over Flatwood. The visiting boys successfully regained lost honors with a couterattack which netted them a 27 to 9 win over the Dryden boys.

The coming week-end will bring together some top notch teams. Top duels are expected between Jonesville and Pennington at Pennington. Either St. Charles or Flatwood must drop from the undefeated tie for top slot when they meet at Flatwood, Thomas Walker has a chance of surprising results in their contests with Keokee, while Dryden nad Blackwater will play two very interesting games at Blackwater.

THE OFICIAL STANDING

Boys	W	L.	Pct.
Jonesville	4	0	1.000
Flatwood	4	0	1.000
St. Charles	4	0	1.000
Thomas Walker	2	2	.500
Keokee	1	3	.250
Pennington	1	3	.250
Blackwater	0	4	.000
Dryden	0	4	.000

Girls	W	L.	Pct.
Keokee	4	0	1.000
St. Charles	3	1	.750
Jonesville	2	2	.500
Pennington	2	2	.500
Dryden	2	2	.500
Thomas Walker	2	2	.500
Blackwater	1	3	.250
Flatwood	0	4	.000

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our friends for their kindness and expressions of sympathy in the death of our husband, son-in-law and brother, Harve D. Parsons.

We especially want to thank the members of the choir, the ministers who conducted funeral services, and all who donated the beautiful floral offerings.

Mrs. H. D. Parsons
Mrs. Jane Pressnell
Mrs. George Reep
Mrs. Bill Barker
John, Joe, and Ray Parsons.

Clyde Orr, a student of L. M. U., was at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Orr, last week-end.

Seaman James Stapleton Missing, Navy Reports

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Stapleton have been notified that their son, Seaman James Stapleton, is missing. James, who is about 24 years of age, was said to have been aboard one of the trio of U. S. destroyers lost in a Pacific typhoon recently. He is a former student of Pennington High School and has been in naval service Since May, 1944.

James' father is employed by the Old Dominion power plant office at Pocket.

Miss Howard Resigns

Miss Jenelle Ann Howard has resigned her position as teacher in the public schools of Overton County, Tennessee, to accept a position with the McCall Publishing Company, Dayton, Ohio.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Howard, of Pennington Gap.

G. W. Young, Jr., is here from Alabama, visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Young, Sr.

Today and every working day of the year, 17 more American working men have unnecessarily lost the sight of one or both eyes as the result of occupational hazards, according to the National Safety Council.

Pvt. James E. Huskey, Jonesville, Route 2, has just completed an eight-day furlough at home with his wife and children. He has completed his basic training at Camp Wheeler, Ga., and has gone to Fort Meade, Md., for further assignment.

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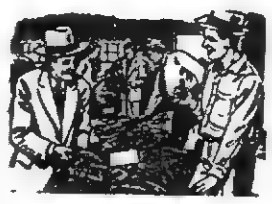

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DEATHS AND FUNERALS

Joie Hazel Inman

Joie Hazel Inman, St. Charles, died at Lee General Hospital, January 9, 1945, at the age of 23. She had been ill for about four days. The body was taken to Williamsburg, Ky., for funeral and burial.

Surviving are: The husband, W. L. Inman, of St. Charles; the father, J. H. Smith, of Williamsburg, Ky.; three children, Dora Christine, Raymond and Chester Inman, of St. Charles; three brothers, Troy Smith, Williamsburg, Ky.; Sgt. Stanley Smith, U. S. Army; Arnold Smith, Detroit, Mich.; three sisters, Mrs. Rilla Cox, Corbin, Ky.; Mrs. Aunda Davis, and Mrs. Haschel Kelly, of Williamsburg, Ky.

Mrs. Sarah Hargraves

Mrs. Sarah Hargraves died at her home near Rose Hill on Monday, January 15th ,following a long illness.

She is survived by the following sons and daughters: John Hargraves, Rose Hill; Mrs. Hattie Myers, Bristol; Mrs. Fannie Weston, Jonesville; Mrs. Minerva Harris and Mrs. Laura Tomlinson, of Rose Hill; Mrs. Lace Coles, Wallen Creek; White Hargraves, manager of Benedict Coal Company store at Benedict; Neal Hargraves, somewhere in Tennessee.

Burial was in Silver Leaf Cemetery.

Mellie Jessee

Mellie Jessee, a farmer living near Jonesville, died in Lee General Hospital, Sunday, January 14, following only a few days' illness.

He is survived by his widow; five children, one son and four daughters. The son, Clyde, is with the U. S. Navy. The parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jessee, of Pennington Gap, Route 1, also survive.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cluseman, in Poor Valley, conducted by Rev. Clinton Green. Burial in Cecil Cemetery.

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Lee County Woman's Republican Club Accepted

The Lee County Woman's Republican Club has been accepted and is now a member of the NationalFederation of theWoman's Republican Club of America. The Lee County Club is under the leadership of the following officers:

Mrs. Milford Martin, Jonesville, chairman; Mrs. Jake Howard, Pennington Gap, vice chairman; Mrs. Pearl Ewing, Jonesville, secretary and treasurer.

More hours of darkness in winter mean more danger from blinding headlights. The bright driver will dim his lights.

New Church Building Erected At Rose Hill

A new Methodist church building has been erected at Rose Hill, Route 2, in the White Shoals community, to replace the one destroyed by the tornado last March.

The church is said to be a nice, modern building; is clear of all indebtedness, including the piano, and will be dedicated some time in the spring. The first Sunday school was held in the church last Sunday, January 14, with a good attendance.

Rev. M. H. Rambo is pastor of the church, and the building committee included Rhea Hyatt, Walter Smith, Columbus Jerrell, and Cecil Thompson.

New Tobacco Growers Must Act Promptly

Growers of flue-cured and burley tobacco who are eligible for new grower allotments in 1945 must file their applications with county AAA committees prior to February 1, the State AAA Office says.

The announcement that marketing quotas will apply on these two types for the marketing year 1945-46 specified that five per cent of the national marketing quota be made available for establishing new farm allotments. This amount will be in addition to the announced quota.

To be eligible for a new farm allotment either the farm operator or the person growing the tobacco shall have had experience within the past five years in growing tobacco, shall be living on the farm, and largely dependent on the farm for his livelihood.

News From WALLENS CREEK

(For Week of Jan. 11.)

Misses Mary Lou Russell and Ruby Johnson, Messrs. Othie Collins, Wayman Gibson and Millard Edwards were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Edwards last Sunday.

Miss Ruby Johnson plans to go to Kingsport, Tenn., to spend a few weeks with her aunt, Mrs. W. F. Fleenor.

Porter Russell and Henry Edwards made a business trip to town Saturday.

We are glad to have as new neighbors Mr. and Mrs. Henry Edwards and little son.

C. T. Combs made a business trip to town Saturday.

News From HAGAN

Miss Eula Mae Ely, of Alisonia, Va., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ely.

Miss Betty Ingle spent Sunday with Misses Ruby and Ruth Ely.

Mrs. Sanders Grable and Children, of Rose Hill, spent the week- end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gill Hensley.

Mrs. Hack Saine, Oak Ridge, Tenn., visited here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Myers, last week.

Mrs. Bill Oaks, of Pleasant View, visited her son, Allen Oaks, and family here Sunday.

Herbert Gilliam, of Flatwood visited his grandmother, Mrs. Mary Watkins, Sunday.

Miss Gladry Myers, of Bonny Blue, spent Wednesday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Myers, at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Cam Harber, of Hubbard Springs, visited Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Fee here Sunday.

Miss Sarah Ellen Harber, of Hubbard Springs, spent Tuesday night here with her sister, Mrs. Joe Fee.

Homer Ingle spent Sunday with Paul Ely.

Dr. Polly Heads Appalachia Insurance Agency

Adington Insurance Agency, Inc., Appalachia, Va., held its annual meeting of stockholders on Tuesday evening, January 9, 1945, when the following directors were elected:

H. C. Bolling, J. D. Broadwater, B. H. Crizer, W. A. Jones, O. F. Kilbourne, A. S. Pennington, Charles K. Polly.

Reports indicated that earnings for the year just ended were above the average and a substantial dividend was paid.

The new directors elected the following officers to manage the affairs of the company for the coming year: Charles K. Polly, president; H. C. Bolling, vice president; J. Lincoln Kiser- secretary - treasurer.

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There have been, in the past year, ever one hundred good people in all walks of life who have told him: "If you ever get a nice home and four or five acres of land on highway with lights and water, close to church and school, let us know and we will buy it." So at last he has captured such a place. So here it is:

Six-room home, five acres level land and one acre woodland. With barn that will hold one acre of tobacco. This place located one mile east of Dryden, Va., 500 feet off new highway; watered by well, cistern and right to pipe line from a spring on the mountain; and electricity in home.

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PHONE 54, BEFORE SOMEONE GETS AHEAD OF YOU!

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Bring us your Tobacco Immediatly after this sale, when we will have

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We solicit your patronage on our past record for top prices and friendly service to every grower.

Sales on the New Tazewell Market have been higher this week than at any time during this sales season.

I'll Be Looking For You

WON'T YOU HELP?

THEY call it "The Crippler." For it leaves in its wake twisted bones and paralyzed muscles. Some of its victims die. Most recover and many recover completely. Hospital care is long and expensive. When an epidemic strikes, as it did last year, hundreds of victims might not get that care except for one thing — your support of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

The Foundation will one day conquer "The Crippler." As it provides the healing facilities, it carries on continuous research. That, too, takes money. So once each year, culminating in a series of President's Birthday Parties, it asks your contribution.

State and county organizations conduct the solicitation and retain half the money for local hospitalization and research. The remainder serves as a great pool of health insurance which assures every victim of infantile paralysis, regardless of means, the best care medical science can provide.

If you are not solicited, mail your subscription to your County Polio Fund Chairman. Do your share during the campaign — January 15 to 31 — to end the terrible toll in human lives and suffering exacted by "The Crippler."

Give At Least A Dollar!

OLD DOMINION POWER COMPANY
Incorporated

Backward Glance At Events In Lee County

(Continued from page 3)

Deaths: Mr Arlene Edens, Keokee, died September 29.

October 19

Rev. Mehaffey reappointed local Methodist pastor for fourth term.

Pfc. Perry Carter, Jr., of St. Charles, and Lt. Phillip Pitts, also of St. Charles, reported "killed on duty".

Reports show National War Fund Drive far short of goal.

St. Charles had small blaze on Tuesday, October 17.

Air Medal for James C. Stewart, Keokee.

Sgt. Raines Robbins, Ben Hur, promoted to present rank.

Death of Thomas B. Quinley occurred on October 15.

October 26

Two arrests made in death of Coy Bishop, whose mangled body was found on railroad track east of Pennington Gap.

County far behind in War Drive.

Lester Robbins killed when car overturns.

P. T. A. elected officers for ensuing year, Tuesday, Oct. 24.

C. L. Fletcher, Big Stone Gap, purchases DeLuxe Cleaners.

Creech Tire & Supply Company opened on Railroad Street.

Sgt. Mike Johns, Jr., completes fifty combat missions.

Weddings: Virginia Lee Stacy, Pennington Gap, to Melvin Geo. Willey, Lincoln, Neb., on Oct. 21; Miss Cuma Harber, Pennington Gap, Route 1, and Leonard Hays, St. Charles, October 22.

Mrs. Christine Bowman called to Lafollette, Tenn., on account of the death of her mother-in-law, Mrs. Millard Bowman.

November 2

Virginian Theatre at St. Charles badly damaged by fire.

Staff Sgt. Cecil E. Kennedy, Keokee, killed in action.

County library again in operation

Rev. T. C. Miller, former Pennington Gap pastor, becomes an Army chaplain.

Sgt. Dan P. Richmond, Ewing, reported missing.

Tech. Sgt. R. B. Pennington, Woodway, awarded Oak Leaf Cluster.

Lee County banks win Bankers' Association "1,000 - plus" award.

Pvt. Marion B. Hobbs, Hagan, awarded AAF Technician Badge.

Death of R. D. Carter, 89, at Blackwater, November 2.

November 9—Election Week

Roosevelt wins fourth term to Presidency; John W. Flannagan, Jr., re-elected to Congress for his eighth term.

Clyde Sexton seriously shot at Bishop's Store; Clyde Young is charged with the shooting.

Mrs. Mabel Martin, Ewing, killed in automobile wreck.

Tech. Sgt. R. B. Pennington awarded second Oak Leaf Cluster.

Pf Pearl M Morton, Jonesville, wounded in service, another brother dead from pneumonia.

Weddings: P.O. Harold Denny and Miss Margaret Wynn, St. Charles, married October 30.

Deaths: Mrs. Dora Martin Brooks, Ewing; H. C. T. Richmond, Ewing; Bobby Lee Newton, six-months-old son of Mr and Mrs. John Newton, St Charles, died Oct. 31; Harvey Lee Flanary (colored), Dryden, died November 6.

November 16

County organization for Sixth War Loan complete; drive to start next week

Masonic meetings and hunting trips on schedule of several local citizens.

Encampment Branch of I. O. O. F. instituted.

Sgt. Frank M. Hawks awarded second Oak Leaf Cluster.

Maj. Francis V. Blanchard, formerly of Rose Hill, decorated at Memphis.

Many X-rayed by Lee County Tuberculosis Association.

November 10 feeder calf sale at Ewing very satisfactory.

Weddings: Miss Alma Thomas Price, of Decatur, Ala., to Pfc. Orville P. Kelly, of Pennington Gap, on No. 6; Miss Iris Campbell, of Biloxi, Miss., to Vernon C. Hobbs, Pennington Gap, on Nov. 13.

Deaths: Charles F. Lambert, Blackwater, died Oct. 31.

Forty-nine men listed to fill the December draft call.

Tech. Sgt. Benjamin S. Adkins, Blackwater, reported dead from battle wounds on Aug. 6.

November 23

Fall Carnival at Town Hall on November 17 successful affair.

Pfc. Hayden Johnson, Jonesville, reported seriously wounded.

Vallie Lane, Fountain City, Tenn., killed in automobile accident near Ben Hur.

Pfc. Claude Graham reported Axis prisoner in Germany.

Revival in progress at First Christion Church, conducted by Box Evangelistic Party.

First snowfall today.

Deaths: Roy Everette Price, former Lee Countian, died in Dayton, Ohio; funeral from home on Nov. 4; Clifford Oody, Leona Mines, killed in mine accident Nov. 20; L. L. Horne, died Nov. 19th.

November 30

Basketball Conference to open December 8. All schools to play full schedules.

Warehouses in Southwest Virginia and East Tennessee open for burley tobacco sales.

Sixth War Loan Drive begun November 20.

Virginian Theatre to re-open December 1.

December term of Court to open Monday.

Six marriage licenses issued in county for month of October; two in November.

Twin sons born to 17-year-old couple, Pfc. ad Mrs. Hubert Cox.

Urgent demand for additional Navy chaplains.

Important revision in social security.

Deaths: Mrs. Z. E. Hobbs, of Pennington Gap, died Nov. 24.

December 7

Methodist Church meets $2,500 in Crusade campaign.

County far behind in sale of E Bonds.

Greater draft calls expected in Virginia.

Staff Sgt. Willard K. Satterfield reported killed in France.

Pfc. Roy Eldridge, Jonesville, gets Bronze Star.

Masons elect offcers for ensuing year.

Youth Crusade at St. Charles.

Farm leaders set production goals.

Deaths: Funeral for Mrs. Minnie Davis Raines held Dec. 1; Gordon Bailey, local resident, died Dec. 3; Mrs. Arlena M. Woodward, Burkhart's Chapel, died Nov. 28; Mrs. Mary R. Hill, Duffield, died at age of 95; C. P. Horton, Wallens Creek, died Dec. 4. Mr. Horton was chairman of the Lee County School Board.

Wedding announcement of Miss Ida Beck, of England, and Sgt. Paul Hampton, formerly of St. Charles, on May 11.

December 14

Southwest Virginia, East Tennessee tobacco sales opened Dec. 7. High prices prevailed on all markets.

Lee Cage Conference opened in full swing.

Southwest Virginia in grip of extreme cold wave.

Christmas observances in full swing.

James Q. Roop, Jonesville, commissioned second lieuteant.

Staff Sgt. Ernest Glass wins Air Medal award.

Cpl. George E. Wynn, Jonesville, wins Good Conduct Medal, Bronze Star.

Elmo Keels heads AM vets organization.

Deaths: Rev. A. M. Kirk, local resident, died Dec. 13; C. L. Dougherty, Scott County's veteran Circuit Court Clerk, died Dec. 10, at Gate City; R. H. Kilby, veteran printer and newspaper man, died at his home in Gate City, Dec. 13.

December 21

"E" Bond sales in Lee County still lagging.

Cold weather causes injury to many.

Staff Sgt. Shelburne Stamper and Staff Sgt. Lawrence Robbins home on leave.

Tobacco markets close for the holidays.

First Lieut. S. F. Andis promoted to captain. He is from Jonesville.

Pfc. Ben C. Lewis awarded Infantryman Badge.

Jonesville boys take top slot in cage loop.

National Bible reading resolution passed by Senate.

Emmett Robbins killed in collision at Benedict.

Christmas Seal sales in county reports good.

Deaths: G. W. Pennington, local citizen, died Dec. 18; Andrew M. Minton, Jonesville, died suddenly Dec. 17; Gilbert M. Knight, pioneer newspaper man and editor, died at Big Stone Gap, Dec. 14; Pvt. Robert C. Marion reported killed in action October 23; Mrs. Laura Kauffman, St. Charles, died Dec. 17; Mrs. Martha Grabeel, Rose Hill, died Dec. 14; Infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Nelms, Appalachia, died Dec. 17. Body brought here for funeral and burial.

December 28

Dan Reasor, 17-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Reasor, Big Stone Gap, seriously wounded while hunting.

Capt. Charles W. Willoughby, Jonesville, reported missing in action.

Lt. R. H. Watson, St. Charles, awarded the DFC.

Twin sons born to Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Barnette, Woodway.

Staff Sgt. Ray Province reported killed in action Dec. 2. Parents live at St. Charles.

Tech. Sgt. R. P. Crowell is awarded third Oak Leaf Cluster.

Pvt. Daine Parker, Jonesville, twice decorated for gallantry.

E. R. King, local merchant, died Dec. 28.

Other deaths: Margaret Jane Harlass, Wallens Creek, died Dec. 26; Henry Adams, St. Charles, died Dec. 28.

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Friday and Saturday, January 26 - 27
PIN UP GIRL
—starring—
BETTY GRABLE — MARTHA RAYE
JOHN HARVEY
News and Comedy

Friday and aSturday, January 26 - 27
DOUBLE FEATURE
HOPPY SERVES A WRIT
—with—
WILLIAM BOYD — ANDY CLYDE — JAY KIRBY — JAN CHRISTY
—also—
PRAIRIE CHICKENS
—with—
JIMMY ROGERS — NOAH BEERY, JR.—JOE SAWYER — JACK NORTON — MARJORIE WOODWORTH—ROSEMARY LAPLANCHE
Latest War News

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Pennington, Gap, Va.
Matinees Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday, 2:00 p. m.
Continuous From 12:00 On Saturday

TWO GIRLS AND A SAILOR
Monday and Tuesday, January 22 - 23
—with—
JUNE ALLYSON — GLORIA DeHAVEN— VAN JOHNSON — JIMMY DURANTE
News and Shorts

Wed., Jan. 24—BARGAIN DAY—14c and 20c
TAKE IT OR LEAVE IT
—with—
PHIL BAKER — EDWARD RYAN
MARJORIE MASSON
Also Chaper No. 2, Serial
"LOST JUNGLE"

Thursday and Friday, January 25 - 26
SECRET COMMAND
—with—
PAT O'BRIEN — CAROLE LANDIS
CHESTER MORRIS
Latest War News

Saturday, January 27 — DOUBLE FEATURE
SONG OF NEVADA
—with—
ROY ROGERS — DALE EVANS — MARY LEE
—also—
NIGHT OF ADVENTURE
—starring—
TOM CONWAY — AUDREY LONG
EDWARD BROPHY
Also News and Shorts

VIRGINIAN THEATRE
ST. CHARLES

Friday and Saturday, January 19 - 20
TWO BIG FEATURES
SONG OF NEVADA
ROY ROGERS — DALE EVANS
Also
MY BUDDY
DONALD BARRY
Also Chapter No. 8, Serial
"FLYING CADETS"
First Show Starts 11:00 A.M. - Through 11:30 P.M.

Sunday and Monday, January 21 - 22
Two Shows Sunday — First Starts At 1:00 P. M.
BATHING BEAUTY
with
RED SKELTON
IN TECHNICOLOR
MONDAY SHOW STARTS 11:00 A. M.

Tues., Jan. 23—BARGAIN DAY—14c and 20c
FIRST SHOW 11:00 A. M.
DEAD MAN'S EYES
—with—
LON CHANEY - JEAN PARKER - PAUL KELLY
Also Chapter No. 8, Serial
"DESERT HAWK"

Wednesday and Thursday, January 24 - 25
DAVID O'CONNER — JACK OAKIE
—in—
MERRY MONOHANS
A MUSICAL COMEDY

Friday and Saturday, January 26 - 27
TWO BIG FEATURES
ALLEN LANE
—in—
Stage Coach To Monterey
—and—
TAKE IT OR LEAVE IT
—with—
PHIL BAKER
Also Chaper No. 9, Serial
"FLYING CADETS"
First Show Starts 11:00 A.M. - Through 11:30 P.M.

Sunday and Monday, January 28 - 29
TWO GIRLS AND A SAILOR
VAN JOHNSON — JUNE ALLYSON
Harry James and Xavier Cugat Orchestras
MONDAY SHOW STARTS 11:00 A. M.

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St. Charles, Va.

ST. CHARLES GROCERY & FEED CO.
St. Charles, Va.

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Bonny Blue, Va. Leona Mines, Va.

CHARLIE HYDEN'S STORE
Woodway, Va.

FLETCHER DRY CLEANERS
Pennington Gap, Va.

ST. CHARLES FUNERAL HOME
St. Charles, Va.

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Ewing, Va.

LEE BANK & TRUST COMPANY
St. Charles, Va.

GRABEEL & ROWLETTE
Rose Hill, Va.

POWELL VALLEY NATIONAL BANK
Jonesville, Va.

RICHMOND HARDWARE
Jonesville, Va.

Social and Personal

Visits At Home

A. J. Ely, QM. 2-C., son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew J. Ely, completed a ten-day furlough with his parents and relatives at Dryden. He volunteered for service in March, 1942; received his basic training at Bainbridge, Md., then was assigned to the U.S.S. Nevada and served with this ship until transferred to the U.S.S. Gantner. He served with this ship during the invasion of France.

After completing four major engagements in both the Pacific and Atlantic, he was transferred to Miami, Fla., where he has been serving as an instructor. Ely hopes to return to sea duty soon.

Pfc. William R. Carter, formerly of Pennington Gap, and now somewhere in the South Pacific, has been promoted corporal, according to letters received by his father and sister, who state that they are very proud of him.

Don't fail to see "Barbary Coast Gent", showing at Lee Theatre on Thursday and Friday, February 1 and 2.

Mrs. Campbell Witt and little daughter, Oretta, of St. Charles, visited her sister, Mrs. John Harris, and family, at Elizabethton last week.

Miss Sue Smalley has returned to her studies at Radford College, Radford, Va., having come home on account of the death and funeral of her grandfather, Bradley Stewart.

Home Again

Pvt. Howard Surber, of St. Charles, is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Martin Surber, this week; also his two sisters. Pvt. Surber served one year overseas, and now is stationed at Fort George G. Meade, Md.

Wins Good Conduct Medal

Pfc. Howard G. Garrett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Garrett, Route 2, Jonesville, has been awarded the Good Conduct Medal for "exemplary behavior, fidelity and efficiency", according to an announcement from headquarters of a P-47 Thunderbolt Fighter Group that is strafing and dive-bombing German strongpoints in front of the U. S. First Army.

The Jonesville soldier, a squadron ammunition technician, was employed on his father's farm until he entered the Army in April, 1943.

To Become A Beautician

Mrs. Amy L. Chapman left the first of the week for Knoxville, to take a course in the Knoxville Beauty School. Miss Irene Russell is there taking the same course. Mrs. Chapman is a daughter and Miss Russell is a niece of Mrs Z. C. Flanary.

Don't fail to see "Barbary Coast Gent", showing at Lee Theatre on Thursday and Friday, February 1 and 2.

Earl C. Laningham made a business trip to Richmond last week. He was accompanied as far as Kingsport by Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Overbay, Sr., who spent a few days visiting with their son, Paul L. Overbay, and family, and their daughter, Mrs. Julian King, and family.

Don't fail to see "Barbary Coast Gent", showing at Lee Theatre on Thursday and Friday, February 1 and 2.

Staff Sgt. Edward Parsons is spending an 18-day furlough here with his wife and little daughter, Kay. They spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Parsons, at St. Charles, and have also been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Stapleton and Mrs. Jennie Parsons, on Puckett's Creek.

Mrs. W. M. Coffman, of Richmond, Ind., who has been seriously ill, is much improved, according to her brother, G. C. Skaggs, of this place. The Coffmans formerly lived here.

In Atlanta

Rev. Charlie D. Mehaffey is in Atlanta, Ga., this week, attending a Ministerial Training Conference.

Rev. John Harris and family, of Elizabethton, recently spent several days with their parents on Stone Creek and at Bonny Blue.

Gene Hilton left Sunday to visit his mother and other relatives in Dayton, Ohio.

Curtis Chinault, a student of Maryville College, returned to school Wednesday, after a month's vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Finley Napier have heard from their son, Pvt. Clarence Napier, who arrived in England some days ago.

Petty Officer and Mrs. Lemar Brooks left for New York. P.O. Brooks was at home on a 30-day furlough, after serving twenty-two months overseas. Mrs. Brooks the former Miss Aleen Hyden, accompanied her husband back to New York.

Leonard Lambert returned to L. M. U., Monday, after spending the week-end with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Brannon, of Woodway.

Sgt. Jack Stacy arrived home Tuesday for a visit with his wife, Virginia Lou King Stacy, and daughter, Nina, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Stacy. Sgt. Stacy has been stationed in Louisiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen McDaniel and family have returned to Dayton, Ohio, after spending a few days with relatives here.

Mrs. F. W. Burchette and daughter made a business trip to Harlan, Ky., Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Burchette have received word that their son, Sgt. George L. Burchette, is somewhere in England.

Miss Eula Burchette has returned to Dayton, Ohio, where she is employed, after a visit here.

Back Home

Mrs. O. T. Gibson is back at her duties as teacher in Pennington High School, after a two and a half months' visit with her husband, stationed with the U. S. Navy Hospital, Long Beach, California. Her little son, Tommy Price, was with her. Mrs. Gibson reports a fine time visiting the various points of interest in California.

Mrs. C. H. Howard, of Kingsport, spent last week here with relatives and friends. Mrs. Howard was formerly telephone operator here.

Was Home For Christmas

Henry E. Greer, E.M. 1-C., was at home Christmas enjoying a 30-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Greer, Pennington Gap; also his sister and brother, who live in Chicago.

He has had 28 months of duty in the South Pacific, and was given a new assignment when he reported back to the West coast. Before entering service he was employed as a stationary engineer in Chicago. This was his first leave since entering service April 17, 1942.

BONNY BLUE THEATRE
Wed., Thur., and Friday
January 24 - 25 - 26

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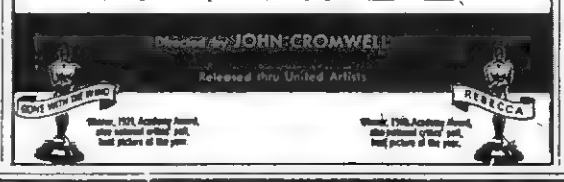

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Town Talk

About This, That, And The Other

There are times when only a dog will do for a friend—when you're beaten, sick and blue, and the world's all wrong, for he won't care if you break, or cry, or grouch, or swear, but he'll let you know, as he licks your hands,

That he's downright sorry, and understands.

April 1st In Advance

The other night when most of the people were "tucked snugly in bed" and some of them sound asleep, the weird whistle of the fire alarm broke upon the air and blew for several minutes. This was followed by the siren of the fire truck as it flew through the streets and, as is the usual custom, people got into their cars as quickly as possible and followed suit.

Those who didn't have cars congregated on the sidewalks and strained their eyes to see the blaze — but they saw none—it was merely drill practise. After a little harmless "grouching" about being fooled, they all agreed that preparedness isn't a bad idea.

Play Nite — Snow Girls!

The Adult Department of the Methodist Church School decided they were entitled to "play nite" as well as the younger set; accordingly, Tuesday night was set aside for them. They attended in large numbers and happily enjoyed themselves in games and fellowship. Some of the ladies served refreshments.

A WAVE wrote her mother from Bainbridge, Md.: "We WAVES certainly are enjoying the deep snow up here. The other evening we put on our slacks and all kinds of extra clothes to keep warm, got out and snowballed and really had a good time. We made us a WAVE snow girl; put on her some of our old clothes, painted her up with rouge and lipstick, and made her look so real that the officers passing by saluted!"

Isn't it fine that we are a people who can pause amidst the hurry, hustle and worry of life to refresh our minds once in awhile with the lighter side?

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Five Sons Of Pennington Gap Family In Service

Not many citizens of our county—or elsewhere—have made a more worthy contribution to the war effort than Charles E. Haburne, of Pennigton Gap. Mr. Haburne has five sons in service, and says he has two more who are likely to go soon. The five are:

Staff Sgt. E. L. Haburne, stationed at Fort Knok, Ky. Sgt Haburne returned to his post on January 7, after a visit here with his father.

Staff Sgt. Randolph Haburne, who recently embarked from New York for overseas service.

Technical Sgt. Ortie Haburne, stationed in Texas. He, too, has recently enjoyed a visit with his father, returning to his post on Sunday, January 14.

Pvt. Merlin Haburne was a minister before entering Army service, and now works part time in the chaplain's office at Camp Beale, Calif. He writes many articles for publication or discourse.

Lt. James D. Haburne has for three years been held a prisoner of war in Japan, but is now free and headed homeward. The father is expecting his arrival at any time.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Weather Bureau report for the week ending Jan. 21, 1945, for Lee County, furnished by Cam J. Lewis, official observer:

Date	Temperature		Rainfall
January	Highest	Lowest	Inch and Inches
15	45	32	.32
16	43	27	.41
17	39	25	.00
18	36	21	.00
19	45	23	.09
20	47	39	.19
21	43	36	.00

Pennington - Jonesville Lions To Play For Title

Two-Game Basketball Starts At Jonesville On Feb. 1; 53 Participating

The gaiety and inspiration derived from flaming youth at its peak, speed and resourcefulness that glitters from noted athletes at their best will be extremely secondary to the rocket-like performances offered to the sports loving public by some 33 Lion members of the Pennington Gap Lions Club, who have accepted the bold challenge of the Jonesville Lions Club of 20 members to settle the Lion supremacy of the hardwood in Lee County.

Jonesville, through their manager, O. M. Hyatt, has set Thursday, February 1, at 7:30 p. m., at Jonesville High School gym, as the first game, and promise they will thoroughly subdue and calm the Pennington Lions, and will hand them a beating that will long be remembered. The Pennington Lions, through their manager, Millard (John McGraw) Flanary, counters with the assertion that his reserve strength is 13 men stronger, that his charges have a slight edge in speed and maneuverability; therefore, they accept the challenge and threaten to take the Jonesville squad into camp by at least 20 points.

Should this county series end up at 1-1, a third and deciding game will probably be played off in Knoxville or Chattanooga on foreign soil to decide the champion.

The starting line-up for Jonesville will likely be Lions Bill Bellamy and Bob Carter at forward; Lion Claude Williams at center; and Lions T. B. Ely and Ben Davidson at guard. Reserve strength awaiting action from the bench will consist of Lions J. A. Rosenbaum, L. D. Perkins, M. Botts, W. L. Davidson, Carden Davidson, E. A. Davis, Davis McNiel, Carl Green, O. M. Hyatt, John Richmond, Paris Hines, Paul Roooooop, Ernest Wells, Milford Martin, and Gus Henderson.

Manager Flanary will probably usher to the floor such charges as Lions P. R. Stubbs and Roy Fletcher at forward; Lion A. S. Pennington at center; and Lions Jake Chunsky and Montague Anderson at guard. Reserve strength shortly thereafter replacing these stars will come from such experts as Lions Guy Kauffman, Shabe Pugh, R. C. Parsons, W. B. Moore, Leonard Hayes, Sam C. Blackwell, John Fry, S. L. Carpenter, Frank Smalley, Wade Parsons, C. L. Fletcher, Frank Gibson, Millard Flanary, Marvin Teague, Elmo David, G. B. Setzler, J. H. Dellinger, C. C. Carr, C. H. Henderson, M. H. Robbins, D. E. McDaniel, M. S. Culbertson, O. A. and E. S. Vaughan, Jack Pearce, and Charlie Berry.

St. Charles Mines To Work 7 Days This Week

Some 15,000 men throughout Virginia's 55 larger coal mines, and another thousand or two at the more than 200 small truck and pony mines over the State are ready to heed the Government's request to work seven days in their respective pits the last week in January, which will include Sunday, January 28, and also a seven-day week in February, including Sunday, February 11, to help catch up lagging coal production.

Men who work full time throughout the week on these special occasions will receive time and a half for the Saturday shift and double time for the Sunday shift.

George Esser, chairman of the Virginia Coal Operators' Association, Norton, Va., said today that over a million tons of coal were lost during 1944 because of strikes, some bad weather and the election holidays throughout the Virginia field.

Mr. Esser said the Virginia coal mines are in dire need of manpower. The present operations could use from 6,000 to 8,000 men, he said. They have lost about 4,000 to the armed forces and a large number to war plants. If many more miners could be provided, there is no doubt of a substantial increase in coal output, said the chief of Virginia operations.

Seaman Elmo Skidmore, of Portsmouth, Va., was among the week-end visitors here last week.

With AAF In Philippines

PVT. HENRY WOODS

Pvt. Henry Woods, of Bonny Blue, husband of the former Miss Blanche Stapleton, of Pennington Gap, is now serving with the AAF somewhere in the Philippines.

Mrs. Woods and their 17-months-old son, Henry Wayne, are staying with her parents for the duration. Pvt. Woods was employed at Bonny Blue before entering service.

TWENTY-SEVEN FROM BOARD No. 1 PASS PHYSICAL EXAMS

Local Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va., lists the following 27 registrants who passed successful physical examination January 9:

Fred Phillips, Jonesville; Roy E. Seabolt, Jonesville; John Henry Carmany, R 3, Jonesville; Frank Lester Newton, Conda Long, Charles E. V. Hollifield, Cecil Marcum, John W. Britton, Joseph S. Nilday, Prince Ball, M. S. Fletcher, Johnnie Lee Campbell, and Neal P. Long, all of Rose Hill.

John David Collins, Samuel N. Holmes, Lawrence G. Russell, and Pete Roberts, Jonesville; Hubert H. Brooks, Paul F. Jones, Willie Brock, and Clarence J. Minton, Ewing; Maynard R. Crockett, Hubbard Springs; Harry A. Hines, Pennington Gap; Henry Harmon Gibson, Gibson Station; Earl Fletcher, Ben Hur; Roy Jack Hickam, Blackwater.

I. O. O. F Celebration Jan. 10 Well Attended

The I. O. O. F. Thomas Wilder birthday celebration at St. Charles, by Jessee Lodge No. 285, on the night of January 20, was reported a most enjoyable affair and well attended. Approximately 160 Odd Fellows, Rebekahs and members of their families were present.

The program consisted of talks, singing, music, and bountiful refreshments. Among those from here attending were:

B. M. Kelly, J. C. Smith, Hobert Belcher, W. D. Talley, J. M. Carroll, Bradley Hobbs, Boss Wolliver, and Ellis Roberts.

Meeting Hour Changed

The board meetings of Selective Service Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, have changed the hour of their meetings from 2:30 p. m. each Tuesday to 1:30 p. m. each Tuesday.

First Baptist Church

Sunday morning, January 28. Sermon subject: "Honey For Life's Journey". Sunday evening: "Nearness to God." Special music at both services.

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday night.

P. R. Stubbs, Pastor.

World Day of Prayer Set For February 16

The World Day of Prayer will be observed at the Calvary Baptist Church in Pennington Gap on February 16, beginning at 10:00 a. m., and continuing until about 2:00 p. m.

This is an interdenominational service, in which all churches in town will participate.

B. H. Wainscott, secretary of Lee General Hospital, is visiting his mother at Ludlow, Ky., this week.

MISSING AT SEA

JOHN A. LITTON, Y. 2-C.

John Alexander Litton, Yeoman 2-C., son of James D. Litton, of Stickleyville, has been reported missing in action at sea since the sinking of the U.S.S. Monaghan during a storm.

He has been a member of the Monaghan's crew since the spring of 1941, when he left Pennington High School during his senior year, at the age of 18, to enlist in the Navy. After receiving boot training at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station, and boot leave, he was sent directly to sea duty in the Pacific. His only leave to visit home since then was last September. He has been awarded the Good Conduct Medal.

Seaman Litton had been in 16 major engagements previous to this last disaster, beginning with the attack on Pearl Harbor and including Midway, the Coral Sea, the Solomons, the Aleutians, the Philippines, the battle of Komandersky, Saipan, Truk, Palau, Tarawa, and others.

He has two brothers in the Navy now serving in the Pacific, Bradley Litton, Cy., and Lester Litton, C. M. 3-C.

Jonesville Parents Have Five Sons In Service

Among the finest contributions to the war effort is that of Mr and Mrs. G. B. Andis, of Jonesville, who have five sons in service. They are:

Sherman F., recently promoted from the rank of lieutenant to that of captain. Capt. Andis is now somewhere on the Gold Coast of Africa. Pfc. Ken W., somewhere in France; Pvt. Robert H., Camp Blanding, Fla.; Earl J., Seaman 2-C., Bainbridge, Md.; and Albert B., Seaman 2-C., Great Lakes, Ill.

Pennington Methodist Church

Sunday, January 28: Sunday School at 9:30 a. m., Clyde M. Kirk, General Superintendent. Morning worship, 10:40. Sermon subject: "The Unyielding Love".

Intermediate and Young People's Departments meet at 6:15 p. m. Evening worship, 7:00 p. m. Sermon by the Rev. Andrew J. Jones, of Decatur, Ala. Rev. Jones is the father of Rev. Elton P. Jones, pastor of Big Stone Gap Methodist Church.

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening.

Charlie D. Mehaffey, Pastor.

Former Lee Counian Fallen In Service

Friends and relatives in Lee County are sorry to learn that Pvt. Hubert Reasor, with the paratroopers in Belgium, was killed in action, January 9.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Reasor, of Vassar, Mich., were former residents of Deep Springs in Lee County. He was a brother of Mrs. Fred McGlincley, formerly Cora Alice Reasor, who was a nurse at Lee General Hospital a few years ago. Another sister, Mrs. Cletus Slemp, lives at Olinger, Va.

Pfc. J. C. Wolfe, Elgin Field, Fla., is spending his furlough with his wife and son, Jerry, of Rose Hill, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Wolfe, of Stone Creek.

MEN PASSING JANUARY PRE-INDUCTION EXAMS LISTED BY BOARD No. 2

The following registrants, listed with Selective Service Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, Va., successfully passed physical examinations on January 10, 1945:

Claude Collins, R 1, Duffield; William Frank Moore, Duffield; Alfred William Ward, R 2, Pennington Gap; Thurston Banner Sturgill, R 1, Dryden; Dayton V. Speers, St. Charles; John H. Childs, Oak Ridge, Tenn.; Fred Smith, Pennington Gap; A. T. Pennington, Jr., Pennington Gap; John M. Hosmer, Baltimore, Md.; Harry L. Slemp, Big Stone Gap; Earl Boggs, R 1, Pennington Gap; Archie W. Mooneyhan, St. Charles.

Fred J. Ward, R 2, Pennington Gap; Frank H. Duff, Pennington Gap; Jasper Clark, Keokee; Forrest G. Orender, Keokee; Elton R. Collins, St. Charles; James F. Reasor, Keokee; John H. Quinley, Pennington Gap; Carroll John Hammons, Pennington Gap; Aaron D. Hampton, St. Charles, William D. Pitman, R 1, St. Charles; Paul Irvin, R 1, Pennington Gap; James J. Ball, R 2, Pennington Gap.

Casualty List Of Local Servicemen

Reports have come this week of the following Lee County servicemen recently wounded in action:

Pvt. Ralph L. Jessee, son of W. W. Jessee, of Dryden, was wounded January 3 while serving with the paratroopers in Belgium, according to a message from the War Department to the father. Jessee had been overseas only one month.

Seaman 2-C. E. M. ("Neil") Osborne, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Osborne, stated in a letter to homefolk here that he had been slightly wounded in combat service and confined to an overseas hospital, but that he has practically recovered.

The Knoxville News-Sentinel lists during the week: Cpl. Donald R. Carter, St. Charles; and Staff Sgt. Wallace R. Johnson, of Jonesville.

February Calls To Take Many To Armed Forces

RANKS AS SERGEANT

SGT. CHARLES CARSON

Sgt. Charles Carson (colored) has recently been promoted to his present rank from that of corporal. He has just completed a short visit here with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Carson and family; also his sister, who lives in Morristown, Tenn. Sgt. Carson is stationed at the Army Base in Boston, Mass.

"SALUTE TO COAL" RADIO BROADCAST

A "Salute to the Coal Industry" will be heard over the Blue Network, coast to coast hook-up, as a feature of the Boston Symphony Orchestra hour sponsored by the Allis-Chalmers Manufacturing Co., Milwaukee, on January 27th. The concert program is heard from 7:30 to 8:30 p. m. CWT, and the series of "industry salutes" which has been a recently added feature of this program is presented during a brief intermission period.

NATIONAL COAL ASSOCIATION.

W. M. S., First Baptist Church, Outlines Plans

The Woman's Missionary Society had their first meeting of the New Year on January 18. The new officers, who had been officially installed by the pastor, Rev. P. R. Stubbs, at the business session of their December meeting, assumed their duties as officers, as follows:

President, Mrs. J. W. Quinley; first vice president, Mrs. Ruby King, enlistment chairman; second vice president, Mrs. Dora Gibson, Mission Study chairman; third vice president, Miss Orpha Headen, Young People's director; secretary and publicity chairman, Mrs. Lelia Hilton; treasurer, Mrs. C. E. McNiel; Community Mission chairman, Mrs. Joseph Payne; Social chairman, Mrs. Bernice Cooper; Young Women's Auxiliary Counsellor, Mrs. Alta Orr; Intermediate Girl's Auxiliary Counsellor, Mrs. Mary Sam Halstead; Junior Girls' Auxiliary Counsellor, Mrs. Lelia Hilton; Circle chairmen, Mrs. G. F. Service and Mrs. Della Smallwood; Business Woman's Circle chairman, Miss Marjorie Service; Literature chairman and corresponding secretary, Mrs. C. C. Bales.

If members continue in their zealous efforts to carry out plans of the Community Mision Chairmen, this will be a very profitable year.

Mrs. E. D. Hilton.

First Christian Church

Sunday, January 28: Bible School at 10:00 a. m., F. M. Smalley, Supt. Worship with communion at 10:45. Sermon subject: "Christ's Answer to the Prodigal Life". Special music by the High School Glee Club, directed by Mrs. Ray Barron.

Christian Endeavor Societies meet at 6:15 p. m., directed by Mrs. Ruth Keith and Mrs. F. M. Smalley. No preaching at night, as the pastor goes to Union, the associate church, for worship service.

Choir rehearsal Wednesday at 6:30 p. m. Mid-week prayer service following at 7:00 p. m.

W. B. Moore, Pastor.

Registrants Ordered To Report For Induction Feb 7th and Feb. 27th

Selective Service Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, Va., has named the following registrants to fill the February induction call for the armed forces. One group will report February 7, and the other on February 27, 1945:

Called for February 7:

William Isaac Mann, Henderson, Nevada; Everette Cecil Robbins, R 1, Keokee; Paul Jackson Pearcy, Pennington Gap; Everette Benjamin Rogers, R 1, Big Stone Gap; Ralph Pridemore Cox, Dryden; William Roland Quillen, Dryden; Alfred Thomas Peterson, R 1, Duffield; Herbert Eugene Miles, St. Charles; Allen B. Cooper, Jr., Pennington Gap; Adolphus Dewarnt Long, R 1, Pennington Gap; Lee Crawford Parks, R. 1, Pennington Gap; Joseph Pery Boggs, Olinger; Kirby Etsel Campbell, St. Charles; Frank Mike Pankow, Woodway; Chester Lewis Richmond, Bonny Blue.

Called for February 27:

Ezra Lee Tankersley, Jonesville; Walter Carl Disney, Pennington Gap; Earnest Tyler Hester, St. Charles; Tom Patton, Tampa, Fla.; Earl William Stallard, St. Charles; Clarence Howard Lawson, Benedict; Andrew J. Rutherford, R 1, Big Stone Gap; Paul Edward DeRossett, Louisville; Curtis Walker Terry, Bonny Blue; Woodrow M. Bartley, Dayton, Ohio; Rufus Lee Daugherty, R 2, Pennington Gap; Walter Massengill, Calvin; Carol John Hammons, Pennington Gap; Aaron D. Hampton, St. Charles; William Delbert Pitman, St. Charles; James Junior Ball, R 2, Pennington Gap.

Wounded Dryden Soldier Named To West Point

The 827 Convalescent Center, England.—Wounded during fighting on the Moselle River front after he had been informed that his Congressional appointment to the United States Military Academy at West Point had been received, Private First Class Ray C. Gilbert, Dryden, Va., has recovered completely and is now assigned to this Army Convalescent Center in England, where he is awaiting final action on his appointment.

A radio operator in an infantry unit, he was participating in an attack against German positions when a message came over his "walkie-talkie" radio ordering him to report to headquarters to fill out his acceptance blanks for West Point, to which he had been appointed by Congressman John W. Flannagan Jr., of the Ninth Congressional District of Virginia.

"That was really a thrill," said Pfc. Gilbert. "I rushed back, completed the forms, took a physical examination, then returned to duty. About three weeks later I was put out of action when a bullet hit me in the right arm and I was sent to England to await complete recovery."

Previously wounded by shrapnel near Vire, France, Pfc. Gilbert has been awarded the Oak Leaf Cluster to the Purple Heart. He is the son of Mrs. Thelma C. Gilbert, of the Dryden address, and has one brother, First Lieutenant Joseph C. Gilbert, with the Marines in the Pacific.

Pfc. Gilbert attended Milligan College, majoring in mathematics and chemistry, before entering the Army.

New Church To Hold Formal Opening Feb. 4

The First Baptist Church of Darby, located at Kemmerer Gem Coal Company, about two miles above St. Charles, has recently been completed, and will have formal opening on Sunday, February 4, at 2:30 p. m. A special program has been arranged, with the pastor, Rev. Hugh E. Boyd, in charge.

The public is cordially invited to attend this opening service.

Harry Pugh, employed at Cumberland, Ky., and Henry Pugh, employed at Harlan, spent Sunday here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Pugh.

News From
OCOONITA

(For Week of Jan. 11.)

Rev. Kester Greene, Pennington Gap, filled his regular appointment here Saturday night.

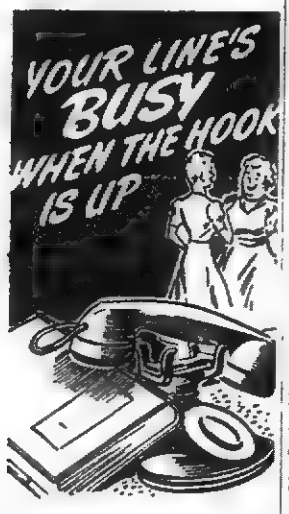
Mrs. Dora Mullins and granddaughter, Pat, spent the week-end with her son, Garfield Mullin, and family, in Harlan, Ky.

Mrs. Arnold Ingle, Miss Mattie Oaks and Miss Bonnie Ingle were shopping in Pennington Gap last Thursday.

Mrs. Bertha Stowe is a patient in Lee General Hospital at Pennington.

Keith Ledford and Garland Oaks, who are with the U. S. Navy, stationed at Great Lakes, spent a seven-day furlough here recently with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Millard Ledford and Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Oaks.

Jimmie Lamb and father, of Indiana, spent the past week visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Burton and family.



Unless your receiver is firmly on the hook, your line is "busy" to all who try to call. Books, bags, magazines —any large article near the telephone— may cause this trouble.

The C. & P. Telephone Co. of Virginia

Mrs. Lillie Pennington has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Sallie Johnson, at Pennington Gap, for the past week.

Mrs. Josie Ingle spent last week with her son, Elmer Ingle, and Mrs. Ingle, at Pennington Gap.

Those who have been on the sick list for the past week are: Herman Ingle, Mavis Wolfe, Hen-Hammonds, Mrs. C. S. Fleenor, and Mrs. Bertha Stowe.

Misses Ruby and Fay Hammonds and Hubert Burgan were visiting in Harlan, Saturday.

Gordon Durham and Millard Ledford left last week for Detroit, Mich., where they are employed.

Misses Darlene and Lois Etter and little sister, of Pennington Gap, spent Saturday night here with friends, and also attended Sunday School here.

Eugene (Frank) Emmette, of the U. S. Navy, spent a 21-day furlough here with his family. Mr. Emmette has spent the past three years overseas and is now stationed at Asheville, N. C.

Mrs. Shirley Davis received word last week that her husband was taken seriously ill while on a bus on his way home from Richmond. He was taken to a hospital in Farmville, where his condition is reported as fair.

News From
POOR VALLEY

(For Week of Jan. 18.)

Mrs. Polly Hayes is convalescing after a recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Early and children, Peggy, Junior, and Bobby, of Detroit, Mich., were visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Early last week.

Gene Rivers, of Dryden, spent the week-end with his grandmother, Mrs. America Rivers.

Miss Juanita Astrop, of Dry Branch, was a dinner guest of Miss Thelma Parsons, Sunday.

Pvt. George Parsons, of the U. S. Army, is now stationed in California.

Duane, Bobby, Harry, and Gregg Gilbert were visiting Don Livingston, Sunday.

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News From
MILLER'S CHAPEL
By Norma Lee Hall

(For Week of Jan. 11.)

Mr. and Mrs. John Hurt were visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. Carl Sams, of Kingsport, Tenn., visited her sister, Mrs. Pearl Williams, Sunday.

Pvt. Carl Kirk, of Jonesville, is now stationed at Fort Knox, Ky.

Otis Garrett and Buford Shelton attended church services here Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Parks have moved to Jonesville, after living here for some time. Friends regret to see them move away.

Mrs. Kate Hall is back home after spending a week in Big Stone Gap.

Andrew Lovely, of Middlesboro, Ky., spent Monday night here with Mr. and Mrs. Rhea Hall.

Miss Hettie Garrett is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rhea Hall have received word that their son, Cpl. Forrest Hall, has landed safely in England.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Harvel have moved into their new home.

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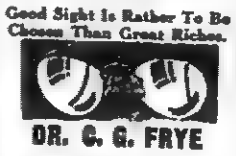

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 20th day of January, 1945.

Cora Lee Gentry.....Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Taylor Gentry .....Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce on grounds of desertion. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Taylor Gentry, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address is unknown, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste,

D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C
p. q., V. S. King.

Adv. No. 4 - 4t

OPA To Make Check Of Rationed Commodities

In connection with the tighter food rationing program for 1945, the Roanoke District OPA Office will make a check of institutional and industrial users of rationed commodities,, as well as wholesalers and chain store sellers of sugar, to determine whether or not their end of the year inventories have been properly filed.

"This is in line with OPA's policy of checking inventories of rationed commodities when a new declaration of inventories is required," Emmet L. Talbot, district food rationing officer, explained. "This check and the stricter rationing requirements are necessary in the face of the critical decrease in the supply of sugar, meats and processed foods."

Institutional users, except Group I, of rationed commodities, and wholesalers and chain stores selling sugar, were notified that a declaration of their inventories as of December 31, 1944, must be filed with their local War Price and Rationing Boards by January 7, 1945, if a single establishment, and by January 14, if a multiple establishment. Talbot pointed out that industrial users file their inventories with the District Office. Institutional and industrial users report their inventories of all rationed foods, whereas wholesalers and chain stores report only sugar.

"OPA is doing everything in its power to determine actual supplies on hand to see that every individual gets his rightful share of rationed foods. The supply picture may be very serious for some time and a fair distribution must be accomplished," he declared.

News From
PUCKETT'S CREEK

(For Week of Jan. 11.)

Hubert Napier and twin brothers, Seamen 1-C. Clarence and Lawrence Napier, were visiting Geneva Stapleton, Sunday afternoon.

Staff Sgt. and Mrs. Edward Parsons were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Stapleton, Saturday.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Rogers, Jan 2.

Mrs. Carl McElyea visited Mrs Ervin Stapleton, Monday.

The following were week-end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Carl McElyea: Pfc. James H. Freels, of Fort Miles, Del.; Lester Freels, of Leinarts, Tenn.; Jimmie Jett, Leinarts, Tenn.; and Millard Creekmore, Pennington Gap.

Note For Rural Pedestrians:
Wear something white or carry a light,
So you can be seen by drivers at night.

News From
WOODWAY

(For Week of Jan. 11.)

Mrs. Jim Hall is visiting her daughter, Uval, in Baltimore, Md.

Mr. Bill Sexton, of Johnson City, Tenn., spent last week-end with his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Willis. Mr. Sexton left Monday, Jan. 8 for military training.

Mr. Sam Potaet, of Pennington Gap, has been medically discharged from the Army. He was visiting in Woodway, Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Huff have received word that their son, Earl, has returned from overseas and will be home in a few days. At present, he is with his wife and children in Missouri.

Mrs. Jessie Moore is critically ill at her home here.

Sgt. Steve Pankow has returned to his duties at Langley Field, Va., after spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Pankow.

Pvt. Robert Lawson, of Norton, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lawson.

Miss Imogene Fleenor has returned to her work in Cincinnati, Ohio, after spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fleenor.

Since Mr. Roy Whiteaker has been medically discharged, he and his wife are opening a place of business in the Barlow Building, featuring ready-to-wear, dry goods and notions. The Woodway postoffice will also be moved into the same building, which we hope will be more convenient for the town.

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Real competition is the kind that encourages the manufacturer, the farmer, or business man to get his quality up, his costs down, and to develop new things his customers want. It's this kind of competition that produces something better rather than something just as good—that insures to the public a steady increase in the value it gets for its money. *General Electric Company, Schenectady, N. Y.*

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News From
JONESVILLE

(For Week of Jan. 11.)

Sgt. Frank E. Wynn is now stationed at Jackson, Miss. He served sixteen months at Newark, N. J. as M.P., and is now going to school learning carpentry work, and writes that he likes his trade very much. His wife, formerly Miss Lucille Lamb, lives in Buchanan, Miss. Sgt. Wynn is looking forward to his furlough in January, when he can see his small son, Dennis, just 5 months old. He also plans to visit with his parents, at Jonesville.

Pvt. John Wynn recently spent a few days at home. He is now stationed at Jackson, S. C.

Cpl. George Wynn has been in New Guinea for 18 months. He sends many interesting pictures of himself and pals there. Cpl. Wynn has served in the Army 25 months, his only furlough being one to Australia, which he said he enjoyed very much. He hopes his next one will be in the good old U. S. A.

SPECIAL TO THE GIRLS

New Guinea,
December 22, 1944.

Dear Editor:

We are three lonely sailors in the Southwest Pacific. We haven't seen a white girl since we have been overseas, and that is quite a long time.

We three are from Lee County, and would like for some of the girls of Lee County to write to us. We receive The Powell Valley News each week, and it brings us good news from home.

There is a big job over here to be done, and we are doing our best to get it over with so we can come back to God's country.

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He is grouchy and slow when work begins;
When it's time to quit, he jokes and grins;
He's always as busy as busy can be,
When he thinks the boss is around to see.

He believes that "pull" is the only way
By which he can ever draw bigger pay;
And he sulks and growls when he sees his plan
Upset by the "push" of another man.

He's on the job when he draws his pay;
That done, he soldiers his time away;
While the men who tackle their jobs with vim,
Keep pushing and climbing ahead of him.

For the man who fails has himself to blame,
If he wastes his chances and misses his aim;
He'd win, if he'd use his hands and wits;
The man who fails is the man who quits.

THE SOLDIER

A soldier is more than a precious tree, That so proudly stands for all to see; This man who fights against our foe, and kneels in prayer his God to know. Fore he is worthy of his hire, Since Washington was his country's sire; The soldier seeks a better rule for men set as a goal.

There must be leisure time at home, with time to play and time to roam; Education is of no avail If we must stay unemployed and fail to help the sick and those in need, because of politics and greed. Washington and Lincoln intended us to be people who are truly free from tyrants and their greed for gold. Like many served in days of old, we fought as soldiers for a goal; to make Democracy our rule, with plenty for all, and all for man; That's why our nation first began.

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News From
BURKHART'S CHAPEL

(For Week of Jan. 11.)

Rev. McPherson filled his regular appointment here Sunday.

Mrs. Otis Walker and Miss Helen Penley have returned to Berwyn, Md., after spending a few days with relatives here.

Pfc. Earl Cloud was visiting his father, G. W. Cloud, here last week.

John Pennington, of Keokee, R.F.D., was visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Pennington last Thursday.

Mrs. Lola Moore, of Dunbar, visited her parents and other relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Everette Parsons and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Moore, Sunday.

Shelby Woodard was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Silven Rutherford and family, Sunday.

Mrs. Gladys Woodard spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Ely.

Misses Betty Jo Carter and Jeanette Robbins, of Robbins Chapel, were visiting relatives here Sunday.

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vs. Order of Publication
Virginia R. Webb . . . .Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce on grounds of desertion. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Virginia R. Webb, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address is unknown, it is hereby ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p. q., Vance S. King.
Adv. No. 4 - 4t

Dryden FFA Initiates Green Hands, Farmers

Bill Olinger, Reporter

The Dryden FFA Chapter initiated 11 Green Hands and 13 Chapter Farmers, before the Christmas Holidays, in its annual initiation exercises.

The Agriculture Department has done much, during the Fall, to improve the school grounds. Several sugar maples, hemlocks, American Holly and white dogwood trees were planted about the campus. This native plant material was transplanted from local sources at no cost to the school. We plan to plant some other trees and shrubs next spring if the weather permits. The students in both classes have learned much about the proper handling and treatment of landscape plant material.

In basketball, the Dryden Chapter has played two good games with the Jonesville Chapter, one at each school.

The regular schedule of shop work was begun in December, two days per week and both classes expect to get into full swing in January. The first year class will do elementary class exercises, mostly, until they become familiar with the care and use of tools, while the second year class will do more advanced exercises and also practical construction and repair jobs.

The Farm Machinery Repair Class, begun last January, was suspended during December and January, as the farmers are now busy with grading and marketing of their tobacco. It is expected that classes will be resumed in early February, either for one or two nights per week, with Mr. W. E. Wilder as instructor.

More than 5,200 people were killed during the first three years of the war in skidding accidents, says the National Safety Council.

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News From
DRY BRANCH

(For Week of Jan. 18.)

Mr. and Mrs. Chilton Edens celebrated their seventh wedding anniversary Sunday night by entertaining the following guests: Misses Ruby and Blanche Hyden, Estelle Edens and Juanita Astrop; Messrs. Ralph Cox, Arthur Edens, Claude Edens, Kent Astrop and Mrs. Edith Astrop. Refreshments were served.

Ralph Cox made a business trip to Kingsport, Tenn., Saturday.

Mrs. H. R. Shufflebarger was shopping in Pennington, Saturday.

Miss Virginia Stewart, who is employed in Washington, D. C., is spending a few days here with home folk.

Charles Dennison has been very ill for the past few days.

Misses Pearl and Frances Johnson, Mrs. Sue Ely and Mrs. Vernell Edens visited Harvey Brown at Lee General Hospital, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Edith Astrop, who has been ill of typhoid, is able to be out again.

Merrill C. Merchant, of the U. S. Navy, is spending a five-day leave with his wife, the former Miss Virginia Bailey, of Big Hill.

Misses Ruby and Blanche Hyday, of Woodway, and Mrs. Vernell Edens, of Dry Branch, were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Holly Astrop, Sunday night.

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Convocation of Churches Was Held in Richmond

Representatives of more than 500,000 Christians in twelve denominations attended the first Convocations of Churches held in Richmond, Virginia, January 9 - 10 as a landmark in religious cooperation in the history of the Commonwealth.

The convocation was called by the president of the Virginia Council of Churches, Rev. Dr. Ernest Trice Thompson, Union Theological Seminary professor, and Dr. R. B. Montgomery, president of Lynchburg College and president of the Virginia Council of Religious Education in Virginia.

Along with these representatives, leaders in denominations joined in the summons to members of their respective church bodies to unite in the meeting, which was held in Richmond's Grace Covenant Church.

Included on the program at this meeting were addresses by the Rev. E. Stanley Jones, world famous missionary and evangelist; the Rev. Dr. Roy A. Burkhart, pastor of the Community Church, Columbus, Ohio, and well-known leader of youth; the Rev. Walter W. Van Kirk, New York, secretary of the department of international justice and goodwill of the Federal Council of Churches; and the Rev. W. Taliaferro Thompson, professor of religious education in Richmond's Union University.

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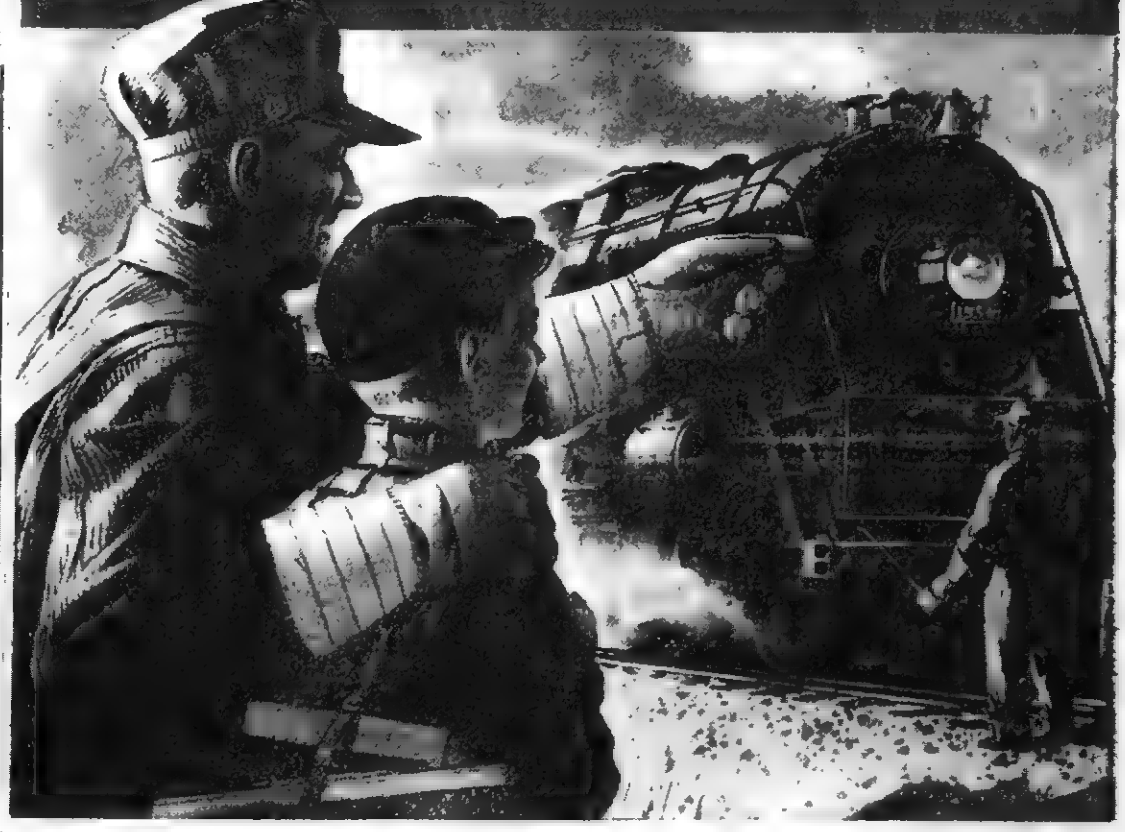

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JAPAN IS STILL STRONG

Perhaps the most convincing argument for the theory that there is one hell of a long war ahead with Japan is the fact that the Japs still think they've got us licked. The Japs aren't dumb. They think they're going to win and they've got plenty of stuff on their side of the picture to back it up.

Of course, we think they're going to take the beating of their lives, and they will, too, if we don't underestimate them. Men have been known to knock out a gorilla, but only men who knew exactly how tough a gorilla can be have gotten away with it. The Jap is plenty tough. As we stand on the threshold of the fight-to-the-finish with Japan, it might be a good idea for all of us to take a good look at them and see just what we're up against:

In the first place, Manpower wins Wars. Well, there are 73,000,000 Japs controlling 400,000,000 enslaved people in their empire and newly acquired territories. So other things being equal, the Nip sees no reason why manpower should cost him the war.

Secondly, Raw Materials win Wars. Japan has an adequate supply of virtually every raw material she needs to keep her war economy rolling and producing. In fact, in some raw materials she is much better off than we are at this moment!

As we ought to know better than most, Production wins Wars. Japan has a tremendous "heavy" industry both on her islands and on the Asiatic mainland. It is much further removed from our bombers, and therefore safer, than the German industry. It is manned by a fanatical civilian populace, which works between 12 and 16 hours a day with two days only off a month. The Jap production is good. We can out-produce them if we make up our minds to do it and stick to the job. But they are still good.

So, as far as being able to wage war, the Japs think the are pretty well set. They are, too. How about their armed services?

At sea the Japs still have a large fleet. We've whittled it down some and we've handed it some hard socks but it's still good. To be sure, it won't come out and fight right now, but that may be because their strategists are too smart to fight at this time. For one thing, the closer to Japan it puts up its fight, the better chance it has of victory. Secondly, a fleet "in being" is a tremendous nuisance and the Japs are certainly keeping their fleet "in being".

In the air they're good again. They're replacing their planes as fast as we can knock them down, and they are turning out much better planes now, than six or even three months ago. Their pilots are good, too. Not as good as ours, but good enough to take a steady toll of our men down with them.

On the land they have an Army of four million men. They can add anywhere from sixteen to 25 division to this army when they feel the need of it. The truth of the matter is that they haven't yet been pressed to the point where they think this expansion is necessary. (Think that one over!) Moreover, they'll be fighting in their own front yard while we'll be waging war thousands of miles from home.

One more thing about this army. It's well equipped, smartly led, and thinks it is winning the war "hands down" by knocking China almost out of the war.

Finally, to win a war you have to have the will to work, the will to fight and the will to win. The Japs have it and don't forget it.

Recently a high-ranking Jap (about the first one we've taken in more than two years of fighting), was captured on Saipan. He calmly told his questioners that, if America was going to occupy Japan, we would have to virtually kill off the entire Japanese population. Women, young boys, even little girls and children will be armed and will fight until they are killed, he said. He may be wrong, but the fact is that entire families of civilians committed suicide on Saipan rather than submit to our capture.

And even if the Jap civilian knows when he's licked, the soldier doesn't. They fight 'til they're killed, no matter how hopeless the battle. Another Jap, this one a General, said before the war: "You Americans believe that one U.S. soldier is the equivalent of eight Japanese as a fighter. We don't agr'ee, but let's say 'you're right. We can put eight million men into a war and we will. So at your figures it will cost you one million men to defeat us. We are willing to spend eight million men to win our war. We don't believe you are willing to spend one million men to defeat us!"

That General may have been wrong, but he wasn't kidding. And he may be right if we get the Jap-happy idea that the war is over when Germany collapses. Out in the Pacific it will just be beginning, and the number of American graves which will dot the road to Tokyo will depend on how many Americans at home realize how tough the enemy is, and are willing to stick to their jobs and see it through.—(Boston Navy Yard News.)

A Shattered Yardstick

MUCH was said during the early stages of the Tennessee Valley Authority about the value it was to have as a yardstick for measuring the reasonableness of private power rates. Any measurement of rates must include taxes. The following facts show how poor a yardstick TVA has proved to be and serve to explain the secret of its so-called "cheap" power.

TVA reports that during 1944 it paid states and counties a total of $2,168,824 "in lieu of taxes." It paid the Federal Government nothing. The claim is made that the in-lieu taxes exceeded by $790,311 the property taxes formerly paid on the same properties when they were in private ownership.

But when were they in private ownership? Some of them as long as nine years ago; others three to eight years ago. And what of the $750,000,000 TVA has added to the national debt, on which interest already has amounted to more than $50,000,000? Any comparable expenditure by privately owned power companies would have represented, not a small margin, but a tremendous increase in tax payments.

The true picture can be realized by a comparison of taxes and in-lieu taxes on gross power revenues, that is, all the money received from sale of electricity. On this basis, TVA paid 7.2 per cent of its gross sales in taxes, while the privately owned power industry paid 24.5 per cent of its gross sales in taxes.

The in-lieu taxes are just another phase of the trick bookkeeping which conceals the great drain on the United States Treasury represented by the whole TVA experiment. TVA's "cheap" power means simply tax-free, subsidized power. You and the other taxpayers foot the bill just the same; only you're not supposed to know it.

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Conditions In India Described By Soldier

The following letter was written by Lt. O. F. Ball, former Lee Countian, who is now serving with the U. S. Army in India, to his wife, Mrs. Ada Ball, of Coeburn. The letters tells interestingly of conditions in India, and we have permission to reprint same:

India,
Monday Night, 11-8-44.

My Dearest Ada:

I got in from Agra too late last night to tell you about my trip there, but will try now.

We left by truck early Sunday morning, because the round trip is 250 miles by truck, and although there is paved road all the way the dust is still terrific. The dust almost puts your eyes out—together with the wind.

The countryside is almost perfectly level all the way, but it doesn't look like fields in the U. S. There are no fences of any kind except walls around a few of the larger houses, and the land looks pretty poor for the most part. It certainly is not a pretty picture at close range. The crops seem to be limited to growing a certain type of corn, or cane, that is very tall and more slender than our corn or cane. We could see it standing in large ricks after being cut—don't see why the cattle don't tear them down. A small amount of rice is grown (remember, I am describing the country between Delhi and Agra), and a few potatoes; very little cotton and vegetables. Farming is the least scientific of almost any place in the world. We crossed one large irrigation canal and several smaller ones, that make farming of some dry regions possible. Remember that it rains only during the three summer months and is practically a desert after that.

Small fields and lots were enclosed with mud walls for irrigation, I suppose, and in many such lots were wells for water—one well in each lot, about 100 feet apart.

The villages are made of mud huts, with anything for a roof—sometimes straw, more mud (which is very hard in dry weather), or anything that can be found. American Indians built better villages in the West long before Columbus came. At each little village are hundreds of cows standing around the huts eary in the morning, in a cloud of dust when they are made to move. The people and animals live almost together, and seem to be the most gentle creatures in the world. Without the cows I don't see how the people could live. I know they don't store food, so a little rice, a little yellow type of corn, and milk, must be their only source of food. The water buffaloes and herds of goats are about as numerous as the white Indian cow, and the milk just as popular.

Fresh cow manure is made into cakes and put in the sun to dry—that is a job that little boys and girls help do each morning. The cakes are made by hand and are all around the huts. They are used as fuel, and it is very common to see several asses loaded down with them to be sold throughout the villages. The wife who can collect large numbers for sale is probably considered very thrifty.

The pigs are a show, too. You have seen pictures of wild hogs with a long head like the wild boars found in the Smoky Mountains. These are just that, only perhaps more ugly. They, too, are around and in each village, but they are not wild—they are like the cows, people, dogs, and everything else — in the way when a truck goes by.

Wild animals are plentiful in some places. We saw large numbers of monkeys in the road in places; saw birds of many descriptions (two with long legs and neck, about as tall as a man) and some deer. Deer are plentiful. One hunting party of Americans brought back 15 rerecently; most of them does. You know Americans like to kill wild things just for the sake of killing—Indians don't.

In the town of Mistra we picked up an Indian (Sikh) who was very intellectual, and spoke English, who guided us through the city to a Hindu temple. The city surpassed anything I have seen in old Delhi. The street was just wide enough for the truck to force its way along. Its speed was just about as fast as a person walking, as we tried to get cows and people out of the way and not pull down any shops with the sides of the truck. We finally got to the holy temple and went in, but not to the "inner sanctum" because they wanted us to remove our shoes and go through some dirty water that they put in the doorway, which none of us would do—but we could see almost everything anyway. On the inside was a post that they said was covered with gold. It was yellow, all right—may have been brass. The temple had two high towers with gods carved all over them.

Nearby I saw a woman begging who didn't look old nor crippled. The Sikh guide told me she was a widow. He said when a Hindu died his wife could not remarry; she cannot go to her own people—they will not have her — nor can she stay with her husband's people. The most attractive woman who one day may have fine clothing and servants in her husband's home, may the next be a social outcast, poorer than a beggar, if he dies. Her hair is cut short, and all she possessed taken from her. Of course, this is being discouraged. The Hindu women not so long ago destroyed themselves when their husbands died, by drowning or flame, simply because they preferred death to a widow's existence. The Sikhs are Hindus who by such ignorant practices broke away and started themselves a new religion. They are usually interesting to talk with. They, in contrast to the Hindu lower class, never shave or cut their hair, while the Hindu keeps his hair cut short except for some long locks left in the middle of the head so that when he dies he may be pulled to Hindu heaven or waiting place until the next rebirth on earth by that queue on his head. Pity the bald-headed man.

We saw several forts on the way. There is a huge "Red Fort" in old Delhi, and a few miles out is an older one built with an earlier Delhi City. They claim there have been six or seven cities named Delhi through the ages. One would be destroyed, and another spring up later a few miles away. The ruins can be seen today. Agra has another hugh fort—walls 70 feet high and made of great stones with such thickness that only modern warfare could break it down. These forts were built by Emperor Shah Johan in the 17th century. It was also he who built the Taj Mahal at Agra and at least two Mohammedan temples that are almost as great a wonder as the Taj. One is in Old Dehi and the other at Agra. That man was some builder.

The Taj Mahal was built as a tomb for his wife, but it is also his tomb. I'll try to send pictures later. White marble was imported from Italy, I think, as there is no marble here, and you can imagine how such a large white building looks in the sunlight, and they say it is even prettier in the moonlight. The building itself would not put it among the seven wonders of the world, but all around the entrance are beautiful designs of flowers of many shades. It is so expertly done that I thought they were painted on the white marble, but upon closer examination you can see that it isn't painting at all. Each different shade of color represents a precious or semi-precious stone inlaid in the marble. The marble was cut out in the desired shape, and the place filled with the different colored patterns; about 80 stones make up one flower, and with such exactness that a leaf may be shown having a dark green color for the upper side and a lighter shade of green where the leaf was bent and the under side in view.

The central dome is 80 or 85 feet high, and the echo from a loud yell will last over fifteen seconds. A silver door was stolen at one time, and a gold screen was removed to a safe place lest it be taken. Probably the world's largest diamond was set in the wife's tomb. I don't know if it was stolen, but it is now set in the king's crown of the British Empire.

I'll try to send pictures to show you more about it. It was well worth the time to see, but I woudn't give ten cents to see it again. Oh yes, I forgot. The Yuma River flows by, and in it I could see dozens of very large turtles. They say crocodiles are further down the river.

Based on mileage, special studies indicate that drivers under 20 years of age have the highest accident rate.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

Mrs. Laura Phipps

Mrs. Laura Phipps, 77, wife of C. C. Phipps, who lives at Jonesville, R.F.D., died in a Middlesboro hospital, Monday morning, January 15, following a long illness.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at 2:30, in charge of Rev. Hilliard, of Rose Hill. Burial followed in the family cemetery near the home.

Mrs. Phipps is survived by the husband; also two sons and one daughter by a former marriage. One son lives at Corbin, one at Pineville, and the daughter at Spottswood, Va.

Andrew Wolfe

Andrew Wolfe, of Jonesville, Route 2, died at his home December 28, following a long illness. He was 88 years of age.

Funeral services were conducted from Friendship Church, and burial followed in the Spangler Cemetery.

Mr. Wolfe is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Alice Churchfield, Portsmouth, Va., one son, Alex Wolfe, of Harlan, Ky.; three grandchildren Mrs. Carson Ringley, of Jonesville; Andy and Harvey Churchfield, of Portsmouth.

Charlie Crumbley

Charlie Crumbley, 65, Jonesville, Va., died in the State Hospital at Marion Va., January 19. He had been in declining health for about four years. His brother, Ed, preceded him in death by only a week. He was buried in the Muncey Cemetery near Jonesville, Sunday, with funeral services conducted at the grave.

Surviving are one sister, Miss Mollie Crumbley; three stepdaughters and five step-sons; several nieces and nephews. His wife, who died two years ago, was a sister of Mrs. Bill Fleenor, of this place.

Reports indicate that two out of every three bicyclists injured and killed in traffic accidents were violating a traffic law at the time of the accident.

TOWN TALK

(Continued from page 1)

Visit With Mr. Beeler

Rader S. Snavely and Vincent Kelly recently visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Williams in Charlottesville, Va., and while there went to see Mr. R. E. Beeler, Sr., a patient in the University Hospital. Mr. Beeler's condition is reported to be improved, and he hopes to be coming home soon.

The Enemy Is Conquered

The neighborhood of Jonesville, Route 4, has been pestered for some time with night prowlers robbing their chicken roosts. Roy Livesay tracked them down and fired the shots that ended their dishonest careers. They were two huge foxes!

S.C. E. M. Osborne, familiarly known here as "Neil" Osborne, recently wrote home folk that he was in an overseas hospital suffering wounds in the leg, received in combat service December 26th. A letter written at a later date, and received yesterday, told them he is practically recovered and again ready for active service. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Osborne, is married and has a small son.

FOR SALE

One hundred twenty-three acres of bluegrass land on Wallen's Creek in Lee County, Va., 8 miles southeast of Jonesville. Good house, barn, and other outbuildings. If interested call or write MRS. J. M. GILLEY, Jonesville, Va.

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Jonesville-Flatwood To Battle For Loop Lead

St. Charles Boys Drop From Tie With Lose To Flatwood Friday Night

The terrific onslaught staged between Jonesville, Flatwood and St. Charles since the season began for who shall finally lay individual claim on first place in the boys' division of the fast moving Lee County Cage Conference is still undecided, but there is one less of the "Big Three" after the past week-end. St. Charles bowed out of the undefeated tie for first slot by losing to Flatwood 36 to 32, at Flatwood, while Jonesville kept their record clear by winnig from the Pennington Tomcats at Pennington Gap by a three-point margin of 17 to 14.

The Keokee girls, who do not know what defeat is unless they read of such an ill-fated, strange fantasy happening to some outsider, went on one of their usual scoring sprees Friday night to trample Thomas Walker 50 to 23 for their fifth win in as many starts in the official conference season. Arnett led Keokee with 25 points, followed closely by Calton with 21. Thomas led for the visiting team.

The Keokee boys made it full measure—and in a big way—by setting back the Thomas Walker boys 49 to 18. Hensley was head man in the scoring parade for the winners, with his smiling teammate, C. Robbins, looping 14. Burke led the offensive for the Walkers.

At Pennington Gap, a crowded gymnasium was kept in an uproar from the first whistle as one exciting play followed closely on another, with the referees having their share of the adventure, as the Jonesville Capitol Hill boys managed to keep their record unblemished to remain tied for top place in the standing with Flatwood, with St. Charles skidding, as they captured their fifth consecutive win in as many battles by taking Pennington Gap into camp by a close 17 to 14 margin. Jonesville led 4-3 at the end of the first quarter; 7-7 at the half, 13-13 read the scoreboard as the third quarter ended, with the four period netting Jonesville 4 points; a lonely free goal was all for Pennington Gap.

The Jonesville girls shared equal honors by winning their well played contest over the Pennington girls 19 to 10. Johnson led Jonesville's scoring attack with 11 points; Bellamy followed with 6. Stanley and Bailey led for Pennington.

St. Charles met tough sledding at Flatwood, dropping their first game of the year to the Woodsmen 36 to 32, thus losing claim, for the time being, on the three-way tie for first place. Ben Bowen led the winners with 11 points; Williams was top basket man for St. Charles with 14.

The St. Charles girls strengthened their hold on second place in the feminine standing by rambling to a 38 to 25 win over the Flatwood sextette. Parsons led the scoring for St. Charles and the league for the week-end by looping 29 points. Graham had 11 for the losers.

Blackwater did quite the unexpected by hanging up a double win over Dryden. The boys won 22 to 11, with Bledsoe pacing the victors. The girls won a close one over the superior Dryden lassies 35 to 33. Lawson scored 17 points for the winners, with Reasor leading the losers.

Exhibition games over the conference were interesting throughout the week. Pennington Gap won a doubleheader from Big Stone Gap. The boys triumph was 32-22, while the girls found vicotry more easily on the top side of a 29 to 13 result.

Jonesville High defeated Hancock High School of Sneedville, Tenn., in a double bill. The Capitol boys calmed their Tennessee visitors 36 to 23, with the Virginia girls victorious 35 to 21.

The forthcoming week-end will finally decide first place in the boys' league. The top game of the week will be the possibly unhappy meeting of Jonesville and Flatwood, Friday night at Jonesville. They are tied for first slot, and both are undefeated. St. Charles fell last week, leaving two of the big three in the tie which has lasted since the season started last fall, and now another must go, and at long last one team will individually claim first place.

Other games: Dryden goes to St. Charles; Keokee journeys to Blackwater; and Thomas Walker comes to Pennington Gap.

THE OFFICIAL STANDING

Boys	W	L	Pct.
Jonesville	5	0	1.000
Flatwood	5	0	1.000
St. Charles	4	1	.800
Keokee	2	3	.400
Thomas Walker	2	3	.400
Pennington	1	4	.200
Blackwater	1	4	.200
Dryden	0	5	.000

Girls	W	L	Pct.
Keokee	5	0	1.000
St. Charles	4	1	.800
Jonesville	3	2	.600
Pennington	2	3	.400
Dryden	2	3	.400
Blackwater	2	3	.400
Thomas Walker	2	3	.400
Flatwood	0	5	.000

Local Men With "Polar Bear" Regiment In Italy

Pfc. Alonzo V. Gregory, rifleman, son of Mrs. Martha Gregory, of Jonesville, and Pfc. Eugene Johnson, scout observer, son of Mrs. Mandy Johnson, of St. Charles, are numbered with the 339th "Polar Bear" Regiment, which recently shattered the vitals of the vaunted Gothic Line, taking Italian peaks as high as 3,400 feet, east of Highway 65 and Futa Pass.

The "Polar Bears" got their name in the World War, when they fought in waist-deep snow along the 400-mile front between Archangel and Leningrad in Russia. They battered on five months after the Armistice had ended the war in Europe.

The Polar Bears are under the command of Col. Breckner V. Brady, Los Angeles, Calif.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will, on February 1, 1945, apply to the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board of Virginia, at Richmond, for a permit or license to sell beer and wine for on and off premises consumption, at my place of business in the Roller Building, Morgan Avenue, Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Given under my hand this January 20, 1945.

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Mail Valentine Greetings Now For Overseas Men

Now that the Christmas season is over, we are already beginning to think in terms of Valentine greetings.

A dispatch from Washington says you'd better mail your valentines right away if you want them to reach your soldier sweetheart overseas by Valentine Day, February 14.

The majority of valentines mailed by January 15 can be delivered on time in all except the most distant theaters, the War Department said. All valentines must be sent in sealed envelopes and carry first-class postage.

NOTICE

There will be a box supper at Keokee High [redacted] auditorium, January 27, starting at 7:30 p. m. The proceeds are to be used for the benefit of the basketball teams. Everyone is cordially invited to come and have a good time.

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NEXT to MOM'S COOKING

HE THINKS OF HOME IN TERMS OF GETTING BACK ON THE JOB

OUR national leaders advise us to be prepared for the coming of peace, for the return to normal living standards. At the heart of the whole problem of reconversion is the question of jobs for returning servicemen and women and all who need and want them.

Aside from those who will enter or resume professional careers, or open their own businesses, the returning veterans have only two choices as to jobs. One kind is provided by Government and controlled by politicians. The other is provided by private business and industry. Farm jobs, like factory jobs, depend on the employer earning a legitimate profit.

Under our American system of free enterprise, the farm boy who "hires out" has a right to hope to own his farm some day, just as the factory or office worker or salesman has a right to hope to rise to a position of responsibility with his firm or even to own it.

Socialized industry such as TVA and socialized business, for which TVA sets a pattern, seek to substitute planned economy for free enterprise, to substitute a regimented people for a free people. They do not create new wealth but seek to take over markets developed under the American system. They aim to exploit where others have pioneered.

So we must face the larger question: What kind of industry do we want in Kentucky? Do we want the Government-subsidized brand that pays little or no taxes, that limits advancement to political favorites? Or do we want the kind that American free enterprise provides—offering equal opportunity, paying its share of the tax load, supporting worthwhile community projects of every kind?

Upon the answers you give to those questions depends the kind of community and job to which your men and women in service will return.

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News From
BENEDICT

(For Week of Jan. 18.)

Rev. Johnny Harris, of Elizabethton, Tenn., visited friends here last week. He will preach at the Benedict Church here the first Wednesday night in February. Everybody welcome.

Mrs. Dewey Estep and Mrs. Johnnie McPherson made a business trip to Harlan, Monday.

Mrs. Carnell Smith, of Jonesville, visited relatives here last week.

Miss Ferne Wolfenbarger, of Knoxville, visited friends and relatives here the first of the week.

Miss Alberta Howard, of Manns, visited relatives here Monday.

Mrs. Irene Scarborough and daughter, Gloria Jean, of Monarch, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sturgill and family.

Mrs. Ressie Scarborough, employed at Oak Ridge, visited here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Holman announce the birth of a son, January 8, to whom has been given the name Charlie James.

Mrs. Dewey Estep, Mrs. Fred Laws, Mrs. Curtis Ewing and Mrs. Frank Sturgill visited relatives and friends at Lee General Hospital, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Scarborough, of Monarch, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sturgill and family, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cox announce the birth of a son, January 12th.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Roberts and family visited relatives in Pennington, Sunday.

Miss Inez Ewing was the week-end guest of Mrs. Irene Smith, at Virginia Lee.

Mrs. James Holman and daughter, June, visited her daughter, Mrs. Frank Jent, and family, at St. Charles, Sunday.

Elmer Scarborough visited his sister, Mrs. Worley Dean, at Stone Creek, Sunday.

With the current restrictions on vehicles and tires, accidents involving defective vehicles increased from 8 per cent of the total in 1941, to 10 per cent in 1942, and to 15 per cent in 1943, according to the National Safety Council.

News From
PINE GROVE

(For Week of Jan. 11.)

Twin Servicemen Visit Home

Seamen 1-C. Lawrence and Clarence Napier, twin sons of Mrs. Elizabeth Napier, spent a 67-hour leave at home last week. They are stationed at Camp Peary, Va. Mrs. Napier has another son in the Navy, who is now on his way home from the South Pacific.

Pfc. Olin Farmer spent a ten-day furlough with his mother, Mrs. Addie Farmer. Pfc. Farmer reported back to a hospital in West Virginia.

Byrd Rogers has received word that his son, Sam Rogers, has arrived safely in England.

L. C. Vanzant, of the U. S. Navy, has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Arvil Ganett.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Evans and family, Mrs. Tunis Napier and daughter, and A. V. Kirk were dinner guests of Lizzie Napier, Sunday.

Junior Brock, of Corbin, Ky., has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Blue Lanham.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Wheeler had guests from Dryden, Saturday night.

Bufford Stapleton is back home after taking treatment from Dr. Short, at Norton.

Mrs. Lota Ganett is now employed part time at the Piedmont Cafe.

Noble Middleton and Wilson Dean have arrived here from Richmond, Va., where htey have been employed with the duPont plant.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Bray and family visited relatives in Harlan, Ky., last week-end.

Hubert Napier, Quentin and Dewey Thompson made a business trip to Bristol, Staurday.

Mrs. Wilson Ganett, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Bray and Walter Woodard spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hansford Woodard.

Rev. Clinton Green filled his regular appointment here Sunday, with a good attendance.

Mrs. Vaughan Kirk and little son, Jimmy Vaughan, have returned to Benham, Ky., after a visit with her parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Kirk.

Ernest Bailey, Laurel Creek, Ky., is visiting his mother, Mrs. Polly Bailey, and other relatives in Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Bray have been visiting relatives in Kentucky and Virginia. Mr. Bray will soon enter the armed forces.

Paul Irvin, former manager of the Kentucky Darby Store, is soon to stand examination for the armed forces.

Mrs. Dixie Sheppard and Mrs. Lillian Napier were shopping in Kingsport, Tenn., Tuesday.

Four-fifths of all gas fatalities in 1943 occurred in the home, according to the National Safety Council.

News From
JONESVILLE

Route Four

(For Week of Jan. 18.)

Mrs. Chester Dykes and son, Junior, of Ben Hur, were visiting her aunt, Mrs. Mintie Williams, recently.

Pfc. Clarence Witt was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Don Terry, Sunday night.

Miss Joy Hall, of Ben Hur, was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Mintie Williams, Saturday night.

Carl, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Reece, is on the sick list at this time.

Mrs. Cephus Russell and children spent Saturday night with her sister, Mrs. Lorn Roop, of Mt. Hope.

Mrs. Linda Davidson is visiting her granddaughter, Mrs. Faye Trent, of Andover, Va.

Mrs. Mintie Williams and daughter, Una, visited Mrs. Don Terry, Friday.

Mrs. Clayton Carroll was the week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cornis Woliver.

News From
MILLER'S CHAPEL

(For Week of Jan. 18.)

Misses Chaney, Cleo and Euia Mae Tonker were shopping in Jonesville, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Zack Tonker are enjoying their new home here.

Mary Ann and Helen Woodward, of Maple Hill, were guests of Cleo Tonker, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pettis Warner have recently moved to Dot, Va.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 20th day of January, 1945.

Francis C. McDavid...Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
James Carl McDavid....Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce on grounds of desertion. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, James Carl McDavid, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address is unknown, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p. q., Vance S. King.
Adv. No. 4 - 4t.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 20th day of January, 1945.

Fern Russell .....Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Ray Russell .....Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce A vinculo Matrimonii, on grounds of adultery. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Ray Russell, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address is unknown, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

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News and Comedy

Friday and Saturday, February 2 - 3
DOUBLE FEATURE
Henry Aldrich's Little Secret
—with—
JIMMY LYDON — CHARLES SMITH
JOAN MORTIMER
—also—
DEATH VALLEY MANHUNT
—with—
BILL ELLIOTT — GEORGE "GABBY" HAYES
ANNE JEFFREYS
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CAB CALLOWAY
News and Shorts

Wed., Jan. 31—BARGAIN DAY—14c and 20c
SARONG GIRL
—with—
ANN CORIO
Also Chapter No. 3, Serial
"LOST JUNGLE"

Thursday and Friday, February 1 - 2
BARBARY COAST GENT
—with—
WALLACE BEERY — BINNIE BARNES
FRANCES RAFERTY
Latest War News

Saturday, February 3 — DOUBLE FEATURE
KID DYNAMITE
—with—
LEO GORCEY - HUNTZ HALL - BOBBY JORDAN
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HAUNTED RANCH
—starring—
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—with—
KAY KYSER — ANN MILLER
A Grand Musical—80 Minutes of Fun and Music
Also Late News

Friday and Saturday, February 2 - 3
TWO BIG FEATURES
GENE AUTRY — SMILEY BURNETTE
—in—
Get Along Little Doggie
Also
Murder In The Blue Room
—with—
ANN GUYNNE
Also Chapter No. 10, Serial
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Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Bailey and daughter, Mary, and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Francis and family, of Bonny Blue, visited Mr. and Mrs. Jess Ledford, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., recently.

Mrs. Grace Burgan and Mrs. Jake Howard attended the Victory Club meeting at Bonny Blue Saturday night.

Leonard Lambert, of L. M. U., spent last week-end with home folk at Woodway.

Mayflower Victory Club

Mrs. Oscar Burden, of Bonny Blue, was hostess to the Mayflower Victory Club at her home Saturday night, assisted by Mrs. Marcus McKinney. After the business was disposed of, a social hour and refreshments were enjoyed by the following members: Mesdames Harrold Rogers, Howard Elliot, Boyd Bailey, Jim Hatfield, Billy Casteel, Garland Casteel, Lee Francis, Cecil Broyles, Jake Howard, and Mrs. Grace Burgan was an invited guest.

Be sure to see "Panhandle Pete", in Dixie Partners", coming to Lee Theatre, Friday night, February 2.

Cpl. Clyde Franklin was at home with his wife and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Franklin, of Bonny Blue, recently.

Mr. George Woodard is much improved at Lee General Hospital.

Luncheon For Lt. and Mrs. Laningham

Mrs. J. G. Overbay, Sr., entertained at her home Friday with a luncheon in honor of her nephew, First Lt. B. B. Laningham, and Mrs. Laningham, who were leaving the next morning for Miami, Fla., where Lt. Laningham will await further assignment to duty with the armed forces.

Lt. Laningham, familiarly known here as "Billy", has just completed a 21-day leave, after several months' overseas duty with the U. S. Army Air Force. During his overseas service, he completed 59 combat missions, many of them very hazardous, but came out with "flying colors" and many awards of merit, described elsewhere in this issue.

Attend Recent Funeral Here

Some of the out-of-town people attending the funeral of H. D. Parsons here recently, and not previously mentioned, were: Mr. and Mrs. Bill Barker, Big Stone Gap; George Williams and family, of Appalachia; Pvt. J. Carl Parsons, Fort Sam Houston, Texas; Misses Irene and Loretta Williams, of Harlan, Ky.; George Reep, Oak Ridge, Tenn.; Frank Bisceglia and family, of Middlesboro, Ky.; Mrs. Willie Freeman, St. Paul, Va.; and Josh Barney, Oak Ridge, Tenn.

Mrs. Niel McKinnon visited her nieces, Miss Irene Russell and Mrs. Amy Chapman, in Knoxville, a few days last week. Mrs. McKinnon, formerly Miss Ida Russell, is making her home temporarily with her mother, Mrs. J. D. Russell, while her husband, Chaplain McKinnon, is in foreign service. Mrs. McKinnon recently did substitute teaching for Mrs. O. T. Gibson while the latter was in California with her husband.

Be sure to see "Panhandle Pete" in "Dixie Partners", coming to Lee Theatre, Friday night, February 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Sutton are back home after a visit with relatives in Baltimore. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Ezra Sutton.

Promoted

Pfc. Thomas H. Irvin, son of Mrs. Nora Nedweski, of Hagan, has been promoted to corporal, according to official information. He is a truck driver with the 173rd Field Artillery Battalion of the Fifth Army in England.

Miss Georgia A. Skidmore left Tuesday for Pensacola, Fla., where she will spend a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Raymond Chandler.

Miss Virginia Slemp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Slemp, of Dryden, left yesterday morning for Knoxville, to take a commercial course.

Cpl. James Williams, son of Mrs. Iva Williams, gave his mother a pleasant surprise Sunday night by his unexpected arrival home for a 17-day furlough. James has served for the last 29 months in the South Pacific area.

Among those on the sick list this week are Mrs. W. B. Livesay, Mrs. Cinda Querry, Bobby Housley, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Housley, Jr.

Tech. Sgt. Frank M. (Milford) Hawks is here on furlough, after several months' service in the U. S. Army Air Force. He and Mrs. Hawks are visiting in Kingsport this week, and we hope to have from him a fuller account of his Army service for next week's issue.

Mr. and Mrs. Edsel Stewart and son, Manning, visited Mr. Stewart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Stewart, Sunday.

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Mrs. Engell and daughter, Dortha Louise, of Harlan, Ky., visited Mrs. Grace Burgan last Tuesday.

Pfc. Kenneth Stewart spent a few days last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stewart.

Mrs. Lonzo Bray and Mrs. Wilson Garrett were shopping in Harlan, Ky., Tuesday.

Antney Rogers visited friends and relatives at Flatwood last week-end.

Warning!
WATCH OUT FOR SNIFFLY
Head Colds
Head colds can cause much suffering. Don't suffer needlessly. Just put a little Va-tro-nol up each nostril. Relieves uneasy, stuffy distress. Also helps prevent many colds from developing if used in time! Try it. Follow directions in folder. Works fine!
AFEWDROPS quickly relieve distress
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Have A Complete Line Of
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Detroit Girls Marries Former St. Charles Man

Miss Juanita Holmes, of Detroit, Mich., and Stan Rains, Gunner First Mate on a tanker of the U. S. Navy, formerly of St. Charles, were married at Everettes, Washington, December 30.

Mrs. Rains was employed as drill press operator at the Square D Company in Detroit. While on leave Mr. Rains visited at her home, taking her back with him when they were married.

This is the culmination of a school day courtship, and their many friends wish for them a long and happy married life.

Lt. Robert H. Watson Is Now In Florida

Miami Beach, Fla.—First Lt. Robert H. Watson, 24, of St. Charles, Va., has arrived at Army Air Forces Redistribution Station No. 2 in Miami Beach for reassignment processing, after completing a tour of duty outside the continental United States.

Medical examinations and classification interviews at this post, pioneer of several redistribution stations operated by the AAF Personnel Distribution Command for AAF returnee officers and enlisted men, will determine his new assignment. He will remain at the redistribution station about two weeks, much of which will be devoted to rest and recreation.

As a B-24 and B-17 pilot, Lieutenant Watson flew 28 missions while in the European theater of operations, winning the Distinguished Flying Cross, and the Air Medal with three Oak Leaf Clusters.

Son of J. T. Watson, of St. Charles, he entered the Army in May, 1942. His wife, Ona, lives in Dublin, Va.

Time lost in 1943 due to disabling injuries of workers on and off the job — was equivalent to a shutdown of the nation's entire shipbuilding and aircraft industries for 38 days, the National Safety Council reports.

IMPORTANCE OF 1945 AGRICULTURAL CENSUS

It is difficult to estimate the importance of the 1945 agricultural census. The information gathered on roads, crops, farm equipment and almost everything pertaining to the eleven billion dollar farm business in the United States in 1940 will show a remarkable increase in this census. This information will be of great value to Virginia farmers as well as to those who are planning postwar activities for the Federal and State Governments.

A question of major importance that will be inculded in the 1945 Census of Agriculture Schedule, according to J. C. Capt, Director of the Census, will be to determine the distances from the reporting farmers to the nearest all-weather road. The accessibility of the nation's six billion farms to all-weather roads is of prime importance to the individual farmer as well as to the nation as a whole. There are approximately 2,400,000 miles of country, township and village roads in the United States. Over these flowed a large percentage of the products in the immense farm business of 1940.

At present 48.7% of the nation's farms are still on dirt roads. A comprehensive picture of this problem, such as the 1945 agricultural census will give, will make it possibe to plan for improvement of secondary roads. Large mileages on the secondary road systems carry only light traffic, but there are several hundred thousand miles that carry sufficient traffic to justify improvement. Readily available figures concerning this and other major agricultural problems of nation-wide, state and county interest, will be obtained by the 1945 agricultural census.

Every effort has been made to simplify the 1945 schedules. The value of the census for both farms and business depends on the accuracy and full cooperation of the nation's farmers. A little later we expect to give some data on agricultural conditions in Virginia. We think this may be of great interest to Virginia farmers.

The Bureau of the Census is asking full cooperation of all Virginians in the taking of the 1945 agricultural census.

Beware of smoking kerosene stoves, says the National Safety Council. White kerosene smoke burns with explosive violence when ignited. It is the smoking stove that leads to the familiar headline, "KEROSENE STOVE EXPLODES—FARMTR'S WIFE KILLED."

THE OLD JUDGE SAYS...

"Judge, remember that place up in the mountains where we went trout fishing last year?"

"I sure do, George. We had a great time up there, didn't we?"

"I'll never forget it. But this will interest you, Judge. I heard just yesterday that the revenue men raided a big still right near there. Guess that's where all that high-priced moonshine we heard about has been coming from."

"Wouldn't be a bit surprised. I saw in the paper the other day where the Government has raided thousands of such stills during the past year."

"Sounds sort of reminiscent, doesn't it, Judge?"

"Exactly and it's not hard to figure out. As soon as the distillers stopped making whiskey and devoted their entire facilities to the production of industrial alcohol for the Government ... the racketeers muscled in again."

"I hate to think of how that might have spread, Judge, if the Government hadn't found it possible, without interfering with our war effort in any way, to permit a short resumption of legal whiskey production recently."

This advertisement sponsored by Conference of Alcoholic Beverage Industries, Inc.

The Growing Shortage

Of items usually supplied by drug stores will in all probability increase rather than decrease, during the year of 1945. The recent German drive on the Western Front, with its continued action, has shown that the war is not over by a long time . . . and such action by our enemies means that we must put more and more energy and materials into our effort to win the war as quickly as we can.

When we "gripe" about doing without certain little items we want, it shows a lack of knowledge of our country's needs and the sacrifices our boys are making, or else a downright selfishness on our part. Let us hope it is the first reason.

We are doing everything that we can to supply our customers with vital needs and services and if you do not find everything you want remember, . . . AMMUNITION has been RATIONED to our boys who were facing a well armed enemy. Let's be cheerful in doing without.

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GROWERS HAVE FOUR SALES NEXT WEEK, AS FOLLOWS:
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Let Willie Wickham, "The Tobacco Grower's Friend," Sell Your Tobacco
PLENTY FLOOR SPACE AND WE WILL BE GLAD TO TAKE CARE OF YOU, DAY OR NIGHT. COME WHEN YOU ARE READY AND REST ASSURED YOU ARE GETTING TOPS IN SALES AND SERVICE, AND A SALE GUARANTEED NEXT WEEK.
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Honored Lee Countians

"The Heritage Of Old Age Is Not Despair."

The above adage by Vivian Grey is proven in the lives of the following residents of our community who, though having survived many years of life, are still youthful in mind and thought.

A Faithful Churchgoer

MRS. MARY A. KELLY

April 6, 1945, will mark the 94th birthday anniversary of Mrs. Mary A. ("Grandma") Kelly, a life-long resident of Pennington Gap.

Grandma lives in the country, but walks the distance of almost two miles regularly to visit among friends, to shop, or whatever her fancy dictates. She seldom misses Sunday School or church services on Sunday, and much of the time attends the mid-week prayer services.

She is pictured here with her grandson, Ben Pearce Kelly.

Lady of the Mountains

MRS. JULIA KIRK

Mrs. Julia Kirk, familiarly known as "Aunt Julia", is in her late eighties. She lives near the Pine Grove Church, Pennington Gap, Route 1, in the same house in which she began housekeeping about 64 years ago.

She is a very lovable lady, cheerful, happy and content with life. Her husband was the late Ben F. Kirk, life-long resident of the mountain community in Lee County.

Life-Long Lee Countian

SPENCER YEARY

If Mr. Yeary lives to see February 22, 1945, he will observe his 95th birthday anniversary. Mr. Yeary was born and reared in Lee County, and has lived most of his years in the community of Pennington Gap. He makes his home with his daughter, Mrs. J. D. Turner, of Pennington Gap, and is a very happy, congenial person.

"A Contented Mind"

MRS. LETITIA LARMER

"Grandma" Larmer observed her 90th birthday anniversary on November 16, 1944. Her daughter kept open house for her, and all day long admiring friends called to express congratulations and good wishes

Mrs. Larmer seemingly never gets "ruffled" or worried, but invariably will be found smiling and happy, ready to welcome and talk with friends who call to see her. She is the widow of the late Rev. P. H. Larmer, a pioneer resident of our county

Born and Wed in March

G. W. AND MRS. RUSSELL

Mr. Russell is a retired farmer and has lived in Lee County practically all his life. He now resides in West Pennington.

Mr. Russell will be 95 years of age the 13th of March. He says he wanted to be married on his birthday anniversary, but that Mrs. Russell was just a little bit "superstitious" of the 13th.

He has a remarkable memory, and loves to talk about early pioneer life in Lee County and Pennington Gap. He knows all the old landmarks and recalls many lively and interesting stories of people of by-gone years.

Eldest Of All Residents

HIRAM J. YEARY

Mr. Yeary was 96 years young the 15th day of November, 1944. His eyesight and hearing have failed considerably, but he can still read books and papers to some extent, and enjoys talking to friends who come to see him. Two or three times last summer he walked the distance of more than a mile to visit with friends.

He has a brother, Captain Newton D. Yeary, formerly of Lee County, but now of Dallas, Texas, who celebrated his 104th birthday on the 28th day of October, 1944.

The total water consumption in U. S. Army camps has been estimated roughly at about that of the State of Michigan.

Needlework Her Pastime

MRS. MALINDA S. LEVACY

Mrs. Malinda S. Levacy, pictured above with four of her five generations, was born February 14, 1854, and is therefore one year past the 90 mark.

Despite her years, Mrs. Levacy maintains a remarkable activity. She pieces quilts and does crochet work for pastime, she says, and has 32 "wedding ring" quilts to her credit, which she not only pieced but quilted. She visits much among her friends.

Mrs. Levacy has six living children, 54 grandchildren, 70 grand-grandchildren, and two great-great grandchildren. She has made during her lifetime 32 round trips to Texas to visit with her children living there, the last trip being in 1944. She is now with her daughter, Mrs. Bert Levacy, of Blackwater. Her only living brother is D. D. Hall, of Jonesville.

In writing to us the above brief sketch of her life, Mrs. Levacy adds: "May God bless all who read this, as He has blessed me."

Will Soon Be Ninety

G. W. BARLOW

Although Mr. Barlow doesn't look it, September, 1945, will bring him to his 90th birthday. He is extremely alert in body and mind, and mingles happily with the town folk

Mr. Barlow wasn't old enough to fight in the Civil War, but remembers many of the happenings, especially the battle at Jonesville. He was born in Washington County, but has spent practically all his life in Lee County.

He is the father of T. C. Barlow, Mrs. Murphy King and Mrs. W. P. Kelly, of Pennington Gap, and also has three other children elsewhere. Pictured with his is his grandson, Billy Ledford.

News From POOR VALLEY

Mrs J. B. Horton and son, Carson Bernette, spent Saturday in Harlan, Ky., on business.

Kenneth Edens, of Lake City, Tenn., visited Mr. and Mrs. Roscade Lovely and Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Creekmore and family last week.

Charles Lovely, a defense worker, of Clinton, Tenn., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs Roscade Lovely, last week-end.

Poor Valley will have their regular monthly church services Saturday and Sunday, Jan. 27-28. Special ministers will preside.

Mrs. Hattie Reynolds spent last week-end in Big Stone Gap.

Miss Bernice Reynolds, formerly of Poor Valley, is in Tennessee, presumably working in a defense plant.

Some boys from Ben Hur attended church services here Sunday night.

Everybody is invited to attend church services every Wednesday and Sunday night.

News From HAGAN

Mr. and Mrs. Cellie Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Will Ingle and Andy Ingle were visiting Mrs. Martha Wolfe, of Rose Hill, Sunday.

Misses Eula Mae and Flora Ely are visiting relatives at Knoxville, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Eldridge and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Wright Hounshell, of Rose Hill, Sunday.

Rev. Robert Debusk preached at the Community Church here Sunday night.

Mrs. Joe Fee is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cam Harber, at Hubbard Springs.

Mrs. Howard Sumner and son spent Saturday night with her sister, Mrs. Homer Depew, at Hubbard Springs.

Gill and Sam Hensley, Sampson, Ky., spent the week-end with their sister, Mrs. Gill Hensley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Pole Smith and daughter, Marie, of Ohio, are visiting Mrs. John Farmer this week.

Noted Virginia Poet Dedicates Poem To Nation's Polio Victims

The following poem was written by Mrs. Florence Dickinson Stearns, president of the Poetry Society of Virginia, and who is one of Virginia's noted poets. The poem is dedicated to the drive against polio, or infantile paralysis:

Always a shadow following these
Sad victims of a dread disease;
Always the years they are waiting to cross
Are paved with pain and marked by loss.

Sun shines through the leaves of the shingle-oak
They used to climb. They used to look
From the slope where their sleds came dashing down
To the level stretch of the good old town.

The bright games of childhood pass them by;
Their hearts contract in their misery
At the sight of others who skate about
On the glittering pond, just a short way out.

They think of the time when the days were sweet,
When with a healthy body and dancing feet,
They ran without thought of pain or care,
With the wind and the sun in their flying hair.

You with bright childhood's memories,
With little lost ones such as these
To plague your sight, can you coldly refrain
From lifting a child from this lost domain?

"Of such is the kingdom of heaven", was said
By a King with no sceptre—no crown on His head,
But who, from a kingdom no mortal has crossed,
Still stretches His hand to the little and lost.

—Florence Dickinson Stearns

Urgent Need Of Nurses On Home - War Fronts

TEN WAYS TO RELEASE NURSES FOR ARMY SERVICE

1. Work in a hospital in any type of housekeeping duties.
2. Remember hospital beds are at a premium. Defer a non-essential operation when your doctor asks you to do so.
3. Save the nurse's time at the hospital by asking for only necessary service.
4. Do not employ a special nurse except for critical illness. Use your local visiting nurse association or hourly nursing service for illness at home.
5. Become a U. S. Cadet Nurse, if you are eligible.
6. Become a Red Cross nurse's aide, if there is a program in your community. If you are a trained aide, serve at least ten hours every week.
7. Learn how to take care of members of your own family. Take a Red Cross Home Nursing Course.
8. Guard your own health. Don't take useless risks.
9. Urge every nurse and retired nurse not eligible for military service to take up an essential nursing job to fill up the ranks on the civilian front.
10. Seek out every nurse classified as available for military service. Urge her to apply at once to the American Red Cross or to wire collect The Surgeon General of the Army.

Only Graduate Nurses Are Accepted by the Army and Navy; yet everyone can help to make it possible for a graduate nurse to serve.

AMERICAN RED CROSS.

Before adjusting hems of dresses to new lengths, rip the hem and wash the garment. It is easier to get rid of the crease and thin ridge of soil which often forms at this point with this method.

Unusual Opportunities Offered Cadet Nurses To Complete Education

Red Cross Chapters are receiving urgent appeals from national headquarters to aid in securing 10,000 additional nurses needed by the Army to take care of casualties returning from the battle zones.

With the first openings this month of spring classes in nursing schools, unusual opportunities await qualified high school graduates and college women in Virginia who wish to fill the critical need for nurses on our home and war fronts, it is announced from Washington, D. C., by Lucile Petry, Director, U. S. Cadet Nurse Corps of the U. S. Public Health Service.

The Cadet Nurse Corps' accelerated program of nurse education requires from 24 to 30 months to produce a graduate nurse. During this training period, however, the cadet nurses carry a large part of the nursing service load in civilian hospitals, making it possible to release more graduates for military duty. Miss Petry points out that an increasing number of graduate nurses are being called upon to fill the nation's need for care of its war casualties, and that it is imperative that the current demand for student nurses be met at once.

Basil O'Connor, national chairman of the Red Cross, writes Dr. G. B. Setzler, Lee County chairman, as follows: "The Surgeon General of the Army has again appealed to me to urge an immediate maximum Red Cross effort to secure the 10,000 additional nurses which the Army requested of us. Rapidly mounting casualties make it imperative that these nurses be acquired at once, or many of our wounded will be deprived of essential nursing care. Eleven Army Hospital Units about to go overseas are being sent without any nurses.

"This is an unprecedented event in this war. The people of the country cannot appreciate the extreme gravity of the situation and the efforts they can make to relieve it. At best, legislation requires time, and the wounded cannot wait."

The local chapter turned over its facilities to the program, and any nurse who wishes to respond to the call now, or any young girl with a high school education who wishes to enter training is urged to contact Dr. G. B. Setzler, chairman, Lee County Chapter, American Red Cross, Pennington Gap, Va.

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The only true story of the nation's most noted feud. On sale now for only 29c at
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Roses While I'm Living

Some folk plan a big funeral
Long before they're dead;
With sprays, wreaths and blankets—
Roses white and red.

But as for me, while I'm living,
A kind word is easily said;
And I'd rather have a smile from a friend
Than flowers and songs when I'm dead.

Give me my roses while I'm living—
Whether white, pink or red;
I'd rather have one small bunch of them now
Than a hearse full after I'm dead.

—Contributed.

ATTENTION--LEE COUNTY TOBACCO GROWERS!

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ROGERSVILLE TOBACCO BOARD OF TRADE
Rogersville, Tennessee
"The Hub of the Burley Market"

Timely Notice to Employers From The S.S. Board

Some misunderstanding still exists regarding the social security tax returns made quarterly by industrial and business concerns. All tax and informational returns should be sent direct to the Collector of Internal Revenue, NOT to the Social Security Board.

This caution was issued today by Ben Miller, manager of the Bristol, Virginia, office of the Social Security Board.

He also stated that employers—subject to the law—can save themselves time and trouble by making certain that the name, account number, and wage earnings of each employee are shown on this quarterly tax report.

Mr. Miller explained that the old-age and survivors insurance benefits which will be paid to the worker when he reaches 65 and retires from his job or those paid to survivors, in case of the worker's death, will depend upon the wages credited to his social security account. Each individual account is identified by an account number—the same one that appears on the worker's social security card. Therefore, it is important that the account number of each and every employee be included in the employer's quarterly wage report.

January is the month in which the employer will make his social security tax return for the last three months of 1944. If his books fail to show the name and account number of every employee who worked for his company during October, Novemebr, and December, steps should be take immediately to secure the required information.

Cpl. Harber Cited For Outstanding Service

With U. S. Army Forces in the Pacific.—Corporal Hubert E. Harber, of Pennington Gap, Va., now serving at an advance Pacific base, has been cited by the Naval Commander of the base for his invaluable service in the repair and installation of teletype equipment. A member of an Army Teletype Service Group, Harber made necessary repairs and installations despite the lack of badly needed material.

Cpl. Harber has been serving with this forward echelon since June, 1944. He is the son of Mrs. Elizabeth Harber, and the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Harber, of Pennington Gap.

Staff Sgt. Edward Parsons has returned to camp after spending an 18-day furlough here with his wife, Mrs. Mary Parsons, and baby, Zelma Kay. Mrs. Parsons and baby will be leaving soon to join him in Gulfport, Miss., where he is stationed.

Miss Virginia Shortridge, nurse at Grundy Hospital, Grundy, Va., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Woodrow Kelly and family here this week.

News From WALLENS CREEK

Mary Lou Russell, Cor.

(For Week of Jan. 18.)

Porter Russell visited Mr. and Mrs. John Seabolt and son, Charlie, and Millard Edwards, Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. Watson was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Haywood Watson and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Collins, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Collins entertained the following guests Sunday: Miss Mary Lou Russell, E. J. Cox, Ottie Collins, Rando and Blaine Cox, and Harold Ball.

Everyone enjoyed the fine sermon delivered by L. D. Perkins here Sunday.

Martin Warner visited Mr. and Mrs. John Seabolt and family, Sunday.

Mrs. Dewey Collins visited Mrs. Wayman Gibson last Sunday.

Mrs. Millard Edwards visited her sister-in-law, Mrs. Henry Edwards, last Sunday.

Homer and Marshall Collingsworth, brothers, purchased a truck from C. T. Combs, went to the mines and loaded five tons of coal on it, but had a break-down before reaching home.

Roy E. Johnson is moving from Wallen Creek to James Hickam's place on Blackwater.

Franklin Jones was visiting James Lockhart, Sunday.

Canned foods that show any signs of spoilage should be destroyed.

News From BEN HUR

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Whitey and children, of St. Charles, visited friends here last week-end.

Mrs. W. A. Robbins spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. H. A. Sprinkle.

Mr. and Mrs. Garnett Walton have moved to Clinton, Tenn., to make their home.

Seaman Oscar Cress, of the Navy, is here on furlough, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Cress, Sr.; also his sister, Pauline, and other relatives.

Alice Fisher is visiting friends in Kingsport, Tenn.

Amanda Hall, of Kingsport, is visiting her sister here, Mrs. Fay Fisher.

Friends of Cpl. Jack Pennington regret to learn that he is missing in action.

Geneva Pennington is ill in Lee General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rogers visited Mrs. M. S. Surgeonor, of Kyles Ford, Tenn., and also Mrs. J. F. Rogers, who is ill.

Rev. Carden, of Harlan, Ky., held services at the Tabernacle, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Terry spent Saturday night with their son, Nathan Terry, Mrs. Terry and family.

Mrs. W. A. Robbins has received a letter from her son, dated December 29. He stated that he is in Belgium, and is all right.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jones last week, a son.

Claude, Carl and Berry Hounshell are moving to Indiana soon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Robbins had a letter from their son, Rains, dated January 5, stating that he is in England and is feeling fine.

Honorably Discharged; Re-enlisted, Is Overseas

Pfc. "VC" Green, son of Hiram and Susan Green, of Olinger, who entered the Army at the age of sixteen and had served in Africa and Sicily before the fact that he was under age was known, and who was honorably discharged for this reason, has again entered the Army at the age of 18 and is now in England receiving additional training before being sent to France to fight the Germans.

Another son of Mr. and Mrs. Green, Sgt. Kyle Winford Green, who has served in Australia and New Guinea, is now somewhere in the Philippines fighting the Japs. This son is 25 years old and has been overseas two years.

Jonesville Girl On College Honor Roll

Barbourville, Ky.—Miss Nanetta Ely, Jonesville, Virginia, was on the Honor Roll of Union College for the fall quarter according to Dean C. R. Wimmer of the college. The roll includes those who attained a "B" average in their courses while carrying a full program.

News From BENEDICT

Rev. Johnnie Harris, of Elizabethton, Tenn., will preach here at the Benedict Church on February 7. Everybody welcome.

Mrs. Cassie Estep, of Calvin, visited relatives here the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hargraves were called to Hagan last week on account of the death of Mr. Hargraves' mother. Friends here express their sympathy to the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Blevins visited relatives at Keokee last week.

Mrs. Lucille Hall and son, Marion Walter, visited relatives at Jonesville last week.

Ralph Hull, employed at Clinton, Tenn., visited friends here last week.

Junior Hale, of the Merchant Marine, visited relatives here last week.

Rev. Mack Butler, of Wise County, will preach here at the Benedict Church, Tuesday night, January 30th. Everyone invited to attend.

Jack Thompson and son, Joe, visited relatives at Dunbar last week-end.

Mrs. Jim Roberts visited friends at Pennington, Friday.

Maynard Thompson, of Toms Creek, spent last week with friends here.

Bill Blevins spent the week-end with relatives at Toms Creek.

Rev. Floyd Haun, St. Charles, filled his regular appointment here Sunday and Sunday night.

News From WALLEN'S CREEK

Mary Lou Russell, Cor.

Miss Mary Lou Russell, Mrs. Ethel Gibson and Messrs. Wayman Gibson, Crockett Russell, Charlie Horton, Jr., and Roe P. Parkey visited Mr. and Mrs. Boss Edwards and son last Sunday.

Porter Russell and sons were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tivis Collins, Sunday.

Mrs. Millard E. Edwards visited her sister-in-law, Mrs. Mae Ola Edwards, Saturday.

We regret that our Sunday School has been discontinued until spring.

Miss Nola Mae Kinzer visited Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Bledsoe and son, Thomas, Sunday.

William Collinsworth, employed at the Power Plant at Kingsport, Tenn., spent Saturday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Collinsworth, of this place.

Mossie Russell, small daughter of H. P. Russell, celebrated her sixth birthday anniversary last Wednesday.

Put bowls, mixing spoons, egg beaters and other implements to soak in cool suds the moment they have been used. This will prevent egg or dough hardening on them.

The city of Lublin's civic history goes back to the 10th century.

Rose Hill Soldier In Advanced Flight Training

Aviation Cadet Earl Buford Flanary, son of Mrs. Vida L. Flanary, Rose Hill, Va., has reported at Carlsbad, New Mexico, Army Air Field where he will receive advanced flight training in high-level bombardiering and dead-reckoning navigation.

The Carlsbad Army Air Field is the largest bombardier school in the Army Air Forces Training Command.

During the twenty four weeks training course Cadet Flanary will study bombardiering and dead-reckoning navigation under simulated combat conditions. On graduation he will be awarded silver bombardier's wings and will be ready for active duty as an officer in the Army Air Forces.

He is a former student of Lincoln Memorial University, Harrogate, Tenn.

His wife is the former Virginia Vivian Hobbs, Rose Hill, Va.

His brother, Pvt. Fred M. Flanary, is serving in the armed forces at Austin, Texas.

When connecting or disconnecting your electric washer hold the cord plug in the fingers, as jerking the plug by the cord will strain it.

An abbreviated nauralization process was provided in 1942 for aliens serving in the U. S. armed forces.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of Lee County, in vacation, the 24th day of January, 1945.

Barney Everidge ....Complainant

vs. Order of Publication

Mary Helen King Everidge

.... Defendant

The object of the above styled suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on behalf of the complainant from the defendant on grounds of desertion for more than two years and on grounds of adultery.

And it appearing by affidavit filed according to law that Mary Helen King Everidge, the above named defendant, is not a resident of this State; it is therefore ordered that the said Mary Helen King Everidge do appear within ten days after due publication of this order, in the Clerk's Office of our said Court, and do what is necessary to protect her interests. It is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a newspaper published in Lee County, Virginia. And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of said County on or before the next succeeding rule day, and another copy of this order be mailed to the defendant at the Post Office address given in the affidavit.

CHARLES N. HAWS,
Deputy Clerk.

Robt. B. Ely, p. q.

No. 4-4t.

I'll never forget her!

"I went ashore at Normandy on D Day plus one with a combat engineer squad. We had built one bridge, repaired another, and were heading toward a third job when the Jerries 'zeroed' in on us. I had fourteen men in my truck. A couple of them were killed and a couple of others wounded. I was just crawling under the truck for cover when I got it from a 'tree burst'—that's a shell that bursts at treetop level. The concussion blew me under the truck and right out the other side. A shell fragment went through my right arm and I lost a finger from my left hand. At an evacuation hospital an Army nurse cleaned me up, stood by me until I was operated on. I'll never forget her. I remember the boys cheered like mad when they saw the first Army nurses hit the beach at Normandy. They knew, then, that if they were hit they'd be taken care of right."

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Mrs. F. E. Pennington Died in Harlan Hospital

Had Suffered Stroke Of Paralysis Last Saturday

Mrs. F. E. Pennington, 79, died Wednesday, January 24, in a Harlan, Ky., hospital. She had been ill for some time, and last Saturday suffered a stroke of paralysis. She was the widow of the late John L. Pennington, practically a life-long resident of Pennington Gap, who was numbered among the outstanding business men of his day.

She was a native of Harlan, Ky., being the daughter of the late William and Nancy Blanton, of Harlan. She is survived by one daughter, Miss Pearl Pennington, music director in Pennington High School; three sons, William, of St. Louis, Mo.; M. W. and D. L., both of Seattle, Washington; also six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, at the First Baptist Church of Pennington Gap, in charge of the pastor, Rev. P. R. Stubbs. Interment will follow in Admant Cemetery on Stone Creek.

Sgt. Walton L. Chance, U. S. Marine Corps, is spending a furlough visit with his mother, Mrs. H. B. Ingle, and Mr. Ingle, at Harlan, Ky.; also spending some time with friends in Pennington Gap. Sgt. Chance has been in the Marine Corps three years, and overseas a little more than two years.

Sgt. Eddie Kirk, St. Charles, is serving with the Motor Transport Service in Europe. Hauling 125 million gallons of motor and aviation gasoline to combat units through artillery fire, enemy planes and snipers has been the job of a number of bulk tank truck companies since June 28, D plus 20.

The water allowance in U. S. Army camps is 100 gallons per capita daily.

FARM PRODUCTION MEETINGS HELD IN COUNTY THIS WEEK

The 1945 Farm Production Goal meetings, which are to be held in every county in the State of Virginia, are being conducted in Lee County this week, January 22-27.

All agricultural agencies operating in Lee County, including Agricultural Extension Service, AAA, Farm Security and Loans Agencies, are participating.

Speakers at these meetings are County Agent R. C. Carter, F. B. Hyatt, chairman Lee County AAA, and others, including vocational agriculture teachers, Farm Security Administration supervisors. The schedule of meetings is as follows:

Thomas Walker School, Monday, Jan. 22; 7:00 p. m.

Flatwood School, Tuesday, Jan. 23; 7:00 p. m.

Elk Knob School, Wednesday, Jan 24; 7:00 p. m.

Dryden School, Thursday, Jan. 25; 7:00 p. m.

Blackwater School, Friday, Jan. 26; 2:00 p. m.

Jonesville Courthouse, Saturday, Jan. 27; 2:00 p. m.

A 40-minute sound picture entitled "Soldiers of the Soil", is being shown at each meeting.

Crosses and Re-crosses Pacific

James Robert (J.B.) Carter, S. 1-C., has crossed the Pacific Ocean eight times and the Atlantic twice. At last while on this side, he was given a furlough to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Carter, of St. Charles. He brought with him a friend, Joseph Conway, S. 1-C., whose home is in Mobile, Ala. On their return to New York, Mrs. Carter and daughters, Helen and Elsie Mae, accompanied them as far as Bristol.

Seaman Carter has been in the Navy fifteen months.

Lt. B. B. Laningham Goes To Florida Post

First Lt. and Mrs. B. B. Laningham left last Saturday for Miami, Fla., where Lt. Laningham has been assigned for the usual two weeks' rest period before being reassigned to duty.

He spent a 21-day leave here after 18 months' overseas service with the U. S. Army Air Forces. During this time he flew 59 combat missions, coming through with awards of the Flying Cross, Distinguished Flying Cross, Air Medal and three Oak Leaf Clusters.

Lt. Laningham is a graduate of Pennington High School and was an upper classman at Virginia Polytechnic Institute at the time he enlisted in service. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Laningham. His wife was formerly Miss Josephine Reasor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Reasor, of Pennington Gap.

Miss Helen Sharp Will Present Bible To Church

Sunday morning, January 28, at 10:45 o'clock, Miss Helen Sharp, on behalf of herself, her brother, sister and mother, will present to the St. Charles Methodist church a new Pulpit Bible, in memory of her father, the late Rev. Walter Sharp, a former pastor of this church.

A new and beautiful Bible marker, given by Mrs. J. T. Watson, will also be presented with the Bible. The Bible dedication service will be as follows:

Prelude, Mrs. Sara W. Black; Hymn: "The Church's One Foundation"; Responsive reading; Gloria Patria; Prayer, Pastor; Duet, 23rd Psalm, the Foster Twins; Offering; Solo, Helen Sharp; Presentation of Bible, Helen Sharp; Dedication, Pastor; Message on Bible, Pastor; Hymn: "Close to Thee"; Benediction.

It is expected that a large group will be in attendance.

C. R. McPherson, Pastor.

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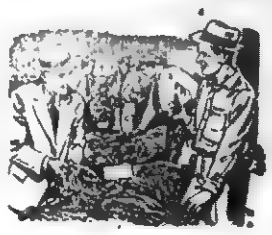

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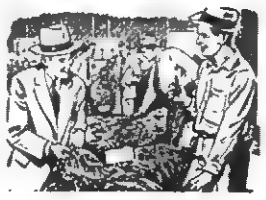

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FOR FURTHER INFORMATION SEE OR WRITE

A. B. Foster

BOX 422-A PENNINGTON GAP, VA.

Mrs. G. N. Knight, Big Stone Gap, Died Tues.

End Came a Little More Than a Month After the Death of Her Husband

Mrs. Annie Bickley Knight, 72, of Big Stone Gap, died in the Appalachian Hospital at Johnson City, Tenn., Tuesday morning, January 23, at 3:20. She had been ill for several weeks.

Mrs. Knight, a native of Scott County, came to Big Stone Gap in 1895. She married G. N. Knight, publisher of the Big Stone Gap Post, in 1896. Mr. Knight died December 15, 1944.

She was a member of the Methodist Church of Big Stone Gap, a charter member of the Community League, and a member of the Boone Trail Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Funeral services were held today at the home, in charge of the Rev. Elton Jones, pastor of the Big Stone Gap Methodist Church. Interment followed in the Glencoe Cemetery .

Mrs. Knight is survived by three daughters, Mrs. T. H. Graham, Chappaqua, N. Y.; Mrs. W. W. Davis, Lexington, Ky.; and Mrs. A. B. Brown, Dallas, Texas; one son, Carl B. Knight, editor of the Post, Big Stone Gap; and four sisters, Misses Parlee and Hettie Bickley, Big Stone Gap; Mrs. Kate Lindsey, Johnson City, Tenn.; and Mrs. Otilia Mann, of Fort Blackmore, Va. A brother, Charles Bickley, of Kansas City, died January 4.

SEEMS A LITTLE HARSH

An elderly, unkempt man stood before the judge on a drunk and disorderly charge. As he was about to be sentenced his belt broke and his pants fell down.

"Take this man out and get some rope," the judge orderd as a constable rushed up.

Another prisoner whispered hoarsely to his lawyer, "For cryin' out loud, they can't hang a man for that, can they?"

"How did he happen to lose control of his car at the railway crossing?"

"He's the kind of fellow who always drops everything when the whistle blows."

Hopes For A Brighter Tomorrow

Joe W. Robinson, a Lee County serviceman, is vary busy with his job of administering physical training to soldiers for combat service, but he wasn't too busy to remember folk back home with some fine thoughts concerning the passing year, and bright hopes for the year ahead. He expresses himself in the following letter:

Editor, Powell Valley News,
Pennington Gap, Virginia.
Dear Mr. Blackwell:

Through this past holiday season I have thought of my friends back in Lee County, and find no better way to wish them all a happy year to come than through the columns of your paper.

We all have hopes of this year bringing the peace that fills our thouhgts from day to day. This year, just finished, was ipdeed a time of death, anxiety, lonely hearts and vacant dreams. I doubt if there has ever been a time or ever will be, that the things we love and live by have been so much at stake, so I hope that you at home, as well as we in uniform, paused this season to humble ourselves to God, and ask for guidance through the days ahead, which will indeed steer our course for the next century.

My job in the army is training men physically for combat. It has brought me very close to the thoughts of these boys as they gave up their lives in a world where peace was the thing each dreamed of. With their thouhgts combined with mine, we want to return to a place where the church, schools and that great institution of the home have been kept aglow by the efforts of you on the home front.

As you sit at your dinners during this holiday season there are vacant chairs that were once filled by someone who had your prayers and hearts with them. Although many miles and land and water separated you, there was reunion in thought, because I know we are all alike, and my thoughts were back home.

There are some vacant places that cannot be refilled, because the call came for them before they could return. To the homes where the blue or silver star is replaced by the gold one, I pass on the verse of a poem which gives me great strength to remember:

"Through the chilling darkness of fear and doubt,
When my soul is night, my heart is steel,
I cannot see, I cannot feel;
For light, for life, I must appeal
In simple trust, to Jesus."

In behalf of all the boys in Lee County, let me wish every one of you the best of good wishes, and may the day hasten when we can gather 'round the corner, without the thoughts of conflict to take away the beauty of living.

Joe W. Robinson,
Biggs Field, Texas.

Promotion is Awarded Jonesville Soldier

Ernest H. Glass, 22, engineer-gunner, of Jonesville, Va., has recently been promoted from staff sergeant to the grade of technical sergeant. The promotion was announced at an Eighth Air Force B-17 Flying Fortress base in England by Colonel Glendon P. Overing, Orange, Mass., commanding officer of the 486th Bomb. Group.

The son of Mrs. Lillie A. Roop, of Jonesville, Sgt. Glass was employed as an aircraft mechanic by the Glenn L. Martin Company at Baltimore, Md., before entering the AAF in September, 1943. He received his gunner's wings at Kingman, Arizona, in March, 1944.

His group is a unit of Eighth Air Force's famed Third Bombardment Division—the division cited by the President for its England - Africa shuttle bombing of the Messerschmitt aircraft plants at Regensburg, Germany.

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Here's a good place to eat and rest, and send your children to Elk Knob School, one-half mile away—25 acres, home, barn, orchard, half acre allotment of tobacco.

Four-room home and lots in West End. Water and lights. Price $1,600.00, cash or long terms. Possession 30 days.

Five lots in Kelly Addition, west over - pass, in Cane Creek bottoms; $550.00—cash or terms.

Also I have nine houses and lots at St. Charles, property of the late I. Kauffman, for sale. Cash or terms. All good property to live in or rent. Going at a bargain, the 5-room home in West St. Charles. Is empty now and ready to sell and move into. Price $4,000.00, cash or terms.

25 Acres of Land and Timber near ball park; 50,000 feet of timber, 15,000 sticks of mining timber; easy to get to. Price $2,200.00.

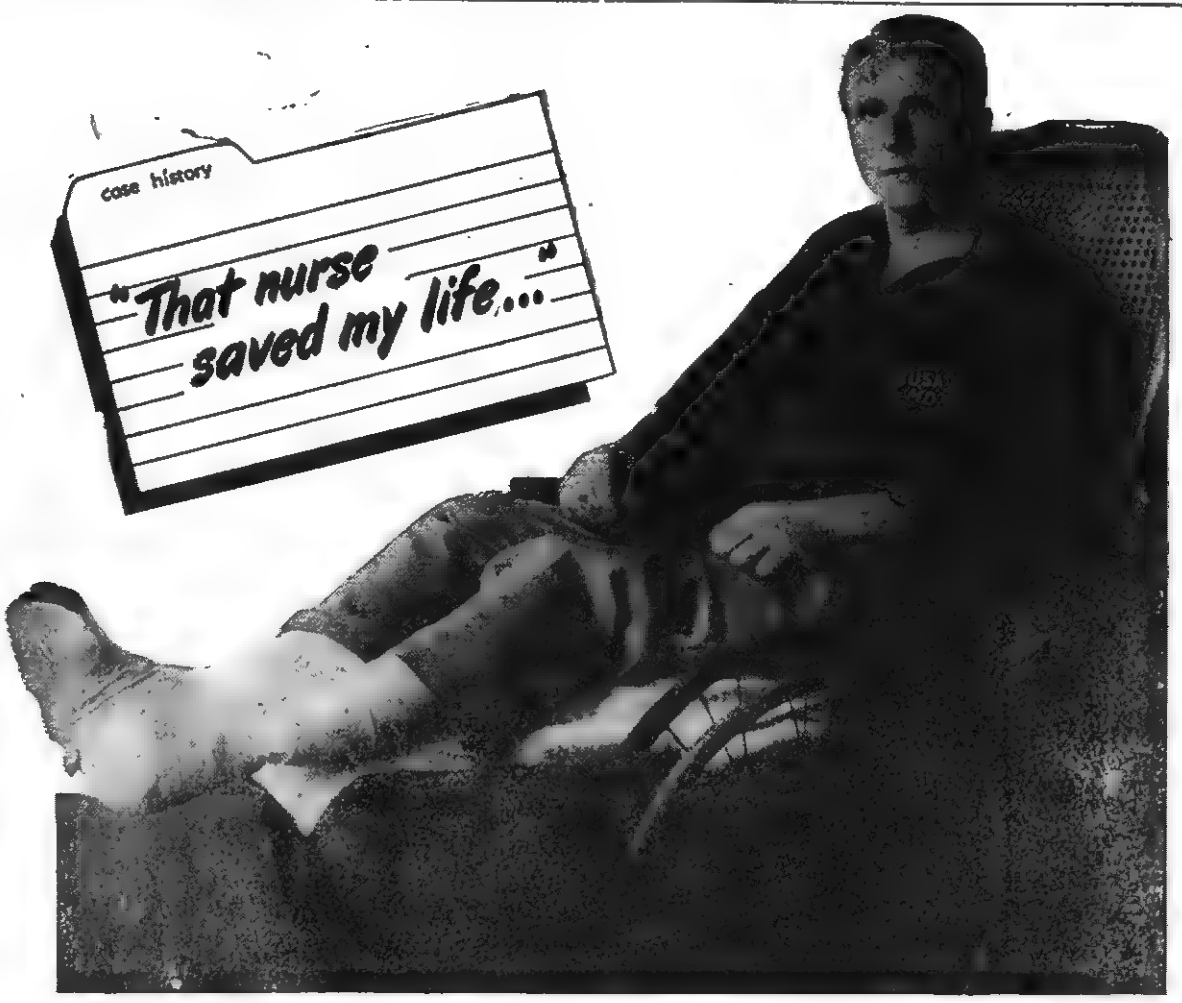
Ten lots all in one block, located in West End, facing highway and adjoining Wilbur Myers' lands. Price $1,350.00. Beautiful place for home or business.

50 Acres best bluegrass land on Lovelady Road, South Dryden. House, barn, orchard. Tobacco allotment of one acre... Price $1,800.00.

69 Acres of coal land. Good home, timber and two seams of coal. Price $3,000.00—cash or terms.

Don't forget my six-room, 6-acres land, one mile east of Dryden, near highway. Water and light; one acre tobacco allotment. Price $4,200.00—subject to being already sold.

"The man who has to work today so he can live tomorrow has no time to look around; but the man who had 30 days of food laid up has 30 days of independence. So own your own home and farm and be somebody!"



PRIVATE HAROLD WORDEMAN, "bazooka" man from Great Neck, Long Island, N. Y.

"I went into Normandy on D Day with the third wave. I was on an LST and we got it heavy. As soon as we dropped our ramp they hit us with machine-gun fire and mortars. We jumped into water, waist deep, and waded in to the beach. My assault platoon was heading inland when an 88-mm shell hit among us. That's when I lost my left foot. It fractured my right foot too. I couldn't get my morphine 'syrette' out, but an officer gave me one. The medics reached me in the first hour, but I lay on the beach all that day. A 'duck' took me off that night and a British ship carried me back to England. They brought me to an evacuation hospital. There were Army nurses in combat fatigues in the receiving tent. One of them cut off my bloodstained clothing, bathed me, gave me plasma twice. I guess that nurse saved my life."

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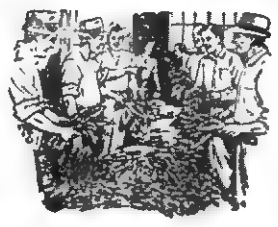

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Town Talk

About This, That, And The Other

If all good people were clever
And all clever people were good,
The world would be nicer than
We thought that it possibly could.

But somehow 'tis seldom or never
The two hit it off as they should;
The good are so harsh to the clever,
The clever so rude to the good.

Visits In Washington

We all, of course, remember Sybil Garland, her brother, Jimmie, and Andrew Hardy, Jr., familiarly known as "Preacher" Hardy.

All lived here a few years ago and were very popular young folk. "Preacher" and Sybil are now married and living in Washington, D. C. He is sergeant in the U. S. Army. James (or Jimmie) is petty officer in the U. S. Navy. He has been at sea, and at present is visiting with the Hardys. Jean Rhea, assistant clerk of Selective Service Board No. 2, has just returned from a very enjoyable visit with the three.

Pop Corn Or Mile O' Dimes..

A young lady working in the Mile o' Dimes campaign in the fight against infantile paralysis, tells this story:

"We were out at Lee Theatre and had just displayed our campaign poster when a little boy, apparently about ten years of age, bought his ticket to the movie, then, with another dime in his hand, started toward the pop corn counter.

"But first he noticed the poster and read it. Unaware that he was being observed, he alternately looked at the dime, the poster and the pop corn. He finally dropped his dime into the campaign collection and, minus the pop corn, passed happily inside to see the show.

And Here's Another'n

Fate used me meanly, but I looked at her and laughed;
That none might know how bitter was the cup I quaffed;
Along came joy, and paused beside me where I sat,
Saying, "I came to see what you were laughing at!"

Spring Talk

There's not much feeling of spring in the air now, in fact, it's too early. There's still cold, snow, frosts, biting winds and blizzards ahead for some time yet. But in spite of it all, after January passes the days just have a different feeling, and we

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Dwelling House Burned Early This Morning

The four-room one-story dwelling owned by Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Stacy, and located on the premises of their farm near town, was completely destroyed by fire about 2:30 o'clock this morning.

The residence was occupied by Bill Phillips and family, who barely escaped the burning building in their night clothes. Both Mr. and Mrs. Phillips suffered painful but not serious burns. None of the furniture was saved. Origin of the fire is unknown.

First Lt. Charles Pennington arrived here this morning to spend a leave with his grandmother, Mrs. E. P. Garrison, and other relatives. He has completed 50 missions as a pilot in Italy.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Weather Bureau report for the week ending Jan. 27, 1945, for Lee County, furnished by Cam J. Lewis, official observer:

Date January	Temperature Highest	Temperature Lowest	Rainfall Inch And Inches
21	48	36	.00
22	55	38	.08
23	52	31	.00
24	41	29	.00
25	45	22	.00
26	48	22	.00
27	52	19	.00

Big New Colliery To Be Built Near Keokee

5,000-Ton-A-Day Projects Launched By Stonega Coke-Coal Co.

A new 5,000-ton a day colliery of the Stonega Coke and Coal Company, to be known as Glenbrook, will be built two miles from Keokee, Harry W. Meador, vice president of the company, announced last week at Big Stone Gap.

Surveying of the property is underway and actual construction is expected to start soon. The Louisville & Nashville Railroad has made application to construct an extension up Clover Fork for nine miles to the new development. All the coal mined will be shipped through Kentucky.

Also included in the application is a request to allow the railroad to purchase approximately two miles of rail line on the upper end of Clover Fork from the Clover Splint Coal Company.

The new rail extension will open one of the richest deposits in Harlan County. Coal deposits in this area are estimated at 49 million tons and they present opportunities for three to five mining companies with holdings in that area.

It is estimated by reliable engineers that when in operation the production will reach 100 to 150 railroad cars a day, or approximately 150,000 tons of coal to flow down the tracks of the new extension.

Cost of the development has been estimated to exceed five million dollars, with the cost of the railroad extension to be an additional three million.

Red Cross Workers Meet With Mrs. Hill

The knitters for the Red Cross met at the home of Mrs. S. G. Hill, at Dominion, Tuesday afternoon. The following were present:

Mrs. Roy Stapleton, Mrs. Ted Stapleton, Mrs. J. W. Shanks, Mrs. Ewd. Minks, Sr., and Mrs. R. H. Grigsby. Mrs. Hill served coffee and doughnuts. A list of knitting hours is being kept and will be published at a later date.

First Baptist Church

Sunday morning, February 4: Sunday School at 9:30, A. T. Burchette, Supt. Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon subject: "The Pre-eminence of Christ".

Sunday evening: The pastor will begin a series of sermons entitled "The Happy Home Series". These will run through the month of February, each Sunday evening, as follows:

First Sunday: The Board of Directors; second Sunday: Junior Partners; third Sunday: Charter and Functions; fourth Sunday: Expanding the Institution.

Special music both morning and evening.

The Baptist Training Union meets at 6:30 p. m., and this week are organizing a new Senior Union. The Training Department consists of the following organizations: One adult, one senior, one intermediate, two junior, and one story hour.

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening.

P. R. Stubbs, Pastor.

First Christian Church

Sunday, February 4: Bible School at 10:00 a. m., F. M. Smalley, Supt. Worship with communion at 10:45. Sermon subject: "Christ's Answer to Thwarted Lives".

The young people will be in charge of the evening program at 7:00 o'clock. Roy N. Russell, Jr., leader.

Choir rehearsal, Wednesday at 6:30 p. m. Mid-week prayer service, Wednesday at 7:00 p. m.

W. B. Moore, Minister.

Brother of Local Citizens Is Wounded In Action

First Lt. Charles Culbertson, brother of M. S. Culbertson, of Pennington Gap, and B. C. Culbertson, of St. Charles, who was serving with the Third Army under General Patton, was reported wounded in action in France on January 5, according to a telegram from the War Department to his wife, who resides in California.

KEEPS TABS ON AXIS PRISONERS

SGT. WM. L. BRYANT

Sgt. Wm. L. (better known as Loyd) Bryant, only son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bryant, of Jonesville, Route 4, is serving his country as bookkeeper in an American camp of German prisoners in France.

Sgt. Bryant enlisted in the Army November 9, 1939, following his graduation from Jonesville High School the previous spring. During the months between, he was employed by the State Highway Commission.

He took most of his medical training in Washington, D. C., landing in Iceland, where he stayed almost two years. From there he went to England, thence to France, where he served for a time in a medical hospital.

Sgt. Bryant has had only two furloughs during his term of service.

Formal Opening Service of New Church Postponed

The First Baptist Church at Darby, located at Kemmerer Gem Coal Co., about two miles above St. Charles, has announced postponement of the formal opening service of the church from 2:30 p. m., Sunday, February 4, to 2:30 p. m., Sunday, February 11

This change was due to the fact that Kemmerer Gem mines will be working on the first mentioned date. A special program has been arranged, with the pastor, Rev. Hugh E. Boyd, in charge. Rev. Boyd expresses the hope that the change will not affect the large attendance expected. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Tech. Sgt. Crowell Wounded In Action

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Crowell, of Pennington Gap, are in receipt of a message from the War Department, also from his pilot, advising that Tech. Sgt. Robert P Crowell was seriously wounded in action over Germany on December 24.

Sgt. Crowell is serving with the U. S. Army Air Force, and his crew was unfortunate in their last mission. The B-17 plane landed in Belgium. R. P., as he is known here, stayed seven days in a Brussels hospital, and was then removed to a hospital in England. Of the original crew, ony six are still flying.

R. P. is able to sit up in a wheel chair, and hopes to soon be able to return to the States and home on furlough. He holds several awards, including the Air Medal and Oak Leaf Clusters.

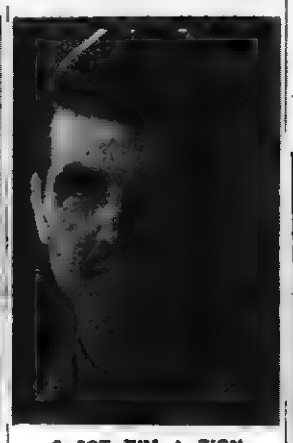
Sgt. Dan P. Richmond Is Prisoner Of War

In a telegram from the War Department, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Richmond have just been advised that their son, Sgt. Dan P. Richmond, is a prisoner of war in Germany. While on his nineteenth mission, the plane on which he was tail gunner was disabled over Vienna, Austria, having encountered anti-aircraft fire. This was October 17, 1944. Nothing more was heard of him until 103 days later — January 28th.

Sgt. Richmond was a member of the 15th Air Corps and was stationed near Bari, Italy. Before being taken prisoner, he had credit for missions over Italy, Roumania, Yugoslavia, Austria, and Germany.

COMRADES REPORTED MISSING IN ACTION

PFC. RALPH YEARY



S. SGT. WM. A. ZION

The above soldiers, Pfc. Ralph Yeary and Staff Sgt. Wm. A. Zion, have been life-long comrades, sharing much of life together, and both are reported missing in action since December 21, 1944. When last heard from they were on the Belgian coast.

They grew up in the same community, Pennington Gap, Route 1, only a few miles from each other. Both enlisted in the Army in October, 1939, served at Belvoir for two years, and at the time they were reported missing had been in the same regiment overseas for a little more than three years.

Pfc. Yeary is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Yeary, and Sgt. Zion is the son of Mrs. Emily J. Zion, both of Pennington Gap, Route 1.

EIGHT-YEAR-OLD BOY MEETS TRAGIC DEATH ON HIGHWAY

J. C. Lingar Killed By Backing Truck Monday

James Carl, familiarly known as J. C., Lingar, eight-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lingar, who reside in the Puckett's Creek community, near Pennington Gap, was instantly killed late Monday afternoon when hit by a truck said to have been driven by 17-year-old Ray Sprinkle, also of that community.

According to the father, J. C and a boy companion, Charles Greever, were returning from the store with some purchases, walking along the road, when the Sprinkle boy passed them in the truck. He said the truck then backed a short distance to tell the Greever boy that his parents said to hurry home. In doing so, he hit the Lingar boy with such force that he died instantly, without speaking. A man named Ball, the father said, related about the same account of the affair.

The father said he accompanied the Sprinkle boy to Jonesville, where he made voluntary bond of $1,000, and that examining trial will be held Friday.

Funeral services for the child were held at Puckett's Creek Church at 1:00 o'clock yesterday afternoon, conducted by Rev. Clinton Green, of St. Charles, assisted by Rev. Paris Parks, of the Puckett's Creek community. Burial followed in a nearby cemetery.

Surviving are the parents, three sisters, Ruby, Ruth and Rose; and three brothers, Daniel, Billy and Marshall.

Pennington Methodist Church

Sunday morning, February 4: Church School, 9:30 a. m. Clyde M. Kirk, Supt. Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon theme: "Will A Man Rob God" Malachi 3-8. "Will a man rob God? Yet ye rob me. But yet say, 'Wherein have we robbed Thee?' In tithes and in offerings."

Sunday evening: Meeting of Young People's Groups at 6:15. At 7:00 o'clock an installation service for the officers of the Woman's Society of Christian Service. Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening.

Charlie D. Mehaffey, Pastor.

Aged Woman Hurt In Fall

Mrs. Mollie Howard, who lives near Jonesville in the Cedar Hill community, is in Lee General Hospital, suffering from serious injuries sustained in a fall from the back porch at her home late Tuesday evening. She is in a semi-conscious condition, and doesn't know whether she fained or just ventured too near the edge of the porch.

Joseph (Scotty) Dowling, of L.M.U., spent last week-end with Roy Chance, of Flatwood. Roy is also a student at L.M.U.

WET-DRY COMMISSION HEARING SET FOR FEB. 15TH, AT JONESVILLE

The possibility of a referendum to rid Lee County of the legal sales of beer and wines will be determined at Jonesville on Thursday, February 15, at which time a commission, previously designated by the Circuit Court, will convene to give all interested parties a right to appear before them to correct petitions which, heretofore, have been challenged as containing numerous unauthorized names, as well as the signatures of many persons not qualified voters.

The commission, consisting of Attorneys Guy A. Kauffman, of Pennington Gap, and W. L. Davidson, of Jonesville, were appointed by Circuit Judge George Morton at the September term of Court to check the legality of some 3,800 petitioners appearing on a large number of petitions circulated by the drys, requesting that the Court grant an election whereby they might have an opportunity to vote out the legal sale of wines and beer in the county.

The wets, through their attorney, Fred B. Greear, challenged the petitions as containing the names of many persons not legally qualified to vote, and many whose names appeared on the petitions without authorization. The commission has been busy checking the various lists against the legal voting list and will report to the Court very soon after the forthcoming hearing.

The commission has stated that 1,823 legal names are required to force an election. Names of persons not qualified to vote will be removed from the petitions by the commission, and this meeting will afford an opportuity to those who contend they never signed or authorized their names to appear, to have same withdrawn, after which action the Court will rule whether or not a sufficient number of persons remain on the petitions to require an election. If granted, the election date will be set shortly after this hearing.

Card of Thanks

Sincerest thanks to our friends for their many expressions of kindness and sympathy in the illness and death of our husband and father, Harvey Gilmore Calton.

We want to express special appreciation of the beautiful floral offerings, to Rev. Jim Ely, who conducted the funeral services; to those who donated the use of cars; to the members of Local Union No. 7994; to Charles M. Cole and Charles D. Cole for their help; and also to Estes & Cecil for their undertaking services.

Rosa Calton
Charles Edward Calton
Lulu Miles
Hazel Ely
Ruby Moore.

Miss Helen Sharp left today to spend a few weeks with her mother in Polatka, Fla., and her sister, Clara Groce, at Vero Beach, Fla.

Feb. Pre-Induction Call From Board No. 2

SERVING IN ENGLAND

CPL. JOHN E. OSBORNE

Cpl. John E. Osborne, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Osborne, of Blackwater, Va., enlisted in the Army in October, 1942. He has been overseas since June, 1944, and is now serving with a general hospital somewhere in England.

Report of Local Chapter, American Red Cross

The Lee County Chapter of the American Red Cross averages handling 297 cases or services a month, according to the July-December Home Service report, just completed by Mrs. E. E. Skaggs, Home Service Secretary.

The report for the six months, showing the average number of cases handled, and services rendered per month, follows:

Cases handled, new and old	59
Cases handled each month	49
Cases reopened	11
Cases closed	47
Cases continued	18
Active Service to Dependents:	
Telegrams	63
Telephone calls with toll	38
Service to prisoner of war	5
Information to servicemen	33
Social histories	12
Health histories	9
Furlough and furlough extension verification	56
Consultation and guidance	12
Cases referred to other agencies	2
Ex-Service Men and Dependents:	
Cases handled for disability pension	8
Case assistance for death pension	2
Case where information only was given	15
Reports for Veterans Administration	7
Civilian and Others:	
Inquiries and messages pertaining to civilians and others	3

Joint Meeting Farmers' Cooperatives Feb. 7th

The largest attendance in the history of the Appalachia Production Credit Association and the Lee County National Farm Loan Association is expected at the annual meeting of the associations in Jonesville at the High School Building, on Wednesday, February 7. This meeting, the first to be held jointly by the two farmers' cooperatives, according to F. E. Stewart, secretary-treasurer, will start promptly at 12 o'clock noon with lunch served to the members, their wives, and guests, by the Home Economics class.

The purpose of the annual meeting is to present financial reports of the progress of the associations, and to elect directors. Interesting talks on farm credit, given by representatives of the Production Credit Corporation and of the Federal Land Bank, of Baltimore, Md., will be a feature of the program.

Card of Thanks

Sincerest thanks to our friends for their many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy in the illness and death of our mother, Mrs. Fannie E. Pennington. We especially appreciate the beautiful floral offerings, and the services of all who participated in the funeral.

Pearl, William, Wesley and Dewey Pennington.

Misses Cora and June Lewis spent last week-end with their brother, M. M. Lewis, and family, at Glade Springs.

69 Registrants Notified To Report For Pre-Induction Examination

Local Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, Va., has notified the registrants listed below to report for pre-induction physical examination during the month of February:

Charles Bascom Estep, Keokee; Charles Ray Shaver, R 1, Pennington Gap; Roy Lincoln Kelly, Dryden; Otis Cooper, Pennington Gap; John Chestnut, St. Charles; Russell Scott Greer, St. Charles; Ted Ewing, R 1, Pennington Gap; James Buford Woodard, Leona Mines; Benson Woodard, Pennington Gap; Paul Melton, Bonny Blue; Randolph Sexton, Dunbar; Willie Joe Tate, Keokee; Joseph Paul Statzer, Pennington Gap; John Richard Martin, St. Charles; Oscar Osborne, St. Charles; Alfred Robert Johnson, R 1, Dryden; George Raymond Parks, St. Charles; Henry Earl Woodyard, Bonny Blue; James Harvey Roberts, R 2, Pennington Gap; Clint Creekmore, Pennington Gap.

Curtis Woodrow Bryant, St. Charles; Ewell Spurlock, Cawood, Ky.; Clarence Cuby Cooper, R 1, Pennington Gap; Earl Sherman Fultz, St. Charles; Mack Floyd Woolum, Pineville, Ky.; Edward Pickney Carter, Pennington Gap; Samuel Arthur Woodard, Leona Mines; Robert Gilliam, Bonny Blue; Bishop Daugherty, Bonny Blue; Rudolph Herman Parsons, Pennington Gap; John Walter Young, Duffield; Denver Golden Williams, Wallins Creek, Ky.; James Thomas Gullette, Nashville, Tenn.; Joseph Edgar Miles, St. Charles; Dillard Wilder, Kitts, Ky.; Richard Hudson, Keokee; Hollis Mayo Hall, Summit, Ala.; John Muse, St. Charles; Bill Whittaker, Harlan, Ky.; Charles Wallen, Bonny Blue.

Thomas Woodrow Farmer, St. Charles; Glandil Givins Layne, St. Charles; James Byron Stover, Detroit, Mich.; James Herbert Salley, Pennington Gap; Charles Herbert McElroy, R 2, Pennington Gap; Frank Riddle, Calvin; John Axley Rutherford, R 1, Big Stone Gap; Joseph Carl Hatmaker, Bonny Blue; Chester Robinson, St. Charles; Curtis Harold Freeman, Pennington Gap; William Thompson, Clinton, Tenn.; Roy Reasor, Portsmouth, Va.; Fred Smith R 1, Pennington Gap; John Wilk Peters, R 1, Dryden; Woodrow Barker, Keokee; Elmer David Smith, Pennington Gap; Lloyd Clay Martin, R 1, Pennington Gap; Andrew Jackson Shuler, Olinger; Rhea Andrew Fisher, Duffield; Toy Everett Vanzant, St. Charles.

Johnson Sweeney, R 1, Pennington Gap; Carl Mallie Wolfe, Pennington Gap; Willie Jackson Mink, St. Charles; Harold Eugene Swing, Benedict; Sam Charles Kirk, St. Charles; James Junior Lambdin, Pennington Gap; Garfield Reece Ramey, R 2, Pennington Gap; Garvain Basil Travis, St. Charles; Floyd Grizzle, Pennington Gap.

Residence At Ben Hur Burned Wednesday

The fire alarm sounded just before the daylight hour yesterday morning, and this time it wasn't drill practice. The residence owned and occupied by Claude Pennington, at Ben Hur, was ablaze, and by the time the Fire Department arrived on the scene the building with all its contents was destroyed.

The house is said to have been one of the best and most modern in the community—a log structure, with all the modern finishings and furniture. The origin of the fire is now known. Mr. Pennington stated he arose and made fires in the heating and cook stoves, then went back to bed to wait for the rooms to "warm up". The fire had gained great headway when discovered.

Delinquents Reported By Local Board No. 1

The following men are reported delinquent as of January 31, 1945, by Local Board No. 1, at Jonesville, Va.:

Ray Finley Smith, Carter Pridemore, William Kenneth Hennick.

News From OAK HILL

(For Week of January 25)

Quite a number from this place attended the revival at Blue Springs Church, Sunday night.

Pvt. Martin Gillenwater, of Fort Knox, Ky., was at home on leave Saturday night, returning to camp Sunday. He says he will be a tank driver.

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Newberry and family visited Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Rasnic, Sunday.

Cpl. Elmer Nealy, of Camp Blanding, Fla., is at home for a few days.

Miss Nona Muncey was shopping in Pennington Gap, Monday.

Seaman Leonard Fletcher is at home on furlough.

Marvin Lambert and Bud Helbert were visiting Palmer Gillenwater, Sunday.

Mrs. D. B. Fletcher was calling on T. J. Hickam, Monday.

Mrs. Peggy Rash is numbered with the sick.

Millard Sage is in Richmond, Va., on business.

George Lambert attended church services at Stickleyville, Sunday night.

Floyd Burge and Jake Lambert went to Davis Chapel for services, Sunday.

A recently developed electric heat lamp will dry new paint on military vehicles in three minutes.

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News From MILLER'S CHAPEL

(For Week of January 25)

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Shelton have received word that their son, Pvt. James Shelton, is now in Belgium.

Miss Melba Shelton spent the week-end with Mrs. Roy Alsup and Mrs. Jack Reasor, of Pennington Gap.

Misses Cleo and Bernice Quesenberry, Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Bledsoe visited Mr. and Mrs. Richard Shelton, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Harvel were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Seabolt, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rhea Hall visited Mrs. Ross Heck, of Pennington Gap, Friday.

LOST.

Right rear fender streamliner off 1941 Buick on this side of Powell Mountain, above Stickleyville. Reward. Call or write JOE LEIGH, St. Charles, Va. Adv. No. 5-4t.

News From BURKHART'S CHAPEL

(For Week of January 25)

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Bailey and son, J. R., and Mrs. Lloyd Capps and son, Johnnie, visited relatives at Jonesville over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Wade and children, of St. Charles, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Wade.

Mrs. Myrtle Robbins and children visited relatives at Jonesville last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Collins and daughter, Wilma; Glay Pennington and daughter, Lela Mae; and Mr. and Mrs. Silven Rutherford and children were visiting Shelby Woodard, Sunday.

Perry Woodard, of Leona Mines, visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Lloyd Capps and Mrs. J. W. Gallaway made a business trip to Pennington, Friday.

Tennessee Gilbert was visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Ely, Sunday.

Closing Date Set For AAA Performance Reports

February 15 is the last date on which performance reports may be filed by Virginia farmers as a basis for applications for payment under the 1944 Agricultural Conservation Program, the State AAA Committee has announced.

Payment of 1944 applications is to be completed during the early months of 1945 and it is important that performance reports be filed early to provide opportunity for timely preparation and audit, the announcement said.

Applications filed after February 15 may be processed for payment only if it is determined by the State Committee, on recommendation of the county committee, that the producer was prevented from filing within the specified time because he was a member of the armed forces, or because of prolonged illness.

It is a function of community AAA committeemen to keep farmers reminded of the closing date and assist them in filing their performance reports, says the State Committee.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of Lee County, in vacation, the 24th day of January, 1945.

Barney Everidge ....Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Mary Helen King Everidge
..... Defendant

The object of the above styled suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on behalf of the complainant from the defendant on grounds of desertion for more than two years and on grounds of adultery.

And it appearing by affidavit filed according to law that Mary Helen King Everidge, the above named defendant, is not a resident of this State; it is therefore ordered that the said Mary Helen King Everidge do appear within ten days after due publication of this order, in the Clerk's Office of our said Court, and do what is necessary to protect her interests. It is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a newspaper published in Lee County, Virginia. And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of said County on or before the next succeeding rule day, and another copy of this order be mailed to the defendant at the Post Office address given in the affidavit.

CHARLES N. HAWS,
Deputy Clerk.

Robt. B. Ely, p. q. No. 4-4t.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 20th day of January, 1945.

Fern Russell .....Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Ray Russell .....Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce A vinculo Matrimonii, on grounds of adultery. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Ray Russell, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address is unknown, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p. q., V. S. King.
Adv. No. 4 - 4t.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 20th day of January, 1945.

Francis C. McDavid..Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
James Carl McDavid....Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce on grounds of desertion. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, James Carl McDavid, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address is unknown, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p. q., Vance S. King.
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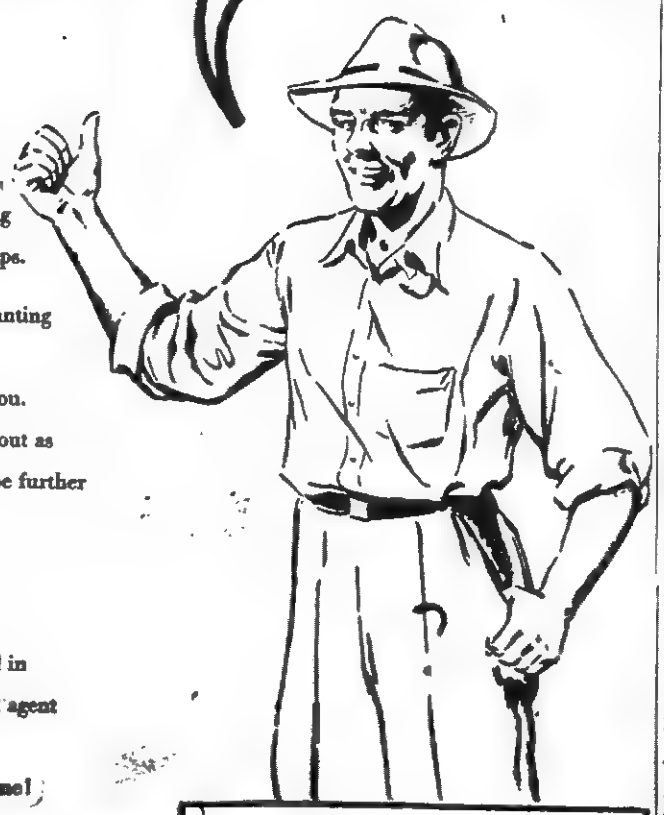

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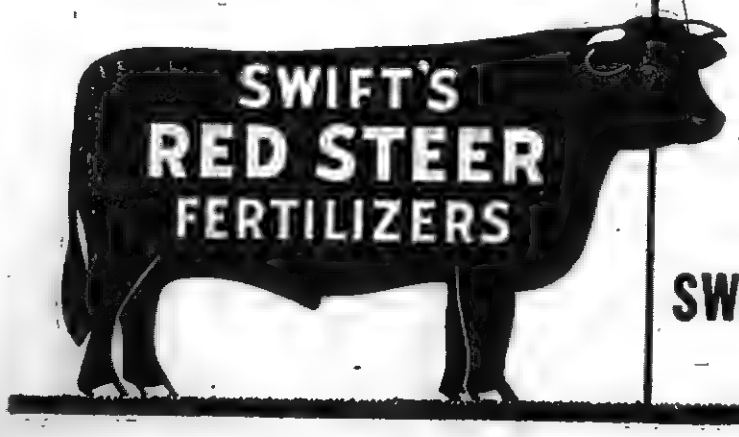

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News From
BLACKWATER

By Hallie Perry
(For Week of January 25)

Sgt. Ora Asbury, of the U. S. Marines, who has been overseas several months, has returned to the States and was recently married to Miss Hazel Clark, of Imboden. The couple are visiting his parents here, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Asbury. He will return to his post at San Diego, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Johnson were visiting in Kingsport, Tenn., Sunday.

Jim Perry was in Richmond on business last week.

Mrs. Gladys Huff, of Dunbar, spent the past few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Osborne.

Sgt. Asbury Kinsler, of the U. S. Army, has returned to his post after a 15-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Zack Kinsler.

Mr. and Mrs. James Eldridge were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Simpson Baker.

Rev. Plea Jenkins, of Churchill, Tenn., is holding a revival at Blackwater Lick Church (Big Door).

Miss Theda Faye Carter, of Kingsport, Tenn., spent the week-end with her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Allen, of Kingsport, Tenn., were visiting his parents here over the week-end.

Miss Mary Satterfield has returned home after a few days' visit at Norton, Va.

Rev. and Mrs. George Martin have moved from this community to their new home at Kyles Ford, Tenn. Their friends regretted to see them leave.

Miss Helen Asbury was in Pennington Gap, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hudson, and Mr. and Mrs. Elec Hall, of Kingsport, Tenn., were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Hall, Sunday.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 25th day of January, 1945.

Eunice W. Hudgins..Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Darrell W. Hudgins....Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce from the bonds of matrimony.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Darrell W. Hudgins, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known adderss is unknown, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:

D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By.: CHARLES N. HAWS, D. C.
p. q. Guy A. Kauffman.
Adv. No. 5-4t

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Adv. No 5-1t.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 20th day of January, 1945.

Tilson Webb ....Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Virginia R. Webb........Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce on grounds of desertion. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Virginia R. Webb, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address is unknown, it is hereby ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:

D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
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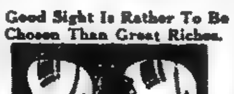

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News From
JONESVILLE

By Mrs. G. W. Ball

Route Four
(For Week of January 25)

D. D. Hall continues quite ill at his home here.

Curtiss Bowling, 17, and a Miss Bledsoe, of Norton, were married Saturday, the 13th. A wedding dinner was served the following day at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Bowling. A number of guests were present.

Clifford Osborne and Clarence Ramey are due to arrive here soon on furloughs. Clifford has been on Saipan Island for the past several months, and Clarence has been stationed in Florida. This will be their first visit home since their induction into service.

Mrs. Lou Poteet, who has been quite ill, is much improved.

Rev. L. D. Perkins and children called on Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Hall and other church members on Route 4 last week.

Lynvil Roberts, of Kingsport, Tenn., spent the week-end with his parents here.

Those of us here who know Dr. and Mrs. Southerland, of Haysi, regret to learn they received a message January 13 informing them that their son, Josh, who is also a physician, is missing in action. He was with the Army in Europe.

A few farmers here are still grading tobacco.

Miss Mary Johnson, of Jonesville, left recently for a visit with her sister and family in Washington. She will be missed in the Sunday School here, having been an active member for the past year.

"All is still on the Potomac tonight", only for church service at Mt. Hope. Baxter Bowling is the speaker.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 20th day of January, 1945.

Cora Lee Gentry......Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Taylor Gentry ....Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce on grounds of desertion. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Taylor Gentry, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address is unknown, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:

D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p. q., V. S. King.
Adv. No. 4 - 4t.

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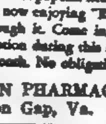

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News From
JONESVILLE

Route Four
(For Week of January 25)

Mrs. C. B. Lucas was shopping in Jonesville, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Green, of Portsmouth, Va., are planning to come home for a few days.

Friends here are sorry to learn of the death of the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Yeary, of Ben Hur.

Miss Floria Snodgrass and brother, John, were visiting their sister, Mrs. K. H. Pendleton, Thursday.

Sgt. Quentin Johnson is spending a 30-day furlough at home with his father, Joe Johnson, and sister, Mrs. Stella Bailey.

Lewis Yeary will leave in a few days for Louisville, Ky., where he will work in a defense plant.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Green, of Chevrolet, Ky., visited friends and relatives here Sunday.

The young people of Pleasant Hill met at the home of Mrs. Lillie Orr, Sunday night.

Mrs. Roy Lucas spent Sunday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Snodgrass.

Mr. and Mrs. Gleason Stidham, of Detroit, Mich., spent a few days with relatives here recently.

Rev. L. D. Perkins, of Jonesville, visited J. G. Snodgrass and family Monday.

Miss Floria Snodgrass received a letter from Pfc. J. B. Horton, saying he was seeing plenty of action. He is the son of Geary Horton, of Jonesville.

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Essay Contest Spensored By American Legion

The American Legion, Department of Virginia, is sponsoring an Essay Contest open to junior and senior students in high schools in Virginia, on the topic: "Virginia's Contribution to Constitutional Government". The following rules are outlined by the Department Essay Contest Committee, who are as follows:

M. S. Burchard, chairman, Manassas; Rufus G. Coldwel, Fairfax; Claud W. Staggs, Fredericksburg.

Topic: Virginia's Contribution to Constitutional Government.

All junior and senior students in high schools in Virginia may compete. Essay to be written on one side of paper only—must not be less than 2,000 words nor more than 3,000 words, and must be the original work of the contestant. No manuscripts will be returned.

All essays from schools in each Post area must be submitted to the Post Essay Contest Chairman by April 10, 1945, to be eligible. The chairman will select impartial judges who will select the two best essays, award prizes and forward the winning essays to the district chairman, together with the names and addresses of all contestants.

The judges appointed by the district chairman will record all all essays sent by post chairmen before April 25, will select the two best, award prizes and forward the winning essays to the department chairman for entry in the department contest not later than May 5, 1945. Winners will be announced in the June issue of the Virginia Legionnaire.

Grand State prizes: First, $50.00; second, $25.00; third, $15.00; and fourth, $10.00.

Farm Machinery Repair Classes To Be Resumed

The farm machinery repair classes for adult farmers at the Vocational Agriculture shops of the Dryden and Jonesville High Schools, which were suspended during December and January, will be resumed again in February. Mr. W. E. (Bill) Wilder, shop foreman for Jessee Chevrolet Sales, will again be the mechanical instructor.

The Jonesville class group will meet on Monday night, February 5, operating from 7:00 to 10:00 p. m., each Monday thereafter. The Dryden class group will meet on Thursday night, February 8, from 7:00 to 10:00 p. m., each Thursday.

Farmers in the two areas above, who need to use our shop facilities — forge, welder, power tools, hand tools, etc., in the construction and repair of farm machinery and equipment, should come and bring your equipment and repair parts. This is a food production proposition, intended to help farmers keep their tools and equipment in repair, so that more food may be raised. These classes are a part of the Food Production War Training Progarm.

If more than one night per week is required at each shop to do the needed work, these classes may be conducted two nights per week at each shop.

E. A. DAVIS,
Agriculture Instructor.

NOTICE

To Whom It May Concern:

I will not be responsible for any debets made other than by myself. CECIL SMITH.
Adv. No. 5-3t pd.

Feb. 16 Is Deadline For Filing Job Declarations

The number of payroll employees of almost all establishments in this area (Wise and Lee Counties) on January 16, today became the maximum allotted worker quotas under the employment ceiling order issued this week by the State office of the War Manpower Commission.

All employers of one of more persons, unless expressly exempted from provisions of the regulation, will be required to file declarations of January 16 employment with the Appalachia office of the United States Employment Service, Harry J. Willoughby, office manager, said. The deadline for filing this information with his office, he pointed out, is February 15.

Non-federal governmental establishments and their subordinate agencies, employers of labor for agricultural work, domestic service employers, and transportation industries other than their fixed facilities, are exempted from provisions of this new ceiling regulation. All others must file, he declared,

Mr. Willoughby made it clear that the ceiling regulation does not require that any employer with more workers on his payroll February 1 than he had on January 16 to discharge immediately surplus employees. The employer who encounters this situation, he explained, may reduce employment at his establishment to the ceiling figure by normal loss of workers, meanwhile refraining from hiring replacements.

Any affected employer may, if his situation warrants such action, apply to WMC for an adjustment of ceiling. The official forms for this action will be made available at the local USES office.

Fixing of employment ceilings in this area does not affect the other WMC programs now in operation, Mr. Willoughby emphasized. He said such programs included the 48-hour workweek in some plants and the Employment Stabilization center which provides for the hiring of all male workers through the USES.

Farmers here have begun preparing their land for spring crops, and some of the youngsters are canvassing from house to house with victory garden and flower seeds. Spring will be here when it comes.

News From MILLER'S CHAPEL

Mr. and Mrs. Walker Byington, Mt. Hope, attended church services here Sunday.

L. M. Bledsoe, Orleans, Ind., spent Friday night with his brother, Ballard Bledsoe, of this place.

Mrs. Tom Garrett, Mrs. Ballard Bledsoe and son, Garland Rhea, were shopping in Pennington last week.

Misses Cleo Quesenberry, Reeda Terry and Sally Bea Johnson were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Luster Rogers, Monday night.

Mrs. Jim Terry visited her mother, Mrs. Sally Garrett, who is very ill at her home on Ely Creek, last week.

Mrs. Elliott Van Nostrand, of Virginia Beach, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Terry, of this place. Mrs. Nostrand is the former Alice Marie Terry, and Mr. Van Nostrand is with the U. S. Navy at Red Island, N. Y. His home is at Virginia Beach.

Misses Zulka and Cleo Quesenberry and Juanita Bledsoe, Henry Devalt and Gleese Williams attended the ball game at Jonesville, Friday night.

Lawrence Garrett and Gleese Williams visited in Big Stone Gap, Sunday afternoon.

Miss Flora Williams is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Olin Parsons, of Stone Creek, for a few weeks.

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Four-room home and lots in West End. Water and lights. Price $1,600.00, cash or long terms. Possession 30 days.

Five lots in Kelly Addition, west over-pass, in Cane Creek bottoms; $550.00—cash or terms.

Also I have nine houses and lots at St. Charles, property of the late I. Kauffman, for sale. Cash or terms. All good property to live in or rent. Going at a bargain, the 5-room home in West St. Charles. Is empty now and ready to sell and move into. Price $4,000.00, cash or terms.

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50 Acres best bluegrass land on Lovelady Road, South Dryden. House, barn, orchard. Tobacco allotment of one acre. Price $1,800.00.

69 Acres of coal land. Good home, timber and two seams of coal. Price $3,000.00—cash or terms.

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The people of Lee County today received the official thanks of Governor Colgate W. Darden, Jr., for their splendid showing in the recent Virginia War Fund campaign in this area, and Citations for Meritorious Service were awarded Miss Saluda Sewell, Paul Cate, and Sam C. Blackwell for work in the campaign. C. S. Carter, District War Fund Campaign chairman, also congratulated the local chairman and her organization.

Governor Darden, for the fourth successive year, has accepted the honorary state chairmanship of the entire group of war fund agencies that are aiding in the war effort, helping our Allies at home and rescuing the destitute people of occupied countries.

W. Tayloe Murphy, president of the Virginia War Fund, also signed the honor certificates now being distributed. He will continue to head the organization together with the governor for another year.

Agencies for whom funds are raised through one united drive include: USO, United Seamen's Service, War Prisoners Aid, Russian War Relief, United China Relief, British War Relief Society, Greek War Relief Association, Polish War Relief, French Relief Fund, United Yugoslav Relief Fund, Belgian War Relief Society, United Czechoslovak Relief Fund, Queen Wilhelmina Fund, American Relief for Norway, Refugees Relief Trustees, U. S. Committee for the Care of European Children, Friends of Luxembourg, National America Denmark Association, American Relief for Italy.

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Adv. No. 5-4t.

News From
WALLEN'S CREEK

Mary Lou Russell, Cor.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Edwards spent Saturday night with their uncle, Wayman Gibson.

Miss Alveda Moore spent the past week-end with her grandmother and other relatives here.

Mrs. Phoebe Cox, Misses Mary Lou Russell and Alveda Moore visited Mrs. Mossie Collins last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayman Gibson entertained the following guests Saturday night: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Edwards, Messrs. E. J. Cox, Ottie Collins, Ray Watson, Claude Collins, Roy Collins and son, Autie, and Blaine and Rando Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. John Seabolt and family had as their visitor last Sunday, Mrs. Henry.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard E. Edwards were visiting their father Sunday and Monday.

E. J. Cox and Ottie Collins made a business trip to Blackwater, Friday.

Claude Russell, Nina Jean Collins and Paul Lockhart are on the sick list at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Edwards made a business trip to Jonesville, Friday.

Charles Bledsoe spent Saturday night with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Bledsoe.

Porter Russell and son, Billy, visited Mr. and Mrs. Clint Bledsoe, Sunday.

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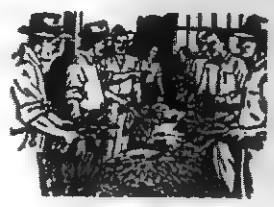

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Jonesville Boys Defeat Flatwood; Take Lead

Will Play At St. Charles Friday In Top Game

It took the Lee County Basketball Conference two months to find a league leader in the boys' division. The largest crowd of the year saw that decision made at Jonesville, Friday night, when the undefeated Jonesville and Flatwood boys tangled for loop supremacy, with the home team emerging successful by a split second with an 18 to 16 win. Red Russell, of Flatwood, looped the tying field goal on a fast break with a run in from the west side of the goal. He was fouled by an opponent on the run, but the timekeepers declared the game was over before the ball reached the basket, with the teams and referee unable to hear their whistles because of the deafening roar of the crowd; therefore Jonesville was awarded the decision. Russell led Flatwood's scoring with six points; Martin and Garrett shared scoring honors for Jonesville with six each. Flatwood was leading 13 to 8 at the half, slipping into a 14-14 tie at the end of the third quarter.

The Jonesville girls made it full measure for the evening, defeating the Flatwood girls 22 to 17, the visitors playing a very effective game against a superior, fast-breaking aggregation. Marie Johnson led Jonesville's scoring with 10 points; Morris followed with 8. Graham led Flatwood with 9 points, while Wynn had 7.

The Keokee girls paraded to another victory, wearing home the cheerful smiles of a sixth consecutive win and a resume of a perfect slate that has been flawless for the past three years. They defeated Blackwater 46 to 30, Arnett leading their basket parade with 18 points; Lawson led the losers with 14.

The Keokee boys are catching onto the masterful tricks of their fair sex. They won their third game after starting the season in the cellar. Their margin was 7 points, for a 30 to 27 win over Blackwater.

The Pennington Gap boys won over Thomas Walker at Pennington Gap by a 26 to 15 score. The Pennington girls tied with Thomas Walker 15-15, and did not choose to play an extra period to decide the winner.

St. Charles won a pair from Dryden at St. Charles. The coalfield lassies were victorious 34 to 30, with Willis leading their basket parade with 16 points. Reasor led the losers with 13. The game was tied at the end of the regular time, and an extra period decided the winner.

The coalfield boys won easily 31 to 12 over the Dryden quintette, Dean leading the winners' basket parade with 13 points. Baker led the losers.

St. Charles lost a close 43 to 40 exhibition contest Thursday night to the Lincoln Memorial Freshmen from Harrogate, Tenn. Williams led the St. Charles scoring with 27 points, while Bellamy led the "one man" collegians with 22.

Games February 2: The top game, Jonesville at St. Charles; Flatwood at Thomas Walker; Pennington at Blackwater; Keokee at Dryden.

THE OFFICIAL STANDING

Boys	W	L	Pct.
Jonesville	6	0	1.000
Flatwood	5	1	.832
St. Charles	5	1	.832
Keokee	3	3	.500
Thomas Walker	2	4	.333
Pennington	2	4	.333
Blackwater	1	5	.167
Dryden	0	6	.000

Girls	W	L	Pct.
Keokee	6	0	1.000
St. Charles	5	1	.832
Jonesville	4	2	.667
Pennington	2	3	.400
Thomas Walker	2	3	.400
Dryden	2	4	.333
Blackwater	2	4	.333
Flatwood	0	6	.000

NOW HARMLESS

A story, which is probably not true, is told of a young Brooklyn soldied who was an maneuvers in Oregon. Having a few minutes to himself after evening chow, he strolled out into the woods and soon came back with a handful of rattlesnake rattles.

"Where in the world did you get them?" gasped his alarmed companion.

"Off'n a woim," replied the lad from Brooklyn.

Professional Soldier A Former J. N. S. Student

Herbert H. Browning, the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Browning, of Jonesville, Route 2, graduated from Jonesville High School in 1932. Some former classmates were: Glenn Parsons, Anna Bell Smith, Grey Glass, Jannie Fitts, Pattie Orr, Virginia Devore, Carson Robinette, Zelma Graham, Reba Morgan, Helena Diffenderfer, Charle Bill Willibby, and Grover Johnson.

After one year at Eastern Kentucky State Teachers College, he enlisted in the U. S. Army, Third Engineers, then stationed in the Hawaiian Islands. Having served four years on the Islands, he returned to New York for reassignment to First Engineers, stationed at Fort Du Pont, Del. After six months of training and maneuvers in Georgia, Mississippi and Louisiana, the Engineers were called to Fort Devens, Mass., where the "Famous First Division" was being assembled. In 1942 he went to Florida with the division for training; later in that year the division moved to Indiantown Gap, Pa., to await shipment for overseas. Having passed his examination for warrant officer, the appointment came through on July 27, 1942. On August 1, 1942, the division sailed for the British Isles on the Queen Mary, one of England's finest luxury liners, requiring only five days to make the trip to Glasgow, Scotland.

After three months of intensive training in England, the division sailed for the invasion of North Africa, landing at Oran, Algeria, on November 8, and again on D-Day, July 10, 1943, in Sicily. At the conclusion of the Sicilian campaign, he returned to England to await the final assault on the European continent, which came on June 6, 1944. As in the other two campaigns, the "Fighting First" led the way into Normandy, France.

Soon after the invasion, Warrant Officer Herbert H. Browning (jg) was appointed chief warrant officer, the grade he now holds. He has refused a commission on several occasions, since it would require him to leave the work he has been engaged in.

Being a member of the Regular Army, and a professional soldier, Mr. Browning is very proud of his uniform. He has been awarded the Good Conduct Medal, the Service Medal (before Pearl Harbor), the ETO Medal, and the Bronze Star Medal, which was awarded to him for meritorious service in North Africa and Sicily.

The First Engineer Battalion, an integral part of the "Fighting First" Infantry Division, has already achieved a remarkable record in this war, having received the Presidential Citation Award three times, entitling every member of the battalion to wear this ribbon (blue ribbon with two Oak Leaf Clusters), the only award worn on the right breast. Mr. Browning's pride in his unit's accomplishments is amply justified.

Having led the assault on Normandy, the division featured in the breakthrough at St. Lo, advanced through the heart of France and Belgium to reach the German frontier, capturing over 17,000 prisoners in a three-day period. The division was the first to crack the highly vaunted Siegfried Line in Germany, subsequently carried out the assault and capture of Aachen, the only large city in Germany at present in Allied hands.

In March, 1941, Mr. Browning married Anna E. Romack, daughter of Tech. Sgt. and Mrs. O. L. Romack. Tech. Sgt. Romack is also a professional soldier. Mrs. Browning has made her home with her parents in Delaware City., Del., since her husband departed for overseas. She is employed by the Civil Service at Fort Du Pont.

Local Students On L. M. U. Honor Roll

Among the 61 students at Lincoln Memorial University named on the Honor Roll for the fall quarter are: Lois LeMarr, Cecile Cowan and Anna Ruth Willis, of Ewing, Va.; Gaither Graham, of Jonesville, Va., and Mary Louise Slemp, of Big Stone Gap, Va.

To make the honor roll, students have to carry twelve hours or more, with an average grade of "B" and no grade less than "C".

Women did not wear close fitting stockings until the latter part of the sixteenth century, when they realized that a shapely leg gained much in attractiveness by wearing them.

Big Shipment Lespedeza Seed Is Expected Shortly

Shipments are expected shortly on orders for 39,000 pounds of seed of three species of lespedeza which are to be used in this year's plantings for the improvement of game habitat throughout the State, the Commission of Game and Inland Fisheries reported today.

Of the perennial varieties of the plant, 15,000 pounds of sericea and 4,000 pounds of shrub lespedeza seed will be distributed and planted under supervision of the Soil Conservation Districts Service in the 70 counties which are members. Under this system, with the game commission furnishing the seed, permanent field borders have been planted for the last four years, and this year's planting will add approximately 215 miles of permanent borders, a rod in width, to the many miles which already have been planted.

The distribution of 20,000 pounds of the Korean, or annual, lespedeza seed through the local game wardens is a new project this year, financed from funds provided under the Pittman-Robertson Act. These seed will be sent to the wardens, 200 pounds to the county, and the farmers who desire 20 pounds may get the seed from the wardens to be planted on galled and gullied areas and other submarginal land unsuited to agriculture.

Frmers who receive these seed of the annual variety of the plant are asked to sign a receipt for the game commission files, agreeing to use the seed for wildlife pratices. A time goes on, game wardens and wildlife biologists of the game commission will check to ascertain the effectiveness of these plantings.

Of the 4,000 pounds of shrub lespedeza seed, about 3,000 pounds has been contributed by the U. S. Soil Conservation nurseries and 1,000 pounds has been harvested by 4-H Clubs and vocational agriculture classes and paid for by the game commission under a Federal-aid allocation.

Pick up sharp metallic objects such as nails and hairpins before using your vacuum cleaner, as they may cut the belt or puncture the bag.

EXPECT 250,000 ENTRIES

The 10th Miami Fishing Tournament is expected to have 250,000 entries before it closes April 15th.

With Our Boys In Service

Jack D. Pennington, Seaman 2-C., son of Lester Pennington, of Keokee, has been graduated from the Parachute Riggers School at the Naval Air Station at Lakehurst, N. J., upon completion of three months special training. The graduating class included both sailors and marines.

Rigger trainees learn to pack and repair all types of Navy parachutes and are assigned to duty after completing training. A parachute leap from a Navy blimp is one of the graduation prerequisites for each trainee. Seaman Pennington enlisted in the Navy May 10, 1944.

Master Sgt. Samuel B. Poteet, son of Mr. and Mrs. James D. Poteet, Route 4, Jonesville, Va., is at present stationed at the U. S. Marine Corps air facility at Walnut Ridge, Ark, which services and repairs planes and mechanical field apparatus.

This base is used for training pilots in the actual combat tactics under simulated battle conditions. Sgt. Poteet enlisted in the Marine Corps on April 30, 1943, in Richmond, Va.

Marine Staff Sgt. Ora Eugene Asbury, 24, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Asbury, of Blackwater, Va., has returned to Marine Corps Depot, Miramar, Calif., from the South Pacific, where he served as a cook with a squardon in the Fourth Marine Air Wing. Asbury was stationed at Hawaii, Samoa, New Hebrides and Guam.

He is a graduate of Blackwater High School, and prior to his enlistment in September, 1942, assisted his father on the farm. He was promoted to his present rank in February, 1943.

Pfc. Jessee H. Harrison, Pennington Gap, is with the Sixth Army Group, France. His job is at the Base Depot, Military Railway Service, which handles the bulk of all the railway equipment used.

In a typical month the company received 1,180 tons of railroad equipment and shipped 1,574 tons. Part of that first company moved to Rome in July, 1944, and the unit was reassembled in Southern France.

Pvt. James Walter Cox, a trainee of Battery A, 12th Battalion, 4th Training Regiment of the Field Artillery Replacement Training Center at Fort Bragg, N. C., has been selected to attend Armored Force Officer Candidate School, according to a recent announcement by the Officer Candidates Board of the FARTC.

Pvt. Cox, whose home address is Dryden, Va., was a student of L. M. U. at the time of his enlistment. Upon successful completion of his course of studies at the Officer Training School he will be commissioned as second lieutenant.

Tech. Sgt. Paul Harber, of Rose Hill, is with the 63rd Chemical Depot of the Continental Advance Section, Sixth Army Group, France. This group has recently been awarded the Meritorious Service Unit Plaque for outstanding service during the invasion of Southern France. The Depot was the sole source of vital mortar ammunition during the early critical days of the campaign.

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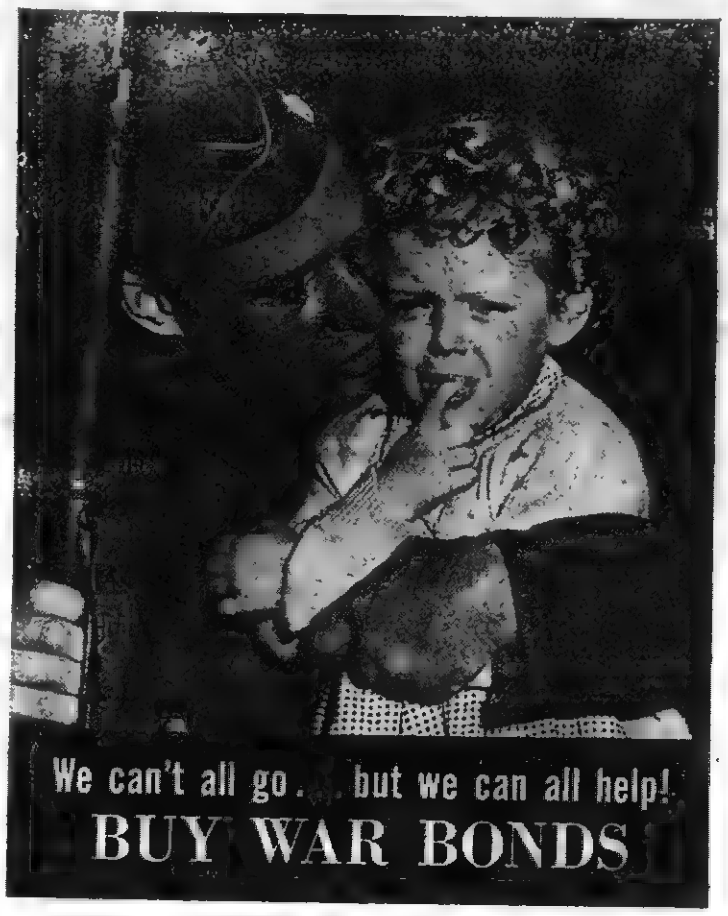

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For just as that little girl has grown, so have the War Bonds you bought three years ago. The $100 Bond you paid $75 for then is already worth more than you paid—and how swiftly the time has passed! In another year it will be worth $80—at maturity, $100. Here's money you'll need later—for education, repairs, replacements, retirement—just as your country needs it today.

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Social and Personal

Finds Friendship In England

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carter, of Pennington Gap, Route 1, have a message from their son, Pvt. Wesley M. Caretr, stating that he arrived safely in England in December; that he spent Christmas night in an English home where he was treated very kindly.

Off To Detroit

Misses Alice and Bea Johnston and Phyllis Burns left Wednesday for Detroit, to join the Johnston brothers, Paul and Ross. All will work in a defense plant.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Laningham and James Alice left the first of the week for Nashville, Tenn., for a visit with Cpl. and Mrs. Richard Y. Rowe, Jr., and little daughter, Janet Laningham Rowe.

Don't miss the fun Wednesday, February 14, when Laurel and Hardy come to Lee Theatre in "The Big Noise".

In Kingsport This Week

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Overbay, Sr., and Mrs. C. D. Mehaffey left Sunday afternoon for Kingsport to spend a week. Mrs. Mehaffey will teach a course in the Methodist Training Conference, and the Overbays will visit with their son, Paul L. Overbay, and family, and their daughter, Mrs. Julian King, and family.

Arrives In Philippines

Cpl. Walter T. Hyder has landed safely in the Philippines, according to advice received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hyder, of Bonny Blue.

Cpl. Hyder has been in service since March, 1942, and is with an aviation battalion which recently received special commendation from their commanding officer.

Mrs. C. C. Bales has returned from a visit with her daughter, Miss Joan Bales, cadet nurse, at Anniston, Ala.; also with S.-Sgt. Clayton Bales, stationed at Atlanta, Ga.

Mrs. Ethel Quinley is back home after spending a month with her daughter, Mrs. C. F. Gilley, Jr., and family , at Oak Ridge, Tenn.

Mrs. G. E. Harber spent last week-end in Middlesboro with her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Ty Harber, and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Scott.

Leo Vanhuss has been medically discharged from the U. S. Navy, and is back home here with his family. They, with Kenneth David, visited in Harlan, Ky., yesterday.

Mrs. W. B. Livesay, numbered on the sick list for the past several days, is improved.

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Mrs. F. M. Smalley was called to St. Paul, Va., Sunday on account of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. W. F. Statzer. The Statzers were for many years residents of Pennington Gap.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Tipton spent the week-end with relatives in Rockwood, Tenn.

Miss Sue Richards is back from a visit with friends in Richmond.

Mrs. Kate Hall, Dortha Burgan and Phyllis Quinley visited relatives in Oak Ridge, Tenn., last week.

Miss Delores Napier, of Kingsport, Tenn., spent last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Finley Napier, of Stone Creek.

Leonard Lambert, of L.M.U., spent the week-end with home folk at Woodway.

Joseph (Scotty) Dowling, of L.M.U., was the guest of Bob Tipton last Wednesday night and Thursday.

Mrs. Elwood Franklin and daughter, Geraldine McIntyre, of Bonny Blue, were here shopping Thursday.

Boys Reported Safe

Mrs. Lloyd Brewer was much relieved yesterday morning when she received two messages, one from her son, Pvt. Willard Brewer, stating that he had made a safe landing overseas; the other from her brother, Ralph Yeary, that he was safe and all right somewhere in Belgium. Yeary was recently reported missing in action.

Seaman Richard Napier is at home on furlough with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Payne. Richard has been in the Navy more than a year, and is assigned to a destroyer escort.

Eloise (Weegie) Rogers, Oak Ridge, Tenn., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Rogers, last week-end.

Nell Fritts, a student of L. M. U., spent last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fritts, of Benedict.

St. Charles Junior Music Club To Sponsor Artist

Veronica Mimosa, gifted young pianist, will appear in the St. Charles High School auditorium on Tuesday night, February 6th, at 7:30 o'clock.

The music lovers of the community are anticipating with real pleasure the coming of this noted young artist. Miss Mimosa is nineteen years of age and has been presented in concert since the age of three. Some of her later successful programs have been as soloist with the New York Philharmonic at the Lewisohn Stadium, with Alexander Smallens conducting; also with the Cincinnati Symphony, with Eugene Goossens conducting, the latter attributing her playing as being exceptionally interpretive.

Price of admission will be 50 cents.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

H. G. Calton

Harvey Gilmore Calton, 57, of Pennington Gap, Route 1, died January 28, 1945, following an illness of several months. He was a member of Local Union No. 7994.

Funeral services were conducted from Valley View Church, near Pennington Gap, on Friday afternoon, January 26, in charge of Rev. Jim Ely, of Dryden. Burial was in the nearby cemetery.

Mr. Calton is survived by his widow, Mrs. Rosa Oliver Calton, to whom he had been married since 1908; three daughters, Mrs. Lula Miles and Mrs. Ruby Moore, of Pennington Gap, and Mrs. Hazel Ely, of Dryden; one son, Charles Edward Calton, of Pennington Gap. Also surviving are 13 grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Rutha Carroll, Baltimore, Md., and Mrs. Mary Smith, of Kingsport, Tenn.; and two brothers, Slemp and Tommy, both of Keokee.

Virginia Elizabeth Stewart underwent a tonsilectomy at Lee General Hospital last Thursday.

Several basketball fans from here attended the L.M.U. - St. Charles game last Wednesday at St. Charles.

Tech. Sgt. R. B. Pennington is now stationed at Chanute Field, Ill.

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TOWN TALK

(Continued from page 1)

naturally begin to think spring thoughts. Besides, I heard some farmers talking the other day about soon preparing their tobacco beds. The shop windows are fairly glowing with pretty new spring coats and dresses; the other day up at the postoffice I heard unmistakable sounds of newly-hatched chickens; last Sunday someone brought to church some branches of fresh-blooming forsythia.

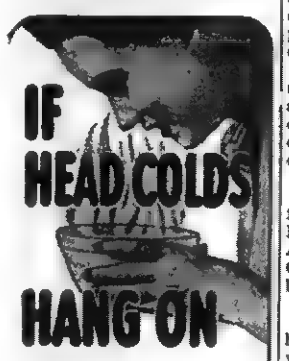
Well, at least the weather is always an available subject to write or talk about, and it won't be long now 'til spring will be sure enough peeping in.

C. C. Bales says he raised a bumper crop of fine burley on his Sugar Run ranch last year, and hopes to equal or surpass it again this year.

Andy Stanley Heard From

Sgt. Andy Stanley has had trouble a plenty letting his parents know about him, but at last the other day a message came through that he is a prisoner of war in Germany.

Sgt. Stanley was reported missing in action more than a year ago, and then followed a long period of silence. Then his mother had a message that he was on his way home. That was last summer. For weeks she looked and waited for his arrival, but he did not come. The other day the above message came. He says he is all right and gets enjoyment out of talking with Sgt. Clyde Hobbs, also a prisoner in his same camp.



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Town Talk

About This, That, And The Other

A "Motherly" Soldier

Through courtesy of Mrs. D. H. Stallard I enjoyed reading a letter from her son, Ensign Dewey H. Stallard, Jr., with the U. S. Navy in San Francisco. Among the other interesting items in the letter, Ensign Stallard said:

"I stay plenty busy now acting as a mother to 60 men. You have to look out for them, because some of them just won't look out for themselves. I get their shoes, see that they have enough clothes, clean beds, etc., besides giving them exams and tests to improve their rates. I like it, though, and really enjoy the work." Leave it to the "Yanks" to fill their line of duty, whatever it may be.

Valentine Greetings To Everyone

"Love looks not with the eyes, but mind;
And therefore is winged Cupid painted blind."

To The Farm

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Newman have decided to try the quietness of country life awhile, and accordingly have moved to the V. M. Pence farm on Route 2, Pennington Gap, in the community known as "Dot". However, Mr. Newman will still retain his office as Sheriff.

Their home in Pennington will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hays.

Flowers For the Pastor

On last Sunday, Rev. P. R. Stubbs completed his second year as pastor of the First Baptist Church, and on next Sunday, February 11, will begin his third year.

The Men's Bible Class presented Rev. Stubbs with a lovely basket of cut flowers, with appropriate expressions of appreciation of his two years' service as pastor.

Job With OWI Probable

Virgil Q. Wacks, who has returned from a business visit to Washington, says his interview by Elmer Davis, chief of the Of-

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Down on the Farm

By: R. C. CARTER, County Agent

Hybrid Corn For County

Hybrid corn in the United States as a whole has increased the corn production of the country by about 400 million bushels. It is estimated that this 400 million bushel increase will produce one-half the meat needed for the armed services and lend-lease. In the U. S. as a whole in 1944 four out of every seven acres of corn were planted to hybrids. In the corn belt States as high as 90% to 98% of the corn raised is hybrid. In Virginia approximately 25% of the 1944 corn crop was planted to hybrid varieties.

In Lee County the 1944 crop season was one of the worst in years. The drought really proved the value of hybrids more effectively than years of good seasons would have done. On the Stickley & Hyatt farm in the Flatwood community, one-half of a seven-acre field was planted to U. S. 13, the other half to the native white dent corn. The U. S. 13 hybrid yielded 45 bushels to the acre; the white open-pollinated white dent made only 15 bushels. Other farms in the county had similar results.

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WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Weather Bureau report for the week ending Feb. 4, 1945, for Lee County, furnished by Cam J. Lewis, official observer:

Date	Temperature			Rainfall
January February				
29	50	22		.10
30	33	15		.00
31	36	7		.00
1	22	3		.00
2	30	3		.00
3	35	5		.00
4	40	5		.40

Pennington Wins First Of Lions' Cage Series

Jonesville-Pennington Tangle Again At Pennington Gap, Feb. 15

The three-game basketball series now in process of completion for the title of Lee County between the Pennington Gap and Jonesville Lions Clubs is off to a good start, with one game already placed away in the record books.

Pennington edged Jonesville out 20 to 15 at the Jonesville High School gym last week in the grand opener. Jonesville Lions will roar into Pennington Gap for a return match at the Pennington High School gym on Thursday, February 15, in a desperate effort to even the series. In this event, a third and deciding game has been announced for Knoxville or Chattanooga, on a foreign court.

In the Jonesville encounter, E. S. Vaughan led the Pennington Lions' scoring attack with nine points. Dr. Henderson and Charles Berry followed with four points each, while Elmo David looped three.

For Jonesville, Paul Roop led the net parade with seven points, followed by Courtney with four, Onza Hyatt with three and Merle Horton with one.

In the forthcoming encounter, Jonesville will be fighting with their backs to the wall to prevent the roaring Gap Lions from writing finis to the series. Both teams will be calling on such stars and reserve strength as Bill Bellamy, T. B. Ely, Bob Carter, Claude Williams, Ben Davidson, J. A. Rosenbaum, L. D. Perkins, W. L. Davidson, Davis McNiel, Onza Hyatt, John Richmond, Paris Rines, Paul Roop, Gus Henderson, Merle Horton, Milford Martin, Courtney, and others for Jonesville, while Pennington Gap will again stake their hopes on Millard Flanary, P. R. Stubbs, Roy Fletcher, A. S. Pennington, Jake Chinsky, Montague Anderson, Guy Kauffman, Shube Pugh, R. C. Parsons, W. B. Moore, Leonard Hayes, Sam C. Blackwell, John Fry, S. L. Carpenter, Frank Smalley, Drs. Setzler, Carr, Robbins, Henderson, Dellinger, McDaniel; Berry, David, the Vaughan brothers, and several others.

For the laugh parade of the month and the fastest game of the season, be there . . . and see the funniest and best show of the month.

Instructions Regarding Fire Department Services

By: E. E. Parsons, Mayor

In reporting a fire in Pennington Gap, call telephone operator, tell her "We want to report a fire", then state your name, exact location of fire, such as "John Doe's house, located on Main St., across from City Hall".

Please, do not call operation for information regarding fire, as that is the only method the firemen have for obtaining this information, so the telephone lines must be kept clear. Do not call telephone operator for at least 15 minutes after the fire siren has been sounded, unless for an emergency call.

List of Pennington Gap Fire Department:

E. S. Vaughan, chief; John Bailey, captain; Howard Smallwood, senior lieutenant; Claude Grace, junior lieutenant; Fred Quinley, secretary and treasurer; Claude Benfield, fire police; O. A. Vaughan and Jimmy Jessee, drivers; Charles Berry, D. F. Riddle, Bill Wilder, firemen.

Charges for use of Pennington Gap fire truck out of corporation limits of Pennington Gap, $25.00 for first mile; $20 for each additional mile or fraction thereof, plus $36 per hour or fraction of each hour, time to continue until truck is ready to answer another fire. Price per hour depends on number of firemen answering call.

Card of Thanks

We want to express our sincerest thanks to our friends for their many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy in the tragic death of our little son and brother, J. C. Lingar.

Signed:
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lingar and Family.

PROMOTED OVERSEAS

SGT. JOE B. MORLEY

Word has been received that Pfc. Joe B. Morley, who is with the 8th Infantry Division somewhere in Germany, has been promoted to sergeant.

A graduate of Thomas Walker High School, Sgt. Morley left the States for overseas duty December 5, 1943, and landed ten days later in Northern Ireland, where he finished his training. From Northern Ireland his division was sent to Frances, and from there have fought their way into Germany.

Sgt. Morley is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Morley, of Ewing.

TO THE CITIZENS OF PENNINGTON GAP:

It is customary to have a general house cleaning every spring of the year. I know of no other place that is more in need of a thorough cleaning than the town of Pennington. Spring is just around the corner, and for once, we are going to have a clean-up in our town.

This can be done only by and through the cooperation of all those who live within the corporate limits of the town, and who are willing to take part in this enterprise. Conditions can be improved materially by a small effort on the part of each one, and we want to impress upon you the importance of this drive for a clean and better town. As you all know, there are many ungodly sights in our back yards and along our streets that need to be—and must be—removed. One of the most unpleasant and nauseating sights that so plague us is the garbage that litters our town from one end to the other —everywhere and on every hand. Rubbish, tin cans, waste paper, and all kinds of discarded material strewn everywhere.

This, of course, is due to negligence, indifference and carelessness on the part of us all. This condition must be improved, and done immediately. I want to insist that you who have not already arranged some kind of container to store your garbage in, that you do so at once. Any kind of container will do that will hold your rubbish so that the truck man can take care of it with the least trouble. Place it where it will be easily accessible for him to reach, and take care of.

Then there are the outdoor closets—some of which are not in a sanitary condition; therefore you are hereby notified to adjust them at once to meet the requirements of the State law, otherwise you will be subject to being penalized by the town or State upon inspection. Those who fail to comply with the above regulations will be prosecuted according to the Town Ordinances.

We need your cooperation—please help us to make a cleaner town in which to live. Let's all get busy—clean up our town, and be like other folks. LET'S BEGIN RIGHT NOW!

E. E. PARSONS, Mayor.

Father of Local Resident Dies At Big Stone Gap

J. W. Teague, 60, resident of Big Stone Gap, died very suddenly from a heart attack last Thursday, February 1. Funeral services were conducted at 2:00 p. m. Sunday at the Baptist Church of Appalachia.

Mr. Teague was the father of Marvin E. Teague, local manager of Old Dominion Power Co.

Boy Scouts Celebrate 35th Anniversary

Lonesome Pine Council Is Twelve Years Old; Observing Scout Week

"Scouts of the World, Brothers Together", theme of Boy Scout Week, February 8th to 14th, gives a ray of hope to a war torn world that our boys of today will be men of tomorrow who are capable of welding the world into a solid front for permanent peace.

The Boy Scouts of America are celebrating their 35th anniversary, and at present boast a membership of 1,754,000 boys, a record of which the organization is justly proud. The war record of Scouts and former Scouts has been extolled so highly and by such men as Secretary of State Stettinus, J. Edgar Hoover, Admirals Ernest J. King and Chester W. Nimitz that we need only to say, our boys have rendered service according to the highest tradition of American Manhood.

The Lonesome Pine Council is launching its program for its twelfth year, and during this period approximately 10,000 boys have received Scout training, and at present 1,864 Scouts and Cubs are receiving the benefits of Scouting.

The record the Lonesome Pine Council has made is something to be proud of, but by no means to be satisfied with. The mighty army of young Americans in our Council constitute a challenge that we cannot ignore. There are over 6,000 boys who reach 12 years of age every year in this Council. The Council has accepted the challenge and has dedicated itself to the task of giving these boys a sound, progressive program. The professional staff of the Lonesome Pine Council cannot do this tremendous job. The Volunteer Scouter is the key to success. The Volunteer Scouters have accomplished a splendid job in the past and there is every indication that they are ready to say to our boys —"We Are Prepared to Serve You."

Elmer Davis Interviews Wacks For O.W.I. Job

Washington, D. C.—Virgil Q. Wacks, Associated Press correspondent, of St. Charles, Va., was accorded an interview here Friday for possible assignment as a war correspondent with the Office of War Information by its chief of staff, Elmer Davis.

Wacks' opportunity to get a try with the OWI came as a result of considerable experience with the AP and UP, and his recent stories this summer in Life and News Week magazines.

The interview was pending an assignment to Paris, but in the event of acceptance, Mr. Davis said the assignment would be approved where most needed.

Mrs. Jack Carter and Mrs. Clayton Hedrick visited Mr. and Mrs. Luther Smith at Big Stone Gap this week.

Prominent Dryden Man Died Monday

J. B. Cox Had Been In Failing Health For More Than A Year

J. B. Cox, 53, of Dryden, died at his home Monday, February 5. He had been in declining health for more than a year, but death was attributed directly to a heart attack.

Mr. Cox was born and reared in the Dryden community, being the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Smith Cox, pioneer residents of the same community. For more than thirty years he had conducted a mercantile business at Dryden, and also supervised extensive farming operations. His specialty was raising fine cattle and tobacco. He was vice president of Lee Bank & Trust Company, of Pennington Gap, with a branch at St. Charles. He was a member of the Baptist Church and of the Masonic Order.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, at the Methodist Church of Dryden, conducted by the Rev. Charlie D. Mehaffey, of Pennington Gap, assisted by local pastors.

Burial was in the Gilbert Cemetery, with committal rites by the Masons, who also served as pallbearers.

Mr. Cox is survived by his widow, Mrs. Maxie Martin Cox; three daughters, Mrs. June Wolford, teacher in Dryden High School; Miss Myra Cox, who holds a commercial position in Louisville; Miss Betty Ann Cox, student of Mary Washington College, Fredericksburg; one granddaughter, Judith Ann Wolford; two brothers, R. L. and W. S. Cox, of Dryden; and one sister, Mrs. Hattie Holt, of Sweetwater, Texas.

Formal Opening Service Of New Church Feb. 11

As announced in last week's issue of The Powell Valley News, Sunday, February 11, is the date of the formal opening of the new First Baptist Church of Darby, located at Kemmerer Gem Store, about 2 miles above St. Charles.

Services will begin at 2:30 in the afternoon, the program being in charge of the pastor, Rev. Hugh E. Boyd. Also several Lee County pastors are expected to be present and take part in the program. The principal speaker will be Dr. Conley, of Richmond, Secretary of Evangelism, Baptist General Association of Virginia.

Special music will be furnished by the Girls' Chorus of St. Charles, under direction of Mrs. S. G. Hill, and the male quartette from Admant Church. The public is cordially invited to attend this service.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our many friends for their kindness shown to us in the loss of our home, and also for the donations. May God bless each one of them.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Phillips.

SERVE ON LAND AND SEA

K. J. THOMAS, H.A. 2-C.

PFC. WM. W. THOMAS

Above are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Thomas, of Dryden, Virginia.

Kenneth J. Thomas, H.A. 2-C., took his boot training at Great Lakes, Ill., and is now stationed in a hospital at San Diego, Calif., where he will receive a period of training. He graduated from Dryden High School last May.

Pfc. William W. Thomas entered the Army December 7, 1942, and is now in England recovering from a wound received August 16, 1944. He received the Purple Heart, which he sent home to his parents. Before going overseas he received his basic training at Fort Bragg, N. C., with the field artillery. Pvt. Thomas is a graduate of Dryden High School and attended L.M.U.

Induction - Pre-Induction Calls Announced

AWARDED BRONZE STAR MEDAL

MAJOR JOSEPH GIBBS

Major Joseph A. Gibbs, Staff S-1 Officer of the 435th Troop Carrier Group, has been awarded the Bronze Star Medal for meritorious service, covering a period of active duty from the overwhelming invasion of Normandy, to the most recent airborne offensive in Holland. The son of Mrs. Nancy J. Gibbs, of St. Charles, Va., he was cited for displaying an energy, zeal and devotion to duty which, in a large measure, contributed to the eminent success of his Troop Carrier unit now operating in the European theater of operations.

One of six to receive the coveted award in his unit, Major Gibbs was presented with the medal for his outstanding contributions, which served to bring distinction to his organization.

His unit, the 435th Troop Carrier Group, played a major part in the invasion of Normandy, Southern France, and the mass aerial offensive in Holland. Commanded by Colonel Frank J. MacNees, of St. Paul, Minn., they were awarded a Presidential Citation for their "immeasurable contribution" on D-Day over Normandy.

Formerly a part of the Ninth Troop Carrier Command, his unit is now a part of the U. S. Troop Carrier Forces, major air component of Lieutenant General Lewis H. Brereton's First Allied Airborne Army.

A veteran of nine years' service, Major Gibbs has seen service in Central and South America. At the outbreak of the war, he was recalled to the States for officer training, and in 1942, he received his commission in the Army Air Force. Since that time, he has risen to the rank of major with his present unit, the 435th.

Major Gibbs is the husband of Mrs. Myrtle E. Gibbs, of 1115 Penn Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

Miss Mimosa Delights Audience In Recital

The St. Charles High School auditorium was packed Tuesday evening, February 6, with people from over the county, assembled to hear the famous young pianist, Veronica Mimosa, whose coming to St. Charles was sponsored by the St. Charles Choral Club and Music Clubs.

Miss Mimosa delighted her audience with a nicely balanced program of familiar piano works, including numbers from Scarlatti, Bach, Beethoven, Schumann and other famous composers which she played with skill, energy and charm.

Her dark beauty, enhanced by an evening gown of delicate pink; her lovely manner and her youth, added to the thrill of her excellent performance. She has studied piano since she was three years old, and her wonderful technique proves her mastery of the instrument. We truly hope she will come again to our community.

Southern Printer Injured In Accident

J. M. Ellison, owner and operator of "The Inland Press", a printing establishment at Orlando, Fla., had the misfortune of getting his hand caught in a job press recently, suffering severe bruises, three broken fingers and one finger amputated.

Mr. Ellison, who is a brother of Mrs. Green, of the P.V. N. staff, has been in the printing business for many years.

Leonard Lambert, of L.M.U., was at home last week with home folk.

Board No. 1 Sends 35 Registrants for Physical Exams; 26 for Service

Selective Service Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va., have selected 35 registrants to report for pre-induction physical examination for the month of February, and have notified 26 registrants who have previously passed pre-induction examinations to report for duty in the armed forces. They are as follows:

For Pre-Induction Exams:

James Albert Taylor, Ewing; Howard Williams, Rt. 4, Jonesville; Oscar Lee, Rt. 1, Rose Hill; Claude Cosby, Gibson Station; Josephus Nathaniel Gibson, Gibson Station; Roy Cheek, Ewing; Roy Thomas Wilson, Rt. 2, Pennington Gap; Cardell Mullins, Rt. 4, Jonesville; Charles Emery Martin, Hubbard Springs; Dan Bell, Rt. 1, Jonesville; Ray Nelson, Gibson Station; Harvey Loop, Gibson Station; Curtis Roy Lane, Ewing; Bill Cottrell, Rose Hill; Willard Surber, Gibson Station; Jules Kirwon Fee, Hubbard Springs; Bill Collier, Rt. 4, Jonesville; Paul Alonzo Russell, Ben Hur.

John Junior Flanary, Rt. 4, Jonesville; John Logan Snodgrass, Jr., Rose Hill; Lewis Colburn Thompson, Rt. 2, Rose Hill; Grover Carl Kinder, Rt. 2, Jonesville; Henry Kermit Smith, Rt. 2, Rose Hill; Earl Ayers, Gibson Station; Walter Eugene Littrell, Ewing; Willard Sewell Howard, Rt. 1, Ewing; Henry Keith James, Rt. 1, Jonesville; Verlin Melvin Presley, Rt. 2, Rose Hill; Walter Roscoe Ayers, Gibson Station; Rufus Glen Russell, Blackwater; Saul Sexton, Gibson Station; Marvin Earl Stewart, Blackwater; Cloys Hubert Flanary, Rt. 1, Jonesville; Shelburne Utah Mullins, Geconita; Coy Lockhart, Rt. 3, Jonesville.

Inductions:

Fred Phillips, Jonesville; William Cecil Smith, Jonesville; Olin Lane Cody, Rt. 2, Jonesville; Eugene McPherson, Rt. 2, Blackwater; Lonas Cecil Hines, Rt. 3, Jonesville; Kenneth Edward Sutton, Ewing; M. S. Fletcher, Rose Hill; Henry Herman Gibson, Gibson Station; Morris Jushus Pendleton, Rt. 4, Jonesville; Samuel Newton Holmes, Rt. 4, Jonesville; Lawrence Gibson Russell, Rt. 4, Jonesville; Roy Jack Hickam, Blackwater; Neal Thomas Long, Rose Hill.

Willie Brock, Rt. 1, Ewing; Clarence Junior Minton, Ewing; John Winston Ayers, Ewing; Gerald D. Wyatt, Rt. 3, Jonesville; Clyde Ireln Pendleton, Jonesville; Will Irevon Pendleton, Jonesville; Joseph Vincent Kelly, Jr., Rt. 2, Pennington Gap; William Franklin Barnes, Gibson Station; John Calvin Carmony, Rt. 3, Jonesville; David Patton Crockett, Rt. 1, Jonesville; Joseph Steward Niday, Ewing; Earl Fletcher, Ben Hur; Olin James Eldridge, Rt. 2, Jonesville.

Board No. 1 Lists New Registrants For January

The following registrants, who became 18 years of age during the month of January, have registered with Selective Service Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va.:

John Junior Flanary, Route 4, Jonesville; Charles Spurlock, Rose Hill; John Logan Snodgrass, Jr., Rose Hill; Lewis Colburn Thompson, Route 2, Rose Hill; Grover Carl Kinder, Route 2, Jonesville; Henry Kermit Smith, Route 2, Rose Hill; Earl Ayers, Gibson Station; Walter Eugene Littrell, Ewing; William Sewell Howard, Route 1, Ewing; Harry Keith James (Bud), Route 1, Jonesville; Charles Nathan Osborne, Route 4, Jonesville; Verlin Melvin Presley, Rose Hill; Earnest Woodrow Henry, Ben Hur; Rufus Glen Russell, Blackwater.

1945 RED CROSS WAR FUND DRIVE

Full details of organization, meeting and dinner in preparation for the 1945 Red Cross War Fund Drive which starts March 1, will be given in our next week's issue.

Mrs. Christine Bowman spent the week-end with friends in Norton.

News From
BENEDICT

(For Week of February 1.)

Miss Ferne Wolfenbarger, of Knoxville, visited friends and relatives here the first of the week.

Mrs. Jake Wolfenbarger and Mrs. Ruby Satterfield were among the Sunday visitors here.

Miss Ida Wolfenbarger visited relatives at Pennington, Monday.

Junior Longworth, of Sneedville, Tenn., visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Longworth and family here last week.

Mrs. James Holman, Miss Lennie Blevins and Mrs. Bonnie Sturgill visited relatives at Lee General Hospital, Tuesday.

Delmar Scarborough, of the U. S. Navy, is at home on furlough, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Scarborough, and family, this week.

Pfc. Tip Taylor, of the U. S. Army, is at home on furlough visiting his mother, Mrs. Bertha Taylor. Pfc. Taylor has served 32 months overseas.

Bob Peck, of the U. S. Navy, visited relatives here last week.

Mrs. Emma Woodyard and Mrs. Debie Sharel, of Virginia Lee, visited friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Estep and Mrs. Clarence Stallsworth were called to Roda last week on account of the death of Mr. Estep's brother, who died Sunday at Lee General Hospital.

Mrs. Geneva Hughes and daughter, Ginger Sue, of Virginia Lee, were week-end guests of Mrs. Bonnie Sturgill and family.

Mrs. Ralph Harber and Miss Mary Ann Harber, Stone Creek, visited relatives here over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Cline Perry, of Pennington, visited relatives here Sunday.

Pvt. John Howard Yates, of the U. S. Army, is home on furlough, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Walter Yates and family this week.

Junior Hale, of the Merchant Marine, visited relatives here last week.

News From
BEN HUR

(For Week of February 1.)

Mrs. Jess Farmer is very ill at her home this week.

Mrs. Nona Hall is planning to make a trip to Washington, D. C., to spend a few days with her husband, Edd Hall, stationed there with the U. S. Navy.

Mrs. Paul Lipps is in Washington, D. C., on business this week.

Ernest Ganther, of the U. S. Navy, has returned to Ft. Meade, Md., after a few days' visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ganther.

Mrs. Elizabeth Bryant is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. R. Fletcher, here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shook, of Big Stone Gap, spent Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Farmer.

Misses Bernice Sizemore and Nona Russell visited patients at Lee General Hospital, in Pennington, over the week-end.

Miss June Pennington, of Stone Creek, spent the week-end here with Miss Ada Pressly.

People here are very sorry to learn of the illness of Joseph Osborne, a patient in Lee General Hospital, at Pennington.

"Newhere Like Virginia" Says Seaman Sturgill

Seaman 2-C. Ora Sturgill, formerly of Jonesville, Route 4, and now somewhere in the Philippines, expresses his deep appreciation of his native county and State in a letter to friends, passed along to us for publication. Following are some excerpts from the letter:

"We were attacked one whole day and next morning coming in here. It was a close shave for us for awhile, and most of the men on the ship were praying. A Jap plane came at us and we bagged him. It wasn't the only one, either; we got most of them—guess our prayers were answered. The Japs get the worst of everything.

"I was with a swell boy from Pennington. His name was Charles Jones. We were together all through until about a month ago, when I left him in New Guinea; it was like leaving a brother, too.

"I would give anything to be back with my family, and a lot more would do the same, but we've got to get this thing over with. Boy! it will be the happiest day of my life when I get back in old Virginia, for it sure is the best place of all. I hope at least to be back by summer.

"We have foxholes here to go in when we have a raid, and it sure comes in handy sometimes.

". . . Well, tell everybody to write to me.

Yours truly,
Ora Surgill.

News From
HAGAN

(For Week of February 1.)

Mrs. Mary Watkins spent Sunday with her daughters, Mrs. Arney Ramsey and Mrs. Dorothy Gilliam and family, of Flatwood.

Henry Irvin, employed at Oak Ridge, Tenn., spent the week-end with his family here.

Misses Ruby and Ruth Ely spent Sunday with Betty Ingle.

Mr. and Mrs. Cellie Thomas and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Chadwell, at Ewing.

J. W. Cox, of Newport News, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Cox.

Mrs. Laura Ringley and Mrs. Martha Ely visited relatives at Beech Springs, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Depew and family, of Hubbard Springs, visited Mr. and Mrs. Steve Langley and family here Sunday.

Mrs. Cam Harber, of Hubbard Springs, spent Sunday here with her daughter, Mrs. Joe Fee.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 20th day of January, 1945.

Cora Lee Gentry.....Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Taylor Gentry .....Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce on grounds of desertion. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Taylor Gentry, is nonresident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address is unknown, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
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Thanks to the sacrifices of our boys in the armed forces, our country has a great day coming. They tell us that several million marriages have been performed since Pearl Harbor. That means several million couples who believe in the future of America. Every high school and college has young people who are preparing for tomorrow because they believe there is a tomorrow and a a great one. Millions of American families are preparing to build or repair their homes; to purchase new furnishings; new radios; new automobiles. Every bond we buy is a milestone pointing to a tomorrow. If there is no tomorrow we might as well close our churches and schools, shut down our factories and stop our ships and trains and quit. But the smoke from every factory, the bells of every church, the call to classes in every school and college, and every blueprint and financial investment all are evidence of our belief in a greater tomorrow.

And on every Cross of every soldier who falls "Over There" plays the light of the Star of Bethlehem, giving hopes of a great tomorrow when wars shall be no more.

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New Problems Confront Selective Service System

The local boards of the Selective Service System are now faced with the most difficult and important task in the period just ahead that has yet been encountered. As in the past, the armed forces MUST be furnished with the number of men needed to carry on the fight against our enemies and — at the same time — war production must be assured. The task becomes more difficult because the need of the armed forces is for men below 30 years of age, and the only substantial source from which these men can be obtained, other than those who become 18 years of age each month, is from those who are now occupationally deferred either in industry or in agriculture.

A glance at the Statistical Digest for Virginia will show that as of December 31, 1944, Virginia has furnished to the armed forces 220,781 men, or 44.57 per cent of all registrants ages 18 through 37.

The total number of registrants rejected for military service has been 132,177 men, or 26.59 per cent. Thus a total of 352,958 registrants, or 71.16 per sefft of all registrants in the age group 18 through 37, have been presented for induction and either accepted for military service or rejected as not suitable.

Of the remaining 144,029, or 28.64 per cent, who are now in Class 1-A or in deferred classifications only approximately 61,000 are under 30 years of age and the remaining 83,000 are 30 through 37.

Since the requirements of the armed forces are primarily for men under 30 years of age, Local Boards must carefully weigh the further deferment of younger men during the next few months. The selectivity with which men are withdrawn from industry will have a definite bearing on our ability to meet our war production responsibility. The effect on war production of the induction of substantial numbers of men in the age group 26 through 29 will be influenced by the number of registrants who can be made available from agriculture and by the number of older men or men disqualified for general military service who seek employment in war supporting activities.

Deferments of younger men in agriculture must likewise have the careful scrutiny of the Local Board and to qualify for such deferment the provisions of the Tydings' Amendment should be strictly interpreted to insure that no registrant is deferred thereunder unless he actually qualifies for such deferment for the national interest on the basis of very substantial production of essential food products and no replacement is available.

Since requirements of the armed forces are primarily for men under 30 years of age, the test of "regularly engaged in" an activity in support of the national health, safety or interest or an activity in war production will still be the test applied to a registrant in the age group 30 through 37 or to a registrant of any age who would be classified in Class 4-F. Registrants of any age who leave the employment for which they are occupationally deferred without the consent of their Local Board will be classified into a class immediately available for service.

Local Board members are anxious to do the job of selection in a way that will enable the furnishing of the proper type of troops for our fighting front, and the needed workers for war production. They will need the fullest cooperation of industry and agriculture in their efforts.

Statistical Digest (Virginia)

On December 31, 1944, the Virginia Military Manpower Pool of Male Registrants, ages 18 through 37, was as follows:

Total Known Living Registrants	496,987
Unclassified	1,616
Class 1-A	27,563
(Note: Class 1-A figures include men being processed for pre-induction physical examination, postponed inductions, appeals, etc.)	
Class 4-F (rejected for military service	107,881
Classes 2-A(L), 2-A(F) 2-B(L) and 2-B(F) rejected for general military service and classified in occupations other than agriculture)	21,265
Classes 2-C(L) and 2-C (F) (rejected for general military service and classified in agriculture)	3,031
Class 2-A and 2-B (deferred in occupations other than agriculture	80,050
(a) ages through 25 including Merchant Marine	2,905
(b) ages 26 through 29	15,700
(c) ages 30 through 37	61,445
Classes 2-C and 3-C (deferred in agriculture)	30,444
(a) ages 18 through 25	6,795
(b) ages 26 through 29	6,084
(c) ages 30 through 37	17,565
Class 3-D (deferred as hardship cases)	2,163
Class 1-C (registrants who have become members of the armed forces)	220,781
(Note: Includes a substantial number who have been discharged or transferred to the Reserves. Does not include registrants 38 years of age or over, women, or nonregistered enlisted men, i.e., men enlisted at age 17, etc.)	
All other classes	2,193

News From
JONESVILLE
By Mrs. G. W. Ball

Route Four
(For Week of February 1)

D. D. Hall, now in Lee General Hospital, continues seriously ill.

Baxter Bowling has rented his farm here and is moving his family to Big Stone Gap.

Bruce Wells is employed as store clerk at Kemmerer Gem.

The A. C. Harris family visited on Route 4 Sunday.

Miss Ruby McCracken and small niece, of St. Charles, spent last week with relatives in this community.

Pfc. Collier Awarded The Oak Leaf Cluster

At the Air Transport Command Base, India, Pfc. Jack A. Collier, of Pennington Gap, Rt. 2, has been awarded an Oak Leaf Cluster to the Air Medal, it was announced by Brig. Gen. William H. Tunner, commanding general of the India-China Division, Air Transport Command.

The award was made upon completion of 450 hours of operational flight in transport aircraft over the dangerous and difficult India-China air routes, where many enemy interceptions and attack was probable and expected.

Pfc. Collier made his missions flying by night as well as by day, at high altitudes over impassable mountainous terrain through areas characterized by extremely treacherous weather conditions, necessitating long periods of operation on instruments—requiring courageous and superior performance of his duties to overcome.

Do Not Send Postal Notes To Overseas Servicemen

Persons writing to service men and women overseas the urged not to send Postal Notes—simplified money order forms — to their husbands, sons, and sweethearts in service overseas.

Although the postal notes went on sale by the Post Office Department on February 1, 1945, Navy post offices afloat and at overseas bases are not authorized to cash the notes.

They may only be cashed within the United States and are good for only two calendar months from the date of issue.

News From
STICKLEYVILLE
(For Week of Feb. 1)

Cpl. Elmer Neely is spending a ten-day furlough here with his wife and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Neely.

Miss Leta Litton, who is employed at Newport News, is at home for awhile.

Mrs. Dorothy Keck spent the week-end at home with her parents. Miss Wilma Sage visited Mrs. Keck over the week-end.

The revival at Blue Springs Church is still in progress.

Miss Eleanor Ball spent the week-end with her aunt in Harlan, Ky.

Mrs. Mary Ramey is very ill at this writing.

Mrs. Cecil Stidham and son, Ronny, are visiting her mother, Mrs. L. E. Robinette.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hess were visiting Isaac Cole recently.

AUCTION SALE

Tuesday, February 13

10:00 A. M. (CWT)

—AT—

St. Charles, Virginia

We will sell at PUBLIC AUCTION the beautiful five-room and bath home of the late I. Kauffman property at this time. This property is going at a bargain on terms of $1,000.00 down, balance in one and two years. Possession at once; now empty. Located in South St. Charles.

—ALSO—

Two smaller houses near center of St. Charles. One-half down, balance six and twelve months.

Anyone wanting to see the good home see Mrs. Ida Johnson Kirk on next corner. She has the key and will show you the property.

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ADMINISTRATOR.

Cam J. Lewis
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Governor Proclaims Feb. 4-10 USO Week In State

On February 4, 1945, USO completed four years of service to the men and women of our armed forces who have interposed themselves between us and disaster and who have stood steadfastly for the maintenance of free institutions.

In its four years, USO has established some 3,000 operations in the United States and elsewhere in the Western Hemisphere for the recreational, welfare and spiritual needs of our military forces. It has carried entertainment to our fighting men in combat zones and areas all over the world through USO Camp Shows.

The three great religious faiths working harmoniously together through USO have provided a splendid example of democracy and cooperation.

Since the people of Virginia have so generously and willingly indicated their interest in and their sympathy with the USO, as evidenced by their hearty response to the Virginia War Fund, I proclaim the week of February 4th through 10th as USO Week in Virginia and urge all of our citizens to visit the USO operations in their community and to take part in the ceremonies incident to the Fourth Anniversary of this important war agency.

Given under my hand and under the lesser seal of the Commonwealth, this sixteenth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-five and in the one hundred and sixty-ninth year of the Commonwealth.

Colgate W. Darden, Jr.,
Governor.

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Approximately 500 major league ball players were in the armed forces on January 1, 1945.

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PHONE 80 Jonesville, Va.

News From
HAGAN

Mr. and Mrs. Sanders Grabeel and family, of Rose Hill, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Gill Hensley.

Mr. and Mrs. Collie Thomas and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gilliam and family, of Rose Hill, Sunday.

Bruce Hensley spent Sunday night with Homer Ingle.

Miss Bernice Grabeel, Beech Springs, spent the week-end with Miss Anna Ruth Irvin.

Sam and Gill Hensley, of Sampson, Ky., spent the week-end with friends and relatives here.

PTA Founders' Program

The P. T. A. will hold their regular meeting at Pennington High School next Tuesday, February 13, when a special Founders' Day program will be presented, in charge of Mrs. J. V. Graham.

The birthday cake and candles representing the anniversary of the founding of this organization will be included in the program.

Parents, teachers and patrons are urged to attend.

First Christian Church

Sunday, February 11: Bible School, 10:00 a. m., F. M. Smalley, Supt. Worship with communion, 10:45 a. m. Sermon subject: "Christ's Answer to the Mystery of Death".

Christian Endeavors meet at 6:15 p. m. No preaching at night, as pastor goes to Union, the associate church, for evening service.

Choir rehearsal, Wednesday at 6:30 p. m. Mid-week prayer service, 7:00 p. m.

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STORE SALES INCREASE

Southeastern States enjoyed a 25 percent increase in department store sales in 1944 over 1943.

DOWN ON THE FARM

(Continued from page 1)

A test of 36 hybrid and open-pollinated varieties was conducted on the J. H. Wheeler farm near Ewing. The results, though for only one year and subject to variable moisture conditions, was very valuable in making recommendations for varieties to plant here in 1945. Three farmers in Lee County produced hybrid seed for sale last year. About 60 bushels of locally grown seed are available this year.

Growing Hybrid Corn

Hybrid corn has a larger root system than ordinary corn. It can get moisture from deeper in the ground and therefore may be planted thicker. The experiment station recommends that hybrids be planted about one-fourth thicker than open-pollinated corn.

Since hybrid corn will make a greater yield than ordinary corn it should be fertilized somewhat heavier. We believe that at least 300 lbs. of 4-12-4 or 3-12-6 placed in the row but not in direct contact with the seed is the minimum. If manure is available the same amount of 0-14-7 or 20% superphosphate should be used. It will usually pay in a season of normal rainfall to side dress corn with 150 lbs. of nitrate of soda or its equivalent after the first cultivation.

Size of Seed Corn Grain

Since hybrid seed corn is expensive, most growers grade and sell for seed all sound corn, including the tips and butts. Experiments have shown that the round grains give just as good results as the flat grains. The hybrid seed is usually sold in the following grades: large, medium and small flats; thick flats; large and medium rounds, and irregulars. The thick flats, rounds and irregular are usually about 40% cheaper than the flats. The flat grains will plant better in the ordinary flat drop planter plate. A blank plate may be secured and ground out to fit the round grains at little cost and at a big saving in seed cost. Round grains usually work best in an edge drop planter. Many growers regularly plant the round grains after getting a planter plate to fit, buying the same size grains each year. Large grains usually start off quicker in the spring than small grains, but the yield is not appreciably different when the corn is harvested.

Varieties of Hybrid Corn Suitable To Lee County

The following varieties are recommended for planting in Lee County after considering the local variety tests, the experience of local farmers and the tests conducted at the various State experiment stations. In each case the availability of the seed was considered. Some of the better hybrids have just been released and but little seed is available.

Yellow Varieties

Illinois or Kentucky 103: It is a rather early variety, with medium ear and medium stalk. The husk is poor and the ear is damaged by insects and weather frequently. It is a high yielding variety and led the Lee County test last year. Seed producers: Jennings F. Potts, Purcellville, Va.; F. W. Rickard, Winchester, Ky.

Illinois 448 or Ky. 102: This corn has been grown more extensively than any other hybrid in Virginia and plenty of seed is available. It is somewhat later than Ill. 200, has a much larger ear, taller stalk and somewhat better shuck. It has not yielded quite as much in our tests as Ill. 200. Seed producers: J. H. Wheeler, Ewing, Va.; Robert Robertson, Gibson Station, Va.; Southern States Cooperative, Big Stone Gap or Bristol, Va.; F. W. Rickard, Winchester, Ky.

U. S. 13: An early variety with short stalk, medium sized ear giving good yields in Lee county, particularly under drought conditions. Has short open shuck causing some damaged ears. Seed producers: J. B. Wilson, Powhatan, Va.; John H. Ward, Leesburg, Va.; F. W. Rickard, Winchester, Ky.; Myers Hybrid Corn Co., Hillsboro, O.

White Hybrids

Ky. 203: One of the most popular white hybrids. Has medium ear, medium maturity, a good yield of fodder and stands up well. Seed from: E. S. Suttle, Jonesville, Va.; F. W. Rickard, Winchester, Ky.

Ky. 69: A Kentucky variety which is especially popular in Eastern Kentucky on uplands. It was highest yielding white hybrid in Lee County tests last year. Seed from: F. W. Rickard, Winchester, Ky.

Ky. 72 and 72-B: White hybrids with medium ears, medium maturity and good fodder yield. Ky. 72-B has stronger root system than 72. Seed from: F. W. Rickard, Winchester, Ky.

Tenn. 15: A red cob prolific hybrid resembling Neals Paymaster. Has two or more ears per stalk with long tight shucks. Makes a high yield of sound, rather flinty corn, but has weak stalks. Seed from: S. G. Morton, Blountville, Tenn.; Amico Feed Store, Bristol, Tenn.; and Green Bros., Gallatin, Tenn.

U. S. 99, U. S. 265, U. S. 262, U. S. 357 are new yellow hybrids and U. S. 199 a new white hybrid of much promise. Little seed is available as yet, however.

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A Warning Comes True

SUPREME example of the kind of public monopoly against which Edison warned is the TVA. It pretends to sell cheap power and covers up its losses through trick bookkeeping. It shifts its losses to the taxpayers. It is not really in business, for it is everything a successful business is not — a subsidized corporation seeking to destroy competition through unfair practices.

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No one ever gets a chance to find out what is actually going on. You can read all the TVA propaganda that has been written to date and never find any hint that the $750,000,000 project is anything but a social experiment. The TVA refuses to face any facts which would show too plainly that the unwilling taxpayers never can expect a return on their tremendous investment.

TVA never has made ends meet. It has no intention of doing so. For then it would have to sell power on the basis of what it costs to produce, and the myth of "cheap" rates would vanish in thin air. Some day soon the American people must heed Edison's prophetic warning, take the Government out of business and allow taxpaying free enterprise to pay off the huge war debt and put our national economy back in balance.

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EDISON SAID: There is far more danger in Public Monopoly than there is in Private Monopoly, for when the Government goes into business it can always shift its losses to the taxpayers. If it goes into the power business it can pretend to sell cheap power and then cover up its losses. The Government never really goes into business, for it never makes ends meet, and that is the first requisite of business. It just mixes a little business with a lot of politics and no one ever gets a chance to find out what is actually going on.

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LILIENTHAL SAID: The total TVA capital expenditures for every purpose whatever to June 30, 1944, will be in the neighborhood of $750,000,000. Are the expenditures for this development worth their cost to the country? There is, of course, no way of settling the question by statistical proof.

[1] "TVA—Democracy on the March," Page 172

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Cage Conference Opens Second Half This Week

Boys End First Round In Three-Way Tie For Top; Keokee Girls Lead

The first half of the Lee County Conference basketball schedules are now a matter of record, and the various squads reopen the battle over the coming week-end, starting down the home stretch of the last half, which leads them into the tournament, always one of the most outstanding in Southwest Virginia.

In the boys' division, almost everything was unearthed except a league leader. Jonesville was able to adorn the most coveted first place spot for only a week, finally breaking out of a three-way tie with Flatwood and St. St. Charles which existed from the time the conference opened in early December. The honor of finally being tops in a mighty hot league was a short-lived distinction, as the Capitol Town boys faltered over the past week-end, bowing to St. Charles on their first visit there by a score of 38 to 24, thus fading back into the season-long three-way tie with Flatwood and St. Charles, with six wins and one loss each as the first half curtain descended. This marred the Jonesville boys' perfect record of 1944-45.

The Keokee girls were again able to produce the smile of the undefeated, as they waved out of the first half with a smashing 56 to 33 over the hard fighting Dryden girls. A perfect first half finale of seven wins against no losses, plus several exhibition wins adorn their record. They are completing a third consecutive year without tasting defeat. They all have their fingers crossed, however, as the second half starts. Superstition seemingly is catching up with them.

The second half opens with Jonesville at Dryden, Friday night, for a double-bill (all are double bills). Thomas Walker Goes to St. Charles, Blackwater invades Flatwood, while Keokee comes to Pennington Gap.

The past week-end, St. Charles had it full measure, with the girls defeating the Jonesville girls 38 to 24. Keokee boys likewise shared full measure with their girls by downing Dryden 38 to 18.

Pennington Gap won a pair from Blackwater, the boys emerging victorious by one point as a last second, looping field goal swished through the hoops for a field goal to win as the final whistle was sounding—22-21. The girls won over Blackwater by a 33 to 23 score.

Flatwood split with Thomas Thomas Walker, winning the boys' game 24 to 17, and losing the girls' encounter 17 to 22.

THE OFFICIAL STANDING

Girls	W	L.	Pct.
Keokee	7	0	1.000
St. Charles	6	1	.887
Jonesville	4	3	.571
Pennington	3	3	.500
Thomas Walker	3	3	.500
Dryden	2	5	.295
Blackwater	2	5	.295
Flatwood	0	7	.000

Boys	W	L.	Pct.
Jonesville	6	1	.887
Flatwood	6	1	.887
St. Charles	6	1	.887
Keokee	4	3	.571
Pennington	3	4	.428
Thomas Walker	2	5	.295
Blackwater	1	6	.143
Dryden	0	7	.000

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our dear husband and father, Mr. W. B. Davidson, who passed away February 7, 1944:

Oft we think of you, dear Daddy,
And our hearts are sad with pain;
Oh, this world would be a heaven
Could we hear your voice again.
Oft and oft our thought do wonder
To your grave not far away,
Where we laid our dearest Daddy
Just one year ago today.

Mrs. W. B. Davidson
and Children.

World Day of Prayer Observed At St. Charles

The World Day of Prayer will be observed at St. Charles Christion Church on Friday afternoon, February 16, at 4:10 o'clock.

On the first Friday in Lent—February 16—the women of the world will pray from the rising of the sun in the far east, onward with his journey through the day, prayers for peace. Racial understanding and unity within Christian groups will rise from women of every nation and race.

This is a time when different forms of worship are laid aside, and every women unites her prayers with other women's for the good of the world.

Your cooperation and attendance will be appreciated.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

Mrs. Louvenia Greene

Mrs. Louvenia Greene, of Olinger, died at her home Saturday, February 3. She was recovering from an illness of pneumonia and suffered a heart attack.

Surviving are the husband, Creed Greene, of Olinger; four sons, Rial, Earl and Vance, of Olinger, and Deward, somewhere in Germany; two daughters, Mrs. Myrtle Zion, of Woodway, and Mrs. Evelyn Hunter, of Olinger; and several grandchildren.

Garfield W. Cowan

Garfield W. Cowan, of St. Charles, died in Lee General Hospital at Pennington Gap, after several weeks' illness. He was 56 years of age.

Funeral services were held at the home Friday afternoon, February 2, at 2:30 o'clock, in charge of the Rev. Clinton Green. Burial followed in the Maness Cemetery at St. Charles, with the St. Charles Funeral Home in charge.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Margie Cowan, of St. Charles; four daughters, Daisy Cowan, of Louisville, Ky.; Mrs. Hazel Hester, Mrs. Josie Vaughan, and Bernice Cowan, of St. Charles; two sons, Hampton Cowan and Charles Grant Cowan, both of St. Charles.

Mrs. J. N. Holmes

Mrs. J. N. Holmes, of Jonesville, died at Lee General Hospital, Saturday, February 3, at the age of 67. She had been ill only one week.

Funeral services were held at the First Baptist Church of Pennington Gap, Tuesday, February 6, at 2:00 o'clock p. m., conducted by Rev. Clinton Green, of St. Charles. Burial followed in Cecil Cemetery, with Estes & Cecil Funeral Home in charge.

Mrs. Holmes is survived by two sons, Clifton and Henderson Holmes, of Jonesville; one daughter, Mrs. G. W. Stidham, of Detroit, Mich.; two brothers, H. P. Garrison, Oceanside, Calif., and Andrew Garrison, of Keokee; and two sisters, Mrs. Jack Combs, of Darfork, Ky., and Samanthia McConnell, of Big Stone Gap.

MANY TO SWAP JOBS

At least 20,000,00 persons are expected to swap jobs in 1945 and 1946.

WHERE'S THE MEAT?

There are 10,000 meat stores in New York city.

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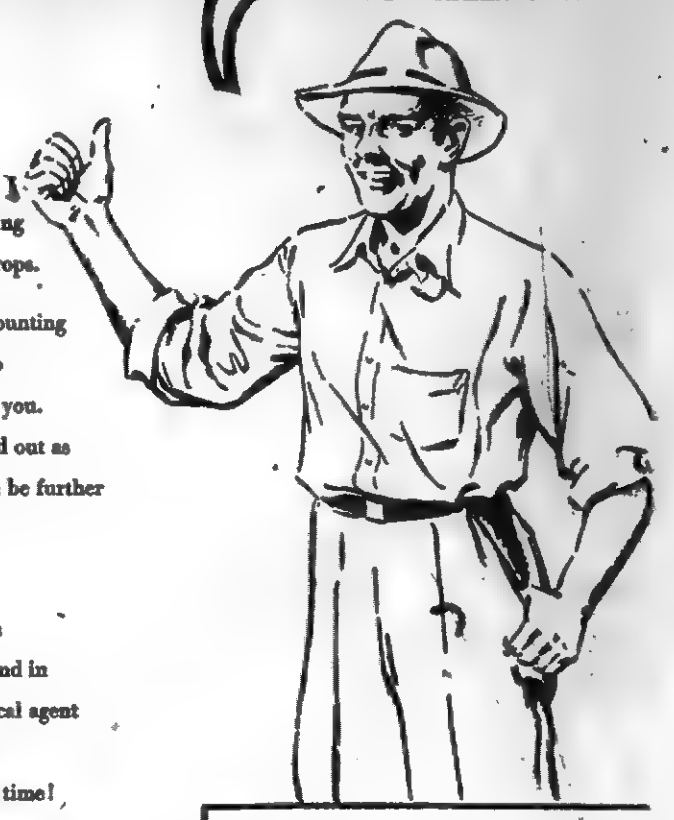

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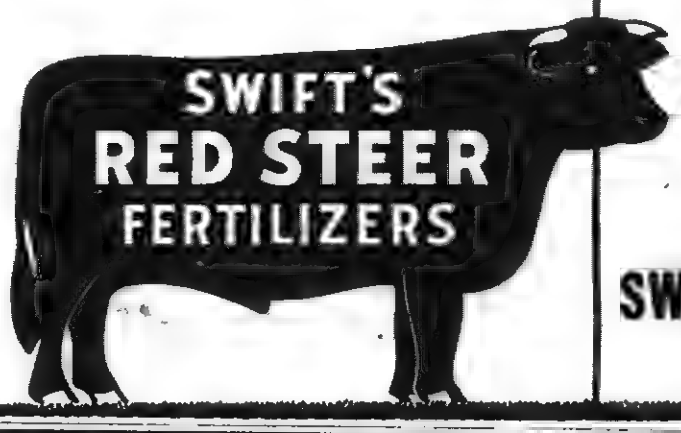

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Let Him Know You Are Glad He Is Back Home

The following advice regarding the returning soldier is clipped from the Sunday News, New York, and forwarded to us by a serviceman, who adds that he thinks it "will straighten out some of the women, and they need it."

"Love him and welcome him home. Show him how glad you are to have him back. If he has handicaps, let him know that this makes no difference in your love and esteem. If you show real pleasure in his presence he will know he is still loved and wanted, which will dispel his possible fear and discomfort."

The advice is offered by Dr. Luther E. Woodard, of New York, field consultant on rehabilitation of the National Committee of Mental Hygiene. Dr. Woodard urges that loved ones refrain from having a family reunion which would expose him to everyone. He'll get around to the relatives in due time and will like it better that way.

"Listen and listen well when he chooses to talk about his combat experiences, but don't pry into any of his personal experiences. When your serviceman [illegible] with some disability, whether it is a weak heart, impaired hearing, loss of a hand, or whatever it is, don't try to ignore the disability, but don't magnify it. Focus on what is left and not on what is lost.

"Treat him as an essentially normal, upstanding, competent person," Dr. Woodard continues, "not as an invalid. More than anything else, men fear being over-sympathized with and having too much done for them by their families. They do not consider themselves 'washed up' and they don't want to be treated as though they were. It will help much more if they are treated as well and competent, and are asked to help with jobs that will help you or others.

"Expect him to be different in some ways," says Dr. Woodard. "If he was very young when he went away he is sure to have grown up a lot. He may have grown ten years in two. Because of nerve-racking experiences in the services and his worry about getting into the swing of civilian living, he may be more easily irritated and annoyed; he may tease you in a way he never did before, or he may appear quieter or more serious. Take time to get acquainted again and find ways of getting along together, particularly if you are the wife or sweetheart of a younger man.

"Many men are discharged during convalescence so that they may have the invigorating benefit of home, friends and a congenial job. But if professional help is needed, the medical divisions of the services give excellent service in restoring as fully as possible the health of men who are wounded. Don't muddle through. Don't let problems drag on. Most nervous ailments respond well to treatment. Social workers can help with family and social adjustments; vocation counselors can aid in the choice of training or employment."

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ASK YOUR GROCER

CANDY FOR SOLDIERS

A Cuban candy company recently shipped a ton of candy bars to Allied soldiers in Iraq.

Radio Technicians Are Urgently Needed In Navy

The Navy is sorely in need of radio technicians, Lieutenant Commander Charles L. Kessler, Officer in Charge of Navy Recruiting for the State of Virginia, said yesterday, asking for many more persons interested in training in RADAR to apply immediately.

Commander Kessler conferred with Navy recruiting officials in Washington last week, and they told him that radio technicians are not reaching the prescribed quota, while combat aircrewmen and volunteers for other branches of sea service are all meeting required goals.

A new feature in the Navy's RADAR training program is that it has just been made available to all men of draft age, rather than only 17-year-olds, as was previously the case. Commander Kessler emphasized the fact that under the relaxed regulations a man may apply even after he has received his final induction notice from Selective Service.

If an applicant successfully passes his preliminary examination and is accepted for the radio training, he will receive a "letter of directed assignment", which will assure him of being placed in the school, rather than in other branches of the service.

The Virginia Navy Recruiting Executive added that some mathematics, elementary physics and mechanical shop practice would aid prospective applicants in qualifying for the RADAR work.

NEW COLLEGE BUILDINGS

President Franklyn B. Snyder of Northwestern University has announced that the institution will erect buildings costing $17,000,000 after the war.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of Lee County, in vacation, the 24th day of January, 1945.

Barney Everidge ....Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Mary Helen King Everidge .... Defendant

The object of the above styled suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on behalf of the complainant from the defendant on grounds of desertion for more than two years and on grounds of adultery.

And it appearing by affidavit filed according to law that Mary Helen King Everidge, the above named defendant, is not a resident of this State; it is therefore ordered that the said Mary Helen King Everidge do appear within ten days after due publication of this order, in the Clerk's Office of our said Court, and do what is necessary to protect her interests. It is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a newspaper published in Lee County, Virginia. And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of said County on or before the next succeeding rule day, and another copy of this order be mailed to the defendant at the Post Office address given in the affidavit.

CHARLES N. HAWS, Deputy Clerk.
Robt. B. Ely, p. q.
No. 4-4t.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 25th day of January, 1945.

Eunice W. Hudgins..Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Darrell W. Hudgins....Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce from the bonds of matrimony.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Darrell W. Hudgins, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known adderss is unknown, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By.: CHARLES N. HAWS, D. C.
p. q. Guy A. Kauffman.
Adv. No. 5-4t

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 20th day of January, 1945.

Fern Russell ....Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Ray Russell ....Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce A vinculo Matrimonii, on grounds of adultery. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Ray Russell, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address is unknown, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p. q., V. S. King.
Adv. No. 4 - 4t.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 20th day of January, 1945.

Tilson Webb ....Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Virginia R. Webb........Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce on grounds of desertion. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Virginia R. Webb, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address is unknown, it is hereby ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p. q., Vance S. King.
Adv. No. 4 - 4t.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 20th day of January, 1945.

Francis C. McDavid..Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
James Carl McDavid....Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce on grounds of desertion. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, James Carl McDavid, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address is unknown, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
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Adv. 4 - 3t pd.

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NOTICE

To Whom It May Concern:

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Adv. No. 5-4t.

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—with—
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Latest War News

Saturday, February 17 — DOUBLE FEATURE
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—with—
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JANE FRAZEE
—also—
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—starring—
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Monday and Tuesday, February 12 - 13
THE CANTERVILLE GHOST
—starring—
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MARGARET O'BRIEN
News and Comedy

Friday and Saturday, February 16 - 17
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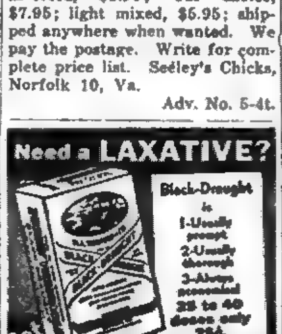

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Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Harber, of Memphis, Tenn.; Walter Harber and little son, George Ernest, of Jefferson City, Tenn.; and Mrs. Ty Harber, of Middlesboro, Ky., were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Harber last week.

Mrs. C. W. Adams and little daughter, Sally Ann, left Sunday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Vernon Pellman, and family, at Cincinnati.

"Sweet and Low" is coming to Lee Theatre on Monday and Tuesday, February 26 - 27. Don't miss this one..

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hall, of Dublin, Va., spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. David and family.

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Pfc. Floyd Forester, of Philadelphia, Pa., has arrived somewhere overseas, according to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Forester, of Philadelphia, and a friend, Miss Ilene Harber, of Pennington Gap.

Pfc. Clark May, stationed at Columbia, S. C., spent a short leave here last week and was accompanied on his return by his wife and little daughter. Pfc. May was formerly clerk of Local Draft Board No. 2.

Mrs. C. W. Milhorn, Jr., and little son, Larry, are visiting in Johnson City, Tenn., this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bailey, of Detroit, Mich., are visiting Mrs. Bailey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Myers; also Mrs. Bailey's daughters, Kay and Ann Gilliam and Mrs. Otis V. Creech. Mrs. Bailey was formerly Mrs. B. S. Gilliam, of Pennington Gap. Mr. Bailey is a supervisor at the Briggs Manufacturing Company's bomber plant at Detroit, and Mrs. Bailey is stock clerk at the same plant. They married February 2, 1945, at Napoleon, Ohio. Their home is at 5166 Fairview, Detroit, Mich.

Guy Ely, formerly of Dryden, but now of Detroit, Mich., is spending a few days with his family at Dryden.

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Miss Jenelle Ann Howard returned to Dayton, Ohio, Tuesday, where she is employed, after spending the week with her friends in Harrogate, Tenn., and parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Howard, of Pennington Gap.

W. N. Beverly, a student at Hiwassee College, was at home last week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Beverly.

Mary Virginia Tipton, of Oak Ridge, was at home a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tipton.

Mrs. L. J. Stewart, formerly Miss Nell Smyth, is now with her husband, Sgt. L. J. Stewart, at Camp Lejeune, N. C., with the U. S. Marine Corps. Mrs. Stewart is a former employee of Mays' Department Store.

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Servicemen Visiting Here This Week

The following men in service are visiting among relatives and friends here this week:

Sgt. Benjamin S. (Sherman) Keel, U. S. Marine Base, Washington, D. C.

Pvt. Jack Williams, Camp Wheeler, Ga.

Second Lt. Leroy E. Stapleton, visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Stapleton, of Jonesville. Lt. Stapelton has just graduated from a bombardiers' school at Childress, Texas.

Pvt. Jack Hall, Camp Wheeler, is visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hall, of this place.

Pvt. John Henry Plaster, of Camp Wheeler, is visiting his parents at Stickleyville; Pvt. James Biggs, Camp Wheeler, is visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Biggs, of Woodway.

Cpl Jack Collier has sailed the "ocean blue" from India to spend a 21-day furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Collier, and family.

Lt. and Mrs. Bill Goins, Jr., and little daughter, Sharon Kay, arrived here last Friday morning for a ten-day visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Goins, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. T. I. Reasor. Lt. Goins is stationed at Mt. Clemens, Mich. He is known here as "Salty", and has been in the Army Air Corps for about two years.

Pvt. Jack Williams and Pvt. and Mrs. "Tubby" Williams are visiting with their mother, Mrs. Emma Williams, and other relatives. Jack is stationed at Camp Wheeler, Ga., Pvt. and Mrs. Williams in Wyoming.

Seaman Richard P. Napier returned to duty Wednesday after spending a several days' furlough with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Payne.

Ben Hur Baptist Tabernacle

Rev. W. W. Nails will preach Saturday night, February 10, at the Missionary Baptist Tabernacle at Ben Hur. There will be services each Saturday night except the first Saturday night in each month.

Sunday School each Sunday morning at 10:00 o'clock, followed by preaching services by Rev. Joe Lamb, of Sneedville, Tenn. Everyone invited to attend all these services.

NAVIGATION PROJECT

A $500,000,000 post-war navigation and power project program has been approved by Congress.

COTTON YIELD UP

Cotton yield in Southeastern States in 1944 totaled 1,003,000—or 144,000 more bales than in 1943.

LOST

Brown change purse; money and two bus tickets. Reward. Finder please return to Powell Valley News office.
Adv. No. 6-1t pd.

With Our Service Men

Pfc. Pearl N. Minton, Jonesville, Route 4, is serving with the Sixth Army Group, 713th Railway Operating Battalion, in France.

The 713th, commanded by Lt. Col. Ernest Foulks, of Los Angeles, was the first unit of the Military Railway Service to arrive on the Riveria beachhead in the invasion of Southern France. And now, once again, the men are following their old routine. They are scattered in detachments along hundreds of miles of French railroad lines, operating trains, repairing bridges, laying track. Their job is to make sure that the thousands of tons of supplies entering the great ports reach the troops of the U. S. Seventh and French First Armies, now hammering at the Nazi's strong Siegfried positions.

Mrs. Roy E. Hammons, of Calvin, has received word that her husband, a private first class in the U. S. Army in France, was wounded in action Jan. 19, 1945.

First Lt. B. B. Laningham is located at the Army Air Forces Redistribution Station, at Miami, Beach, Fla., for reassignment processing after completing a tour of duty outside the continental United States.

Lt. Laningham flew 59 missions as pilot of A-20 Havoc attack bombers and B-26 Marauder medium bombers in the European theater of operations, for which he has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross, the Air Medal, and a Distinguished Unit Citation. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Laningham, and husband of the former Miss Josephine Reasor, all of Pennington Gap.

Pvt. Ross Martin, of Rose Hill, with the Fifth Army in Italy, is a member of the 337th Field Artillery Battalion, whose 105 millimeter howitzers recently enabled capture of Mt. Grande, retention of Mt. Battaglia, and a view of Italy's Po Valley. Most spectacular feat of the 337th was relief of 45 infantrymen hemmed in on three sides by 150 Germans supported by artillery, mortars and eight self-propelled guns. Firing precision bursts, the howitzer crews wiped out the entire German battalion staff, killing the commanding officer, reduced 3 separate companies to half strength, silenced a two-gun battery and forced enemy mortar crews to withdraw.

Pvt. James P. Legg, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Legg, of Pennington Gap, is serving as a surgical technician in the Philippines with an infantry unit. Before entering the Army in November, 1943, Pvt. Legg was district manager for the Knoxville News Sentinel. His brother, Harold, is serving in the Army in Africa.

Promotion of Clifford N. Ely, of Keokee, from the rank of private to private first class has been announced at an Eighth Air Force Fighter Station, England. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ely, reside at Keokee, and Pfc. Ely was graduated from Keokee High School in the class of '40. He was active in school athletics, principally basketball and baseball. Before joining the AAF he was employed as clerk in the Ely Grocery firm, Keokee.

Cpl. Everette W. McLain, of Route 1, Pennington Gap, and Pvt. Arthur W. Wilson, of Route 1, Rose Hill, are with the Fifth Army in Italy, members of the 337th "Wolverine" Regiment, which recently took 3,000-ft. Mount Pratone, in the Gothic Line, digging German soldiers out of elaborate concrete pillboxes and earthworks on its forested slopes.

The 337th fought and won a bloody 72-hour battle before Terracina, playing a key role in rupture of the Hitler Line. They moved on through Rome, across the Tiber River and up to Viterbo. The "Wolverine" went back to pierce the Gothic line at one of its most formidable points.

Pvt. Homer Crawford, of Dryden, serving at headquarters, Panama Canal Department, has been awarded the Good Conduct Medal, along with the citation for "fidelity through faithful and exact performance of duty, efficiency through capacity to produce desired results, and behavior such as to deserve emulation."

Pvt. Crawford's wife, Mrs. Rena Crawford, and two sons, Glenn and Coy J., live at Dryden. In civil life he was a miner, employed by the Blue Diamond Coal Company.

Tech. Sgt. Robert P. Crowell, engineer and top turret gunner on an Eighth Air Force B-17 Flying Fortress, has completed 30 combat bombing missions over enemy territory. He has been awarded the Air Medal with four Oak Leaf Clusters for meritorious achievement while participating in bitter battles with Nazi flak and fighters in the war's toughest theater. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest E. Crowell, of Pennington Gap.

Recently reported wounded, he writes his parents that he is able to be up in a wheel chair and expects to soon be back in action.

TOWN TALK

(Continued from page 1)

fice of War Information, came as a surprise. The interview was in regard to a possible assignment in the European theater of war as a foreign correspondent.

Remembers Pennington Folk

Many Pennington Gap residents will remember a Mr. Vaughan who was cashier of Lee Bank & Trust Company several years ago, succeeding A. G. Hyatt, who resigned because of ill health.

Mr. Vaughan is now president of the Federal Land Bank in Baltimore, where he resides. He goes regularly to Johns Hopkins Hospital to visit with J. E. Laningham, now a patient there, and, Jim says, asks about all the folk back here.

"Then There Were Four"

One of the greatest joys that can come to an overseas soldier is to meet someone from his home town, or at least someone he knows.

Recently Denver C. Hall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Milt Hall, of Derby, and who is stationed on Leyte Island, started out to find his cousin, Pvt. Harding Carroll, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Carroll, of Hubbard Springs. After traveling about five miles he met Staff Sgt. Wm. Ray, a boy from his home town. Together they tried to see whom they could find, and met with Paul Baker, of Big Stone Gap. Then the three soon found Carroll. To be sure, their main subject was about home, and their experiences of getting rid of the Japs on the Island of Leyte.

Mr. Creech Has A Birthday

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Bible Class, Methodist Church School, was held in the Recreation Hall of the church on Tuesday evening, February 6. The evening was especially dedicated to their teacher, W. H. Creech, in honor of his birthday anniversary. Aside from the regular members of the class, several special invited guests were present. The entertainment consisted of the usual devotional service, the games, music and contests, and last, but not least, refreshments, which included the big birthday cake with candle decorations.

Spends Birthday In India

Cpl. Smith Lewis, son of Mr. and Mrs. McKinley Lewis, of Pennington Gap, Route 1, observed his 22nd birthday anniversary Tuesday, February 6, with the U. S. Army Corps in far-away India.

Despite his youthful age, Cpl. Lewis has seen nearly seven years Army service, and has been in almost every corner of the world. His brother, Marvin D. (Douglas) Lewis, has been serving in the Navy for almost a year, although he is not yet 18. He enlisted in the Army at 15, was honorably discharged when his correct age was discovered, came home and stayed long enough to persuade his parents into letting him enlist in the Navy. He is now somewhere at sea.

The Lewis boys have a patriotic and fighting heritage from their father, a veteran of World War I.

First Baptist Church

Sunday morning February 11: Sunday School at 9:30, A. T. Burchette, Supt. Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon by Dr. W. H. Conley, of Richmond, Director of Evangelism, Virginia Baptist Association.

Sunday evening the Baptist Training Union meets at 6:30 o'clock, with Mrs. P. R. Stubbs as superintendent.

Preaching at 7:00 o'clock by the pastor. Sermon theme: "Junior Partners", being the second in the series of sermons on the Home. Special music both morning and evening.

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening.

P. R. Stubbs, Pastor.

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Bonny Blue Community Church

In observance of Scout Week—February 8 to 14—there will be a special service for the Scouts of Bonny Blue at this church Sunday morning at 11:00 o'clock. Both the Boy Scouts and the Girl Scouts are invited, together with their families.

The Sunday School will meet as usual at 10:00 a. m.

At the young people's meeting at 6:15 p. m., a new series of devotional topics will be introduced: "We Follow the Way", by Lucille Desjardins.

Evening worship, 7:00 o'clock. Everybody invited.

T. H. Roach, Pastor.

Pennington Methodist Church

Sunday, February 11: Church School at 9:30 a. m., Clyde M. Kirk, Supt. Preaching at 10:45. Sermon subject: "Will A Man Rob God?" "This ye ought to have done?" Continuing the series on this theme begun last Sunday. Sunday evening: "Three Certainties". Special music at both services.

On Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of next week a Christian Worker School will be held. Rev. Wm. Seymour, executive member, Inter-Board Council, Bristol, will teach a course on "Demobilization".

Miss Carrie Lou Goddard, children's worker of the Holston Conference, will conduct a study on the theme, "The Children We Teach". This will be for both parents and children.

Charlie D. Mehaffey, Pastor.

Special Midnight Show At Virginian Theatre

Manager Dillard Ball, of the Virginian Theatre at St. Charles, secured, as a result of the many requests received, another midnight special. He has arranged to show "Youth On Trial" at the Virginian on Saturday night, with the gong sounding at 11:15 p. m.

Featuring Cora Sue Collins, David Reed and Eric Sinclair, the epic drama dares tell all and show all there is to know about the parade of juvenile delinquency as it exists today, and that is going to be quite a colorful story.

DO NOT NEGLECT YOUR HEALTH

This is the season when we must watch out for coughs, colds, pneumonia and kindred troubles. If we begin treatment early, the disease is much more easily controlled . . . .

And with Physicians so busy that it is not always easy to secure one, it is much more important that we try to check it in the early stage.

However, if you fail, do not delay too long, but go to see your physician while you are able to visit him at his office. That conserves his time and helps others who are sick and need his services.

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The 1945 Red Cross War Fund Drive Starts March 1st

Town Talk

About This, That, And The Other

When trouble drives me into rhyme,
Which is two-thirds of all the time;
What peace a thought like this can give—
"Great is the age in which we live".

Billy Olinger Is Here

Billy Olinger, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Olinger, is here with home folk and friends, to remain until Tuesday, February 20.

Events have turned fast for Billy within the last few months. This time last year he was battling with his senior grades at Pennington High School; he made the passing in a fine way, enjoyed a very few days' vacation before entering the Navy along with several others of his schoolmates.

He has already seen much service and lots of new places; is now seaman second class on a minesweeper. He recently arrived from Trinidad to Miami, Fla., and thence on home.

Vases From Germany

If you happen to be traveling at a distance, and don't know just what to bring Mrs. J. S. Howard, here's a tip—bring her a vase, because vase collecting is her favorite hobby. The other day, through the courtesy of her brother-in-law, she received two German vases, which are very lovely.

Guest Of Honor

M. C. Osborne, 51-year-old veteran of World War I, of Spartanburg, S. C., spent last Wednesday night at the home of his father, J. H. Osborne, of Pennington Gap, which doesn't sound so unusual; but it is: considering the fact that although they have seen each other a time or two, this is the first time they've had a meal together in thirty years.

P.V.N. Makes Round Trip To India

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Hughes [illegible] other day received a belated Christmas gift from their foster-son, Cpl. Edgar M. Smyth (Jack Hughes), stationed with a U. S. Ordnance Company at Karachia, India. Although arriving somewhat late, the package contained lovely gifts well worth waiting for.

For Mrs. Hughes he included an elaborate house coat of white silk, hand embroidered by the native women. For Mr. Hughes there was a pair of driving gloves made of leopard skin; and also there was a picture frame which Jack had fashioned out of cartridge shells and containing his own picture. Among the wrappings that came with the articles was an August issue of The Powell Valley News, looking very fresh and unharmed by its trip to and from India.

Remembers Former Pupils

W. E. Fletcher daily calls at the home of W. E. (Elbert) Thompson, to visit him in his illness. Mr. Thompson and Frank Wilson, farmer living near Woodway, are among Mr. Fletcher's former pupils when he taught school in the "Hickory Flat" community 'way back when the three were young.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Weather Bureau report for the week ending Feb. 11, 1945, for Lee County, furnished by Cam J. Lewis, official observer:

Date February	Temperature Highest	Temperature Lowest	Rainfall Inch and Hundredths
5	42	31	.21
6	40	30	.00
7	42	31	.00
8	49	30	.35
9	32	26	.06
10	42	26	.09
11	53	26	.05

Two Miners Are Dead, Poison Is Alleged Cause

Officers Investigating Reports That Moonshine Caused Deaths

Circumstances surrounding the deaths of Newman Cradic and John Estep, employees of Benedict Coal Corporation, on Friday, February 9, are being probed by Sheriff J. W. Newman, of Lee County, assisted by other Virginia and Kentucky officers, who report that facts brought to light by the investigation point to a strong probability that both deaths were due to poison moonshine whiskey.

Among several other reported ill from the alleged poisoning is Vernon Kennedy, who was rushed to Lee Geenral Hospital at Pennington Gap in a frozen condition. He is now reported much improved and has returned home.

The circumstances surrounding the affair, as reported by witnesses to Sheriff Newman, are as follows: Glenn Allen, Vernon Kennedy, John Estep and others had gone across the Kentucky line in the Clover Fork settlement on a hunting trip.

Allen returned to Benedict Mines late Thursday afternoon, hailing a man-trip of working men enroute home from the mines. He told them some men were frozen to death around a steep mountainside, and asked them to help. Estep's son, Lloyd, nad Newman Cradic left the man-trip and volunteered to lead in the search. They followed a trail through the snow and found John Estep lying beneath a cliff in a branch of water, frozen stiff.

Tired and cold, Cradic left the searchers and went to a nearby mountain cabin, where he was said to have gotten a pint of moonshine. He took a few drinks to combat the cold and then finally caught up with the searchers. Cradic began to call to aid, and became helpless. He was brought to the man-trip on a stretcher and died before reaching the landing on the Virginia side. Kennedy was found earlier and taken to the hospital.

Sheriff Newman attributed the deaths to drinking moonshine [illegible] He said that Sheriff Clint Ball, of Harlan County, has promised cooperation in tracking down moonshiners who sold the Virginia miners the moonshine while the miners were coon hunting on Clover Fork.

Sheriff Newman further stated that Vernon Kennedy, who was taken to the hospital, is improving, as well as several others who were said to have become ill at home. He said the whiskey seemingly caused a lapse of memory among those he had questioned; that they didn't seem to remember where or from whom they had bought the whiskey, but said the investigation would continue.

Cradic is survived by his wife and seven children, one son serving in the Far Pacific. Estep is survived by his wife and six children, and he, too, has a son serving in the Far Pacific.

Cradic was buried Sunday in the Cecil Cemetery at Pennington Gap. Estep was taken to Elizabethton, Tenn., for burial Monday.

Former Pennington Gap Boy Wins Bronze Star

Tech. Sgt. Robert Laningham, son of Mrs. Clarence Howard, formerly of Pennington Gap and now of Kingsport, has been stationed in the Philippines since the invasion started, with the 25th Division Intelligence Department.

Sgt. Laningham has been in service overseas for six years, during which time he has had no furlough. He was awarded the Bronze Star in May, 1944.

W. E. Thompson Ill

W. E. (Elbert) Thompson continues seriously ill at his home here, following a stroke of paralysis suffered last Friday. Mr. Thompson is a long-time resident of Pennington Gap, and has followed the profession of civil engineer.

QUITS DEFENSE WORK FOR ARMY

PVT. MARY CALTON

Pvt. Mary Calton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Calton, of Keokee, worked in a defense plant at Charleston, W. Va., following her graduation from Keokee High School in 1942.

However, in the desire to be of further service to her country, she enlisted with the WACS in August, 1944, and is now stationed in Oakland, Calif.

Tobacco Warehouse In Abingdon Burns

Fire last Saturday destroyed the Virginian Tobacco Warehouse at Abingdon, Va. Approximately 300,000 pounds of burley tobacco was on the warehouse floor, W. N. Britton, the operator said. Loss of the equipment and the building was partly covered by insurance, and J. C. Vann, owner of the building, estimated that it would take $60,000 to $70,000 to replace the building, which for the past 14 years had been leased to Mr. Britton.

Loss of the tobacco was fully covered by insurance, Mr. Britton said, and they expected to begin adjusting claims by Tuesday, February 13.

Card of Thanks

We wish to take this opportunity to thank Rev. H. C. Hilliard, Rev. M. H. Rambo, Cawood Funeral Home, the pianist, the singers, the Masons, and all the many friends who were so kind and considerate during the illness and death of my husband and our father. Words cannot express the gratitude that we owe to our many friends and neighbors who helped us.

Mrs. Mollie Edens
and Children.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to our friends for the kindness and sympathy shown us in the illness and death of our husband and father, Daniel David Hall. May God bless each of you.

Mrs. D. D. Hall
and Family.

Mrs. P. R. Hinkle Ill

Mrs. P. R. Hinkle, of Pennington Gap, Route 2, was brought to Lee General Hospital recently suffering from a severe illness. Her condition is reported slightly improved at this writing. Her husband is rural mail carrier.

Blackwater Sailor Is Awarded Purple Heart

Ph.M. 2-C. Marcel E. Livingstone, whose parents reside at Blackwater, Va., Route 1, was hit by a Jap sniper's bullet during the Marines' landing on Guam, and was awarded the Purple Heart in recent ceremonies However, he was away from duty only a week.

The 21-year-old Navy man entered the service in February, 1943, and saw his first action on Guam.

ELECTED GRAND MASTER OF VIRGINIA MASONS

Earl C. Laningham

Earl C. Laningham, local business man and lawyer, was elected Grand Master of Masons of Virginia at the 167th annual Grand Communication of the Grand Lodge, Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons, held in the city of Richmond on February 13th.

The new Grand Master of Masons in Virginia is a life-long resident of Pennington Gap. He has been associated in business with his only brother, James E. Laningham, for more than a quarter of a century. He is a member of the Virginia State Bar, and was admitted to practice before the Supreme Court of the United States eight years ago.

Mr. Laningham married Mable Lillian Wilkinson, of Stanford, Ky., on November 25, 1920 He has two daughters, Lillian Cranston, the wife of Cpl. Richard Yates Rowe, Jr., now living in Nashville, Tenn., and James Alyce Lee, a member of the senior class of Pennington High School.

The new Grand Master of Masons in Virginia has been active in Masonic circles for nearly two decades. He was elected Worshipful Master of Miles Lodge No. 165 in 1928, again in 1932, and was re-elected for three successive years. He has the unique record — possibly unequalled in the history of the Grand Lodge of Virginia— of having been designated by nine Grand Masters as District Deputy Grand Master for the 50th District. He served Lee Royal Arch Chapter No. 69, R. A. M., as High Priest during the year 1928-29, and was appointed District Deputy Grand High Priest in October, 1928. In 1937 he was elected High Priest of Lee Royal Arch Chapter for a second time. In February, 1940, he was elected Eminent Commander of Cyreme Commandery No. 21, K. T.

He is a 32nd degree Mason, with membership in the Scottish Rite Bodies of Roanoke; has membership in Kazim Temple, A.A.O.N.M.S., Roanoke, and in Powell Valley Chapter No. 13, O. E. S., Pennington Gap.

At the recent Grand Lodge session, Dr. G. B. Setzler, of Pennington Gap, the Eminent Grand Junior Warden of the Grand Commandery of Virginia, was appointed District Deputy Grand Master for the 50th District of Virginia. Dr. Millard H. Robbins, who is the Grand Master of the First Vail of the Grand Chapter of Virginia, R.A.M., was reappointed to membership on the Grand Lodge of Virginia Committee on Work, an appointment he has held since 1940, when he succeeded the newly-elected Grand Master of Masons in Virginia.

WITH ARMY FLYERS

S. SGT. EDWARD PARSONS AND DAUGHTER

Staff Sgt. Edward Parsons, pictured above with his daughter, Thelma Kay, is stationed at Gulfport, Miss., with the U. S. Army Air Corps. He has been in service three years, eight months of which have been spent overseas. He took his training at Tyndell School, Florida.

Sgt. Parsons is a former student of St. Charles High School, and prior to his enlistment was employed by Tomlinson Coal Company. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Parsons, of St. Charles.

Leonard Thompson is here from Fremont, Ohio, to be with his father, W. E. Thompson, who is ill.

ATTENDS L. C. SCHOOL

SEAMAN JAMES V. CARTER

Seaman James V. Carter, who is sometimes known as Buster Hall, entered the Navy September 6, 1944. He took his training at Great Lakes, Ill., and is now attending the Landing Craft School at San Diego, Calif. He recently spent a furlough here with home folk.

Seaman Carter made his home with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hall, of Jonesville, Route 4, since a small child, and attended Jonesville High School.

Miss Reba Wylie, St. Charles, is visiting in Johnson City with her sister, Mrs. James Williams, and family. The Williams' announce the birth of a daughter on February 4, to whom has been given the name Lowis Ann.

Saxton and Esser To Speak For Red Cross

WITH FIFTH ARMY

CPL. DILLARD L. GRAHAM

Cpl. Dillard L. ("Buddy") Graham is serving with the Fifth Army in Italy. He enlisted in the Army in April, 1943, and has been overseas about 16 months.

Cpl. Graham graduated from Pennington High School in 1942, majoring in music, and for one term was band instructor at Bell County High School, Pineville, Ky. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Graham, of Pennington Gap.

Repatriated Missionary to Speak At Local Church

Rev. James H. H. Berckman, for twenty years one of the best known evangelistic missionaries in the Methodist Church, will be the guest speaker at the Methodist Church here Sunday evening, February 18, at 7:00 o'clock.

Rev. Berckman was placed in a concentration camp in China by the Japanese when the United States entered the war, was repatriated on the Gripsholm in 1943, and is planning to return to China as soon as possible. He will speak Sunday evening on his experiences in China, and on the future he envisions for that country in the post-war world.

Rev. Berckman went to China in 1921 under the Board of Foreign Missions of the Methodist Church, South. Most of his service has been in Shanghai and in the old walled city of Changchow. He was pastor of some of the outstanding churches of the Orient, including the Moore Memorial Church in Shanghai, the church that has been the church home of Madame Chiang Kai-shek's family, and where the generalissimo was later baptized. During the years of the war he was presiding elder of the Shanghai District. He was born in New York, but calls Albertsville, Ala., home.

Rev. Berckman will also speak at various churches in Lee County and throughout the Big Stone Gap District, following the schedule outlined below:

Sunday, February 18: Gate City, 11:00 a. m.; Clinchport, 2:30 p.m.; Pennington Gap, 7:00 p. m.

Monday, February 19: Cumberland, 11:00 a. m.; Rose Hill, 2:30 p. m.; Bonny Blue, 7:30 p. m.

Tuesday, February 20: Seminary, 2:30 p. m.; East Stone Gap, 7:00 p. m.

Wednesday, February 21: Dunbar, 2:30 p. m.; Norton, 7 p. m.

Thursday, February 22: Coeburn, 10:00 a. m.; Clintwood, 7 p. m.

Friday, February 23: McClure, 10:00 a. m.; Clincheo, 2:30 p.m.; Jonesville, 7:30 p. m.

Charlie D. Mehaffey,
District Missionary Secy.

Deputy Collectors To Assist Taxpayers

Two Deputy Collectors of Internal Revenue will be at the following places to assist taxpayers with 1944 income tax returns. Service free:

February 24, Pennington Gap; Feb. 26, Jonesville; Feb. 27, St. Charles.

Final Organization For 1945 War Fund Drive Will Be Perfected

On Monday night, February 19, at 7:00 o'clock, at the Methodist Church in Pennington Gap, the Women's Society of Christian Service will serve a special dinner to the men and women workers in the coming Red Cross War Fund Drive, which begins March 1st.

Speakers at the dinner will be John Saxton, president of District 28, United Mine Workers of America, and George H. Esser, president of the Virginia Coal Operators' Association. Also at the meeting will be officials of the Red Cross Chapter, the officers of local unions, and officials of the coal companies. Dr. G. B. Setzler, county chairman, will be the toastmaster. An attendance of one hundred is expected.

The Lee County quota for the drive is $10,000. Mr. C. F. Connelly is chairman of the drive. At the dinner, plans will be discussed and perfected for the drive.

World Traveler To Speak At Bonny Blue

The Rev. James H. H. Berckman, of Albertville, Ala., world traveler and missionary to China, will speak at the Community Church, Bonny Blue, next Monday night, February 19th. The meeting will be preceded by the regular monthly business meeting of the P.T.A. at 7 o'clock.

The public is invited to attend both the P. T. A. meeting and the address by Dr. Berckman. Here is an opportunity to hear one of the most distinguished Christian leaders of China, and a man who is intimately familiar with conditions in the Far East.

T. H. Roach, Pastor.

St. Charles Men's Bible Class Gaining Members

The Men's Bible Class of the St. Charles Methodist Church are on the way to doubling their attendance. They have sponsored some church improvements, adding two new Sunday School rooms. They are taking over the main room of the basement and beginning their study of the lesson at 10:00 a. m. Ralph Pope is teacher of the class, and all his men are enthused to make the class a real service to those who do not attend elsewhere. Every man is pledged to bring another.

C. R. McPherson, Pastor.

St. Charles Girl Enlists In WACS

Wilma Jean Hughes, 20, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hughes, of St. Charles, decided she wanted to help win the war, and accordingly enlisted with the WACS. She passed successful physical examination December 19, and received her call to report to Roanoke last Monday. From Roanoke she will go to Iowa for basic training.

Miss Hughes attended St. Charles High School, also the Vocational Training School at Manassas, Va., later accepting a job in a defense plant at Baltimore.

She has two brothers in service, Cpl. Winford D. Hughes, somewhere overseas, and Cpl. James L. Hughes, Keesler Field, Miss.

Former Schoolmates To Share Same Vocation

Miss Lyla B. Holmes, of Detroit, Mich., entered St. Mary's School of Nursing, at Knoxville, Tenn., as cadet nurse, January 29, 1945. Before entering training at St. Mary's Hospital, Miss Holmes visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde V. Copeland, at St. Charles, Va.

At St. Mary's, Miss Holmes will renew a friendship of long standing with Cadet Nurse Lela M. Onkst, of Pennington Gap. Miss Holmes and Miss Onkst entered elementary school together in 1932 and graduated from St. Charles High School, June, 1944.

News From
JOHNSON MILL

(For Week of February 2.)

Mrs. Albertine Gibson and Ada Jones visited in Big Stone Gap over the week-end.

U. P. Bailey was at home on furlough last week from Macon, Ga., visiting with his wife and baby; also his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Bailey.

Mrs. Janette Maxfield and Thelma Bailey were shopping in Big Stone Gap and Appalachia recently.

Mrs. Lucille Hammonds received a telegram February 1, stating that her husband, Roy Hammonds, was wounded in action in Germany, January 18th. A brother, Harles, was wounded in action in Italy some time ago, but has recovered and is back in action. They are the sons of Elijah Hammonds.

Mrs. Alma Hobbs visited her father, near Big Stone Gap, last week.

Clayton Hobbs, son of Mr. and Mrs. Millard Hobbs, has gone to Ohio to work. His brother, Junior, is back home from Arlington Hospital, where he was a patient for three or four weeks.

James Miller, of the U. S. Navy, visited his grandfather here last week.

J. C. Duff, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walker Duff, was called for the Army on January 28th.

Charles Bledsoe, who was wounded in action overseas, now has a medical discharge and, with his wife and son, who have been making their home with his parents, will begin housekeeping soon.

Mrs. Rebecca Bledsoe, Ella Robbins and Mrs. Janette Maxfield were shopping in Calvin last week.

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News From
POOR VALLEY

(For Week of February 8.)

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gilbert, of Dryden, announce the birth of a son on January 23, who has been named James Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Riddle, of Roda, visited his mother, Mrs. Martha Riddle, last Sunday.

Pfc. Paul Boggs, of Olinger, is spending a 21-day furlough with home folk, after 36 months' service overseas. He visited Ballard Olinger and family one day last week.

Miss Evelyn Jordon has been on the sick list for several weeks, but is reported better at this writing.

Miss Clara Olinger, of Dryden, enjoyed a week-end visit with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Skidmore, of Pennington Gap, last week. She reports a nice time.

Mrs. Gladys Peters and Miss Ethel Olinger, of Dryden, were shopping in Pennington Gap last week.

Pfc. Charles Wesley Riddle, of Dryden, is stationed somewhere in Burma.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Riddle and family, of Dryden, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bill Olinger, of Pennington Gap, last Sunday.

Mrs. Roberta Jordon Gibson and little daughter are making their home with her father, Walter Jordon, while her husband, Lester Gibson, is serving overseas.

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War supplies were produced by the U. S. automobile industry in 1944 at the rate of more than $1,000,000 an hour.

NOTICE

Time to sow lawn grass, prune your trees, vines and shrubs. Time to chemically treat your trees. I am at your service. Robert DeBusk, Rose Hill, Va. No. 5-4t pd.

NOTICE

To Whom It May Concern:

I will not be responsible for any debts made other than by myself. CECIL SMITH, Route 2, Pennington Gap, Va. Adv. No. 5-3t pd.

News From
EWING

(For Week of February 8.)

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Eldridge, Richmnd, Ind., are back among their many friends here.

Mrs. H. H. Brooks and Ivagene Thomas were visiting Mr. J. M. Rowland and Mr. and Mrs. Andy Brooks, of Loyall, Ky., over the week-end. The latter announce the birth of a son, named William Larry.

Mrs. Olin Eldridge visited her sister at Jonesville last week.

Mrs. Lonnie Brooks is ill at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Bush have received word of the death in action of their son, Pfc. Leslie Bush, who was killed December 25 somewhere in the European theater of war.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Newton, of Rose Hill, visited Mr. and Mrs. George Eldridge, Saturday night.

Don H. Rowlett, S. 2-C., has been transferred to the Seabee camp at Camp Parks, Calif.

Mrs. A. J. Cohram is able to be out after a few days' illness.

Mrs. Dexter Brooks was visiting in Caylor, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Fugate had as their dinner guests Sunday the Rev. and Mrs. Brister and daughter, Mary Lynn.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 20th day of January, 1945.

Cora Lee Gentry.....Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Taylor Gentry .....Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce on grounds of desertion. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Taylor Gentry, is nonresident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address is unknown, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p. q., V. S. King.
Adv. No. 4 - 4t.

News From
BEN HUR

(For Week of February 8.)

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Otis Fisher last week, a son.

Walter McFarland is very ill at this writing.

Mrs. Jess Farmer is improving after an illness.

Mrs. Harmon Terry is much improved after a long illness.

Roy Rogers has gone to Charlottesville, Va., to accompany his wife home. Mrs. Rogers has been a patient in a hospital there.

Mrs. George Smith is on the sick list this week.

Bruce Mise and wife were visiting his brother, Lucas Mise and family, here Sunday.

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Top Honors For Old Dominion-K.U. Firms

For the fourth year, employees of the Old Dominion Power Company and Kentucky Utilities Company have won top honors among eighteen competing utility firms for the lowest percentage of lost-time accidents during 1944. Notice of the award has just been received by A. O. Umstead, manager of the Old Dominion Power Company, from the Bureau of Safety in Chicago.

An average of 1,123 employees worked a total of 2,605,356 man-hours during the year in 433 communities served by the two companies with electricity, gas, water or ice. A mark of 2.30 lost-time accidents per million man-hours worked was established.

In competition with the other seventeen companies, Old Dominion and Kentucky Utilities employees won second place in the annual automobile accident prevention contest of the Bureau of Safety. With 271 trucks and cars in operation, there were 12 accidents for a frequency rate of .51 accidents per 100,000 miles of driving.

That rate tied the one set by Public Service Company of Oklahoma, but the latter covered more mileage and was given first award. In this contest, Old Dominion and Kentucky Utilities employees have won three years in a row before reaching the percentage tie for 1944.

Helping guide the employees in their feat of capturing five of the eight trophies during a four-year period is a safety organization with a director in each division. Last year 282 meetings devoted to safety were held.

"We consider every employee a safety director in his own right," Umstead said, "authorized to observe, report and correct unsafe conditions. In addition to providing dependable service to many war industries, they are making a definite contribution through conservation of vital human and material resources by working and operating safely."

To save lumber and storage space, the Army is using increasing numbers of square telephone poles in the field.

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Pfc. Henry Woodard, son of James F. Woodard, of Keokee, Route 1, has received the Purple Heart, having been wounded in action November 17, 1944.

Pfc. Woodard has been in service 17 months and overseas nearly ten months. He is stationed somewhere in France.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 9th day of February, 1945.

H. Virgil Payne.... Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Mable Nordan Payne .Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a Mensa et thoro. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Mable Nordan Payne, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address is Selma, North Carolina, it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

TESTE:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D. C.
p. q. Guy A. Kauffman.
Adv. No. 7-4t.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 20th day of January, 1945.

Tilson Webb .....Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Virginia R. Webb.....Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce on grounds of desertion. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Virginia R. Webb, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address is unknown, it is hereby ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p. q., Vance S. King.
Adv. No. 4 - 4t.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 20th day of January, 1945.

Francis C. McDavid..Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
James Carl McDavid. .Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce on grounds of desertion. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, James Carl McDavid, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address is unknown, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
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The people of Pennington Gap will be glad to read the following note from Mrs. J. R. Housley, formerly of Pennington Gap, and now of Fountain City, Tenn.:

Editor, Powell Valley News,
Pennington Gap Va.
Dear Mr. Blackwell:
Find enclosed money order for a year's subscription to The Powell Valley News. We have received two copies, but not the ones beginning on Nov. 30. We moved on that date, and do not want to miss the news of the boys in service.

Our boys, Tom and Bob, Jr., are both in Germany, Tom a prisoner of war and Bob, Jr., with the Ninth Army. We have heard no word from Tom since October 27, and seldom hear from Bob.

Thank you so much for sending the paper so promptly. We get very homesick for Pennington Gap. The people there have been so good to us.

Sincerely,
Mrs. Housley.

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To those who are waiting, we say "Thanks for your patience."

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Subsidized Hydro Power Threatens Coal Industry And Jobs In Virginia Too

[This editorial was published originally in The Wheeling (W. Va.) Intelligencer and reprinted in The Harlan (Ky.) Daily Enterprise. What the article says about the threat to the coal mining business of West Virginia applies with equal force to the situation in Virginia, where coal mining is a major industry that provides a living to thousands of families and pays millions of dollars in taxes.]

THE question of whether or not the Federal Government's hydro-electric program is to be extended in accordance with existing New Deal plans has passed the stage of academic interest in West Virginia. It has become an issue of direct and vital concern to the welfare of the State and all its people. Why?

Because development of this water-power program means depression for the coal industry, which is the most important industrial activity in the State.

The issue is brought sharply to mind by two separate but actually related news reports appearing in the press dispatches of the last few days.

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FROM Knoxville, Tenn., comes word that plans already are under way for aggressive expansion of the "electrical home" idea. It is estimated that within five years of the close of hostilities, 100,000 homes, equipped to the last detail — including heating — with electrical devices, will be constructed.

How will such lavish use of electricity be possible? Because the average cost of electricity in the section served by the T.V.A. is only 1.88 cents per kilowatt hour, compared with a national average of 3.55 cents.

Now, we know that this low cost is made possible, not by economy of production, but by the fact that taxpayers' money is used to subsidize the enterprise. So that, in effect, when the people get lower priced electricity from the Government as consumers, they are paying the difference as taxpayers.

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THEY are paying more than the difference. They are paying the added cost of extravagant public as against economical private operation. They are paying the taxes which private industries driven out of business used to pay. And they are helping destroy the private enterprise system of America.

Now how does all this affect West Virginia? How does it affect West Virginians, we mean more acutely than it does the American people as a whole?

The other dispatch above referred to tells the story. It is a report of the West Virginia Chamber of Commerce, which places the total 1944 production of the West Virginia coal industry at 165,000,000 tons, the greatest in the history of the State. This tonnage represents, and here is the important point, more than 26 percent of the national output.

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THUS when the coal industry is hit — and make no mistake the federal power program will hit it hard when suspension of war production reduces demand to normal proportions — West Virginia is much harder hit than is any other state.

Temporarily, the federal power program is marking time. The outgoing Congress threw some cold water on it by rejecting the revived St. Lawrence hydro-seaway scheme, and otherwise staving off expanzion. But the program is all set, and a new Congress will soon gather in Washington to receive it. The blueprint calls, among other things, for a series of counterparts of the T.V.A. to blanket the Nation.

It doesn't require much imagination to realize what such a set-up would do to the West Virginia coal industry.

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HERE, it seems to us, is a matter demanding the immediate and aggressive attention of West Virginia. As the leading coal producing State of the Nation, it is up to West Virginia to take the lead in a national effort to awaken the people of the United States to what development of this power scheme means.

The new State Administration takes office in a few days. A new Legislature will go into session shortly. Why wouldn't it be possible to organize during the session a United West Virginia effort to save the coal industry and stave off socialization of the power industry an effort led by the State Government itself, and backed by such private agencies as the State Chamber of Commerce, the United Mine Workers of America, the West Virginia Manufacturers' Association, all civic and other bodies throughout the State, large and small!

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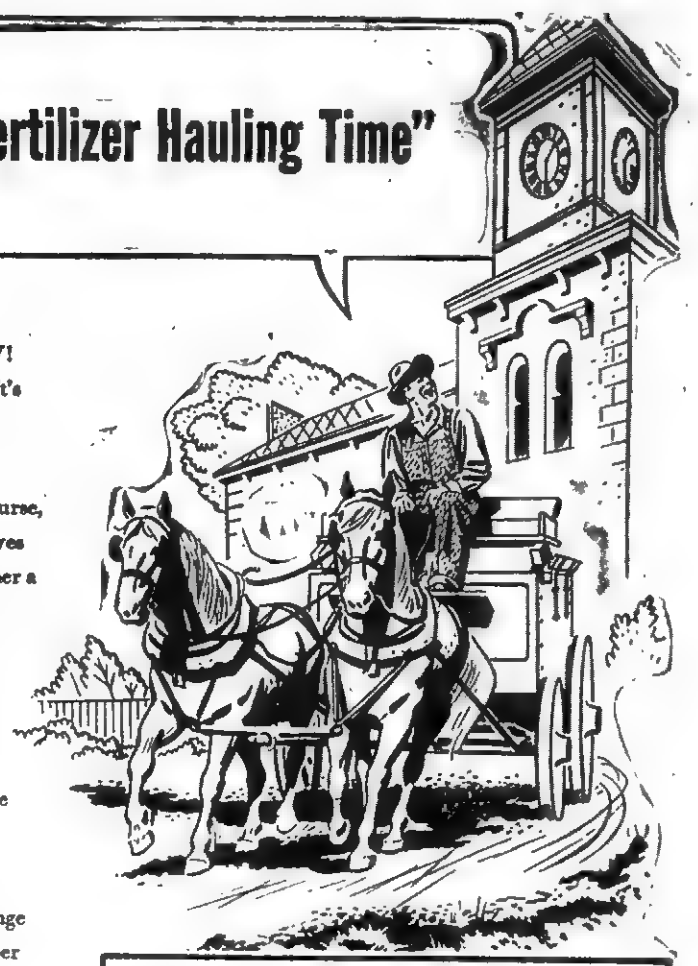

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Ewing Serviceman Is Ready To Fly

Cpl. Walter H. Smith, son of Mr. Frank Smith, of Ewing, Va., was graduated recently from the Army Air Forces Flexible Gunnery School, Laredo Army Air Field, Laredo, Texas, a member of the AAF Training Command. He is now qualified to take his place as a member of a bomber combat crew.

Along with his diploma, he received a pair of Aerial Gunner's silver wings at brief graduation exercises.

He was prepared for his place in America's stepped-up air offensive by a comprehensive six weeks course in every phase of aerial gunnery warfare. Besides learning to fire every type weapon from camera guns to the deadly caliber .50 Brownings, he studied turret manipulation, aircraft identification, stripping and reassembling of machine guns while blindfolded. He climaxed the course by firing on towed targets.

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Top Teams Win as Loop Starts On Second Half

Flatwood Indulges In Scoring Rampage And Keokee Girls Win 8th

The second half schedules of the Lee Basketball Conference opened over the past week-end with no major changes among clubs in the upper brackets.

The Keokee girls still are showing vast superiority by continuing to annex one little game after another, having now won eight consecutive games in the conference and six tough exhibition tilts for a victory chain of 14 for the season with a perfect card, the taste of defeat remaining three years behind them.

Their second half opener the past week-end showed them in their usual winning stride by virtue of the usual two to one score as they downed the Pennington girls 38 to 18 at Pennington Gap, with Arnett leading their basket offensive with 18 points, Thomas and Calton following with ten each. Woliver led for Pennington with eight.

The Keokee boys, who previously had went on a rampage, winning four in a row, lost to 'Salty' Foster's Pennington Tomcats by a 34 to 23 tally. Williamson led the Gap boys to victory by looping 25 points. Hensley led Keokee with 14.

St. Charles captured a double bill from Thomas Walker at St. Charles. The Coalfield lassies won 31 to 16 over a fast but small Thomas sextette, while the St. Charles boys came out on the top side of a 24 to 16 score in the boys' encounter. Parsons led the St. Charles girls' scoring with 12 points, followed by Jones with 11. Mildred Thomas, who played a better brand of ball than all other players on the court, led the losers' basket attack with 10 points. Williams led the St. Charles boys with 16 points, and Burke led for the visitors.

Flatwood ran wild over Blackwater at Flatwood, with both teams passing the 50 mark on the scoreboard. The Flatwood girls found victory for the first time this season, larruping the visiting senoritas 52 to 32, with Dorothy Wynn looping the basket for 27 points, followed by Fletcher with 16. Mahan led the Blackwater scoring with 15, followed by Sanders with 14.

The Flatwood boys remained firmly in the three-way tie for first place in the boys' division by fanning across Blackwater 54 to 30. Ben Bowen and Red Russell were the basket sharks for the winners with 18 points each. Bledsoe led the losers' scoring attack with 14, followed by Creech with 13.

Jonesville suffered a split at Dryden, the Jonesville boys winning by a one-sided margin of 46 to 7, remaining one of the three members tied for first place in the boys' division, while the Dryden girls prevented their making it full measure by halting the hard-fighting Jonesville girls' team 33 to 21. Minor led the Jonesville boys' offensive with 17 points. Martin ran a close second for scoring honors with 16. Collins was tops for Dryden's sextette with 16 points. Johnson led Jonesville with 11.

Games this week-end: Thomas Walker at Jonesville, St. Charles at Blackwater, Keokee at Flatwood, Pennington at Dryden.

THE OFFICIAL STANDING

Girls	W	L	Pct.
Keokee	8	0	1.000
St. Charles	7	1	.875
Jonesville	4	4	.500
Pennington	3	4	.428
Thomas Walker	3	4	.428
Dryden	3	5	.375
Blackwater	2	6	.250
Flatwood	1	7	.125

Boys	W	L	Pct.
Jonesville	7	1	.875
Flatwood	7	1	.875
St. Charles	7	1	.875
Keokee	4	4	.500
Pennington	4	4	.500
Thomas Walker	2	6	.250
Blackwater	1	7	.125
Dryden	0	8	.000

Associations Hold Joint Stockholders Meeting

The first joint annual stockholders' meeting of the Lee County National Farm Loan Association and the Appalachia Production Credit Association, held Wednesday, February 7, at the Home Economics cottage of the high school at Jonesville, was declared the most successful in the history of the associations by the 42 members and guests who attended the meeting.

Lunch was served at 12 o'clock noon by the Home Economics class, and was immediately followed by the business meeting. Mr. Hubert Wheeler, Ewing, was appointed chairman by Mr. Jas. H. Johnson, Rye Cove, Va., president of the Appalachia Production Credit Association, and Mr. J. M. Weston, Jonesville, president of the Lee County National Farm Loan Association. Mr. Frank E. Stewart, Rye Cove, secretary-treasurer of both associations, presented reports on their activities and financial standing, showing the Lee County NFLA to be one of the outstanding associations in the State, financially. The Appalachia Production Credit Association has built up a reserve in the amount of $37,813 from net earnings, and has a net worth of $99,803

Mr William H. Johnson, secretary of the Production Credit Corporation, of Baltimore, Md., gave a most interesting talk comparing farm real estate values and prices received from farmers from 1910 to the present, showing the effect of the two World Wars on these values and prices, and pointing out the lesson to be learned against over-expansion and inflation.

Mr. W. P. Gregory, associate regional manager of the Federal Land Bank of Baltimore, and Mr. W. H. Beard, field representative of the Production Credit Corporation, spoke briefly on the services given farmers by these agencies in setting up the farmers' own cooperative credit associations.

Mr. J. M. Weston, Jonesville, and Mr. J. N. Parkey, Gibson Station, were re-elected directors of the Appalachia Production Credit Association; and Mr. P. C. James, Jonesville, was re-elected director of the Lee County National Farm Loan Association.

CORRECTION

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Myers, of Pennington Gap, R. F. D., announce the marriage of their daughter, Edna, to Mr. C. L. Briley, of Detroit, Mich., February 2, 1945.

The above is in correction of the announcement in last week's issue of The Powell Valley News, which, due to a typographical error, read "C. L. Bailey".

Mr. and Mrs. Briley have returned to their home in Detroit after a visit here with parents and relatives.

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT
LEE COUNTY, VIRGINIA
As Of
DECEMBER, 30, 1944

DEBITS:

Cash in Banks	$253,093.37
Cash in Office	3,974.45
Investments—General County Fund	15,000.00
Investments—Rocky Station School Debt Fund	10,000.00
Investments—Rose Hill Road Debt Fund	5,000.00
Investments—White Shoals Road Debt Fund	8,000.00
Uncollected 1944 County Taxes	27,335.62
Uncollected 1943 County Taxes	14,950.78
Uncollected 1942 County Taxes	17,482.66
Uncollected 1944 State Taxes	8,342.18
Uncollected 1943 State Taxes	3,540.13
Uncollected 1942 State Taxes	4,146.93
State Claims Paid	1,946.95
Refunds	5.19
TOTAL	$372,818.26

CREDITS:

Reserve for 1944 Uncollected State Taxes	$ 8,342.18
Reserve for 1943 Uncollected State Taxes	3,540.13
Reserve for 1942 Uncollected State Taxes	4,146.93
Commonwealth of Virginia—Current Credit Account	4,900.27
Commonwealth of Virginia—Dog Tax Fund	109.65
GENERAL COUNTY FUND—CASH	72,450.33
General County Fund—Uncollected 1944 Taxes	3,747.71
General County Fund—Uncollected 1942 Taxes	1,517.77
Surplus - General County Fund Invested in War Bonds	15,000.00
County Dog Tax Fund	3,829.00
County School Fund—CASH	107,295.19
County School Fund—Uncollected 1944 Taxes	17,118.39
County School Fund—Uncollected 1943 Taxes	10,354.85
County School Fund—Uncollected 1942 Taxes	10,118.57
National Defense	750.00
Rocky Station Road Debt Fund—Cash	3,150.07
Rose Hill Road Debt Fund—Cash	678.39
Rose Hill Road Debt Fund Invested in War Bands	5,000.00
White Shoals Road Debt Fund—Cash	7,000.73
White Shoals Road Debt Fund—Uncollected 1942 Taxes	406.86
White Shoals Road Debt Fund Invested in War Bands	8,000.00
Yokum Station Road Debt Fund—Cash	4,661.72
Yokum Road Debt—Uncollected 1944 Taxes	547.74
Yokum Road Debt—Uncollected 1943 Taxes	588.81
Yokum Road Debt—Uncollected 1942 Taxes	592.57
Jonesville School Debt Fund—Cash	7,118.33
Jonesville School Debt—Uncollected 1944 Taxes	845.93
Jonesville School Debt—Uncollected 1943 Taxes	414.55
Jonesville School Debt—Uncollected 1942 Taxes	955.76
Rocky Station School Debt Fund—Cash	11,830.02
Rocky Station School Debt Fund Invested in War Bonds	10,000.00
Rocky School Debt—Uncollected 1944 Taxes	1,484.12
Rocky School Debt—Uncollected 1943 Taxes	1,138.47
Rocky School Debt—Uncollected 1942 Taxes	1,634.66
Rose Hill School Debt Fund—Cash	10,349.93
Rose Hill School Debt—Uncollected 1944 Taxes	2,770.12
Rose Hill School Debt—Uncollected 1943 Taxes	1,570.91
Rose Hill School Debt—Uncollected 1942 Taxes	1,170.11
White Shoals School Debt Fund—Cash	6,624.53
Yokum Station School Debt Fund—Cash	7,876.65
Yokum Station School Debt—Uncollected 1944 Taxes	821.61
Yokum Station School Debt—Uncollected 1943 Taxes	883.19
Yokum Station School Debt—Uncollected 1942 Taxes	1,086.36
Deferred Credit	6.16
Undistributed Taxes	10,336.76
Undistributed Interest	52.23
TOTAL	$372,818.26

90.8% Of 1942 County Taxes Collected to December 31, 1944.
90.4% Of 1943 County Taxes Collected to December 30, 1944.

79.2% Of 1942 Levy Collected Before Penalty Was Added.
80.5% Of 1943 Levy Collected Before Penalty Was Added.
83.3% Of 1944 Levy Collected Before Penalty Was Added.

C. D. FUGATE, Treasurer,
Lee County, Virginia.

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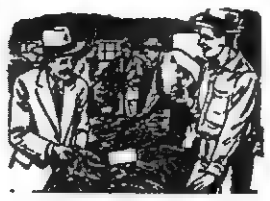

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With Our Service Men

Capt. Arthur M. Maisden, of Jonesville, has arrived at the Asheville, N. C., Army Ground and Service Forces Redistribution Station, where he will spend approximately ten days while awaiting reassignment to duty.

He has returned from 34 months in the Asiatic Pacific Theater of Operations, during which he earned battle stars for the Gaudalcanal campaign. His wife, Mary Ann, will stay with him while he is in Asheville.

Cpl. Eugene P. Humphreys, of Jonesville, Va., company clerk, is serving with the 392nd Bombardment Group, a Liberator unit recently cited for "distinguished and exceptionally outstanding performance of duty". Commanded by Col. Lorin L. Johnson, of Payson, Utah, the group has been overseas for more than a year. The 100th mission was made on D-Day, the 200th on Armistice Day.

Pvt. Everett Emmett Hughes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cam Hughes, Pennington Gap, has reported to Keesler Field from the Army Ground Forces. Pvt. Hughes is stationed at the AAF Training Command post awaiting reassignment to new military duties.

Sgt. James D. Owens, son of Mrs. Mary V. Owens, who lives on Route 2, Rose Hill, Va., has been promoted to staff sergeant. He is a squad leader with the First Armored Division of the Fifth Army in Italy.

Pfc. David Parker, son of Mrs. Roxie A. Parker, of Ewing, Va., has been cited by the 336th Infantry Regiment of the 85th Custer Division and awarded the Combat Infantryman Badge for actual participation in combat against the enemy with Lt. Gen. Lucian K. Truscott, Jr.'s Fifth Army in Italy. Standards of the badge are high, being awarded to the infantry soldier who has proved his fighting ability in combat service. The handsome badge consists of a silver rifle set against a background of infantry blue, enclosed in a silver wreath.

After 35 months in Australia, New Guinea and the Netherlands, Staff Sgt. James I. Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer V. Williams, of Route 1, Jonesville, is returning home under the rotation of personnel plan. He has served with a unit of the Fifth Air Force Service Command, which repairs and maintains planes of the Fifth Air Force.

Sgt. Williams is entitled to wear the Good Conduct Medal, the American Defense ribbon and the Asiatic-Pacific Theater ribbon with three stars, for participating in the campaign in the Neatherlands East Indies, Papau and New Guinea.

He is a graduate of Flatwood High School, and has been in the service since October, 1940.

Economics Students At T. W. Win D.A.R. Prizes

The Major George Gibson Family Chapter, Daughters of American Revolution, met at Thomas Walker High School on January 25th at 2:00 o'clock, for the purpose of awarding prizes to the two students of the Home Economics Class who won in the cotton dress contest.

Mrs. G. C. Sumpter and Mrs. M. H. Shackleford, who are members of the Home Makers' Club, were the judges and selected the dresses made by Miss Betty Jean Campbell, from the first year class, and Miss Elizabeth Dash, from the second year class. The dresses were judged on the basis of workmanship, launderability and price of the material in relation to the finished product.

Mrs. Oscar Smith, the Chapter Regent, after seeing the lovely display of dresses made by the contestants, decided that the Chapter should give an award of merit to each student participating in the contest. They are: Misses Mary Yeary, Betty Ruth Bales, Audrey LeMarr, Ruth Brooks, Joy Edds, Elizabeth Dash, Patty Lou Chadwell, Marguerite Johnson, Margaret Smith, Lillie Mae Daniels, Sarah Chadwell, Betty Campbell, Betty Robinett, Ruby Jean Scott, Sue Fulton, Mary Ellen Brooks, Pauline Yeary, Edith Langley, Irene Hensley, Roberta Smelser, Faye Middleton, and Virginia Grabeel.

Delicious refreshments were served to the guests and contestants by members of the Home Economics Department. The splendid work of this class shows the careful training of their teacher, Mrs. Ada D. Farnham.

The Regent made a brief talk on the subject: "A Nation Cannot Rise Above the Level of Its Homes".

Devotions were conducted by Mrs. Blanche Shy, of Cumberland Gap, Tenn.

FARM CENSUS UNDER WAY

Approximately 26,000 enumerators are conducting the 1945 U. S. agriculture census, which got under way January 8.

PROPOSED BUDGET

NOTICE OF PROPOSED BUDGET FOR LEE COUNTY, VIRGINIA, AND THE DISTRICTS THEREOF, FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JULY 1, 1945, AND ENDING JUNE 30, 1946.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Supervisors of Lee County, Virginia, will meet on the 7th day of March, 1945, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., at the Courthouse, at which time and place a public hearing will be given on the following proposed Budget for Lee County for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1945.

LEE COUNTY, VIRGINIA

Budget Estimate For Year Ending June 30, 1946

GENERAL COUNTY FUND		
REVENUE:		
Surplus	$ 35,000.00	
Capitation Taxes	3,000.00	
A. B. C. Profits	31,577.13	
Commonwealth Attorney Fees	500.00	
Transfer Fees	800.00	
Dog Tax	2,000.00	
Sheriff's Fees	500.00	
EXPENSES:		
Administration		$ 5,955.00
Assessment of Property		5,290.00
Collection and Disbursement of Revenue		9,230.00
Recording of Documents		2,380.00
Administration of Justice		5,325.00
Crime Prevention and Detection		5,645.00
Fire Prevention		1,600.00
Institutional Care		600.00
Public Health		400.00
Advancement of Agriculture		1,860.00
Elections		2,530.00
Maintenance of Buildings and Grounds		3,100.00
Capital Outlay		600.00
Cash Appropriation to Schools		14,162.13
Cash Appropriation to Public Welfare		14,700.00
Total General County Fund	**$ 73,377.13**	**$ 73,377.13**
COUNTY SCHOOL FUND		
REVENUE:		
Commonwealth - General Appropriation	$202,500.00	
Commonwealth - Vocational	8,800.00	
Commonwealth - Transportation	6,200.00	
County - Superintendent's Salary	1,545.00	
Delinquent Taxes	7,000.00	
Current Taxes	95,000.00	
County - Cash Appropriation	14,162.13	
EXPENSES:		
Administration		$ 3,981.80
Superintendent's Office		2,607.00
Instruction		270,058.33
Transportation		33,000.00
Libraries		2,000.00
Housing		19,600.00
Fixed Charges		8,960.00
Total County School Fund	**$335,207.13**	**$335,207.13**
DOG TAX FUND		
REVENUE:		
Sale of Dog Tags	$ 5,310.00	
EXPENSES:		
Compensation of Game Warden		$ 360.00
Livestock Claims		1,500.00
Rabies Treatment		500.00
Record Books and Tags		125.00
15% to State		825.00
Transfer to General County Fund		2,000.00
Total Dog Tax Fund	**$ 5,310.00**	**$ 5,310.00**
ROAD DEBT FUND		
REVENUE:		
Surplus	$ 3,950.00	
EXPENSES:		
Redemption of Bonds		$ 2,000.00
Interest on Bonds		1,950.00
Total Road Debt Fund	**$ 3,950.00**	**$ 3,950.00**
SCHOOL DEBT FUNDS		
REVENUE:		
Surplus	$ 9,000.00	
Current Taxes	33,525.00	
EXPENSES:		
Furniture and Fixtures		$ 2,000.00
Redemption of Bonds		13,000.00
Redemption of Literary Loans		15,075.00
Interest on Bonds		7,550.00
Interest on Literary Loans		4,900.00
Total School Debt Funds	**$ 42,525.00**	**$ 42,525.00**
GRAND TOTAL - All Funds	**$460,369.26**	**$460,369.26**

LEVIES

	1944	1945
Jonesville District	$3.00	$3.00
Rocky Station District	3.00	3.00
Rose Hill District	4.00	4.00
White Shoals District	2.50	2.50
Yokum Station District	3.50	3.00

C. H. HENDERSON, Chairman,
Lee County Board of Supervisors.

A Teste:

D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk,
Lee County Board of Supervisors.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

Mrs. Ella Jane Hobbs

Mrs. Ella Jane Hobbs died February 3 at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Oscar Hopkins, of Rose Hill, in the Beech Grove community.

Funeral services were held from the Silver Leaf Baptist Church on Monday, February 5, at 10:00 o'clock, a. m., in charge of the Rev. S. F. Way. Burial followed in Thomas Cemetery, with Estes & Cecil, Funeral Directors of Pennington Gap, in charge.

Mrs. Hobbs is survived by two sons, Ernest Hobbs, of Ewing, and Cpl. Estie Hobbs, serving with the U. S. Army somewhere in France; two daughters, Mrs. Stephen Lee, Gaithersburg, Md., and Mrs. Oscar Hopkins, Rose Hill; also eight step-children, as follows: Wilmer, Jessee and Warren Hobbs, of Kansas; Lee and Clarence, Jonesville; Lawrence, Pennnigton Gap; and Mrs. Houston Ball, Valley Falls, Kas.

Mrs. Agnes Boatright

Mrs. Summerville Agnes Boatright died at her home in Pennington Gap on February 9, at the age of 67, following a brief illness.

Funeral services were held at the Christian Church in Big Stone Gap, on February 12, at 12:30 p. m. Burial followed in Glencoe Cemetery at Big Stone Gap, with Estes & Cecil Funeral Home in charge.

Mrs. Boatright had lived in this community about 18 years, and was a member of the First Christian Church. Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Gladys Wagner and Mrs. Dora Wilder; one son, Lloyd Boatright; one sister, Mrs. Sarah Blondell; and three brothers, Hugh, Rufus and Ulyss Scott.

J. R. Kesterson

James R. Kesterson, 44, Lee County farmer, died at his home in Ewing, Va., Sunday night, February 11. Mr. Kesterson was born and reared in Lee County, Va., attended Staunton Military Academy, and had lived at the old home place of his parents for about 20 years. He was the son of the late C. R. Kesterson and Mrs. Mollie Wheeler Kesterson.

Funeral services were held at the Marble Hill Methodist Church at Caylor, Va., Tuesday morning February 13, at 10:30 o'clock, in charge of Rev. A. E. Robertson. Following the funeral services, the body was taken to Greenwood Cemetery, at Knoxville, for interment.

Mr. Kesterson is survived by his mother, Mrs. C. R. Kesterson, of Ewing; one brother, Wheeler, of Ewing; and two sisters, Mrs. N. B. Richmond, Ewing, and Mrs. J. H. S. Morrison, of Cumberland Gap, Tenn.

Mrs. Elizabeth B. Farmer

Mrs. Elizabeth Brooks Farmer, 71, of Ewing, died at Rose Hill, Va., February 7, 1945, after an illness of only a few days.

Funeral services were conducted Friday, February 9, at Rose Hill, in charge of Rev. M. H. Rambo, assisted by Rev. H. C. Hilliard. Burial followed in Brooks Cemetery at Rose Hill. Richmond Funeral Directors in charge.

Mrs. Farmer is survived by four sons, Herman C., Knoxville, Tenn.; Montie L., Edinburg, Ill.; Frank H., Lexington, Ky.; and Cam A., of the U. S. Navy, somewhere in the Pacific; four brothers, John H. Brooks, Rose Hill; Ralph Brooks, Ewing; S. S. Brooks, Appalachia; and C. M. Brooks, North Hollywood, Calif.; and two sisters, Mrs. Alex Keyes, Rose Hill, and Mrs. Caroline Marcum, Hastings, Neb.

Nickey Ray Moore

Nickey Roy Moore, three-months-old son of Pvt. and Mrs. Jack Moore, of the Poor Valley section, died at his home last week. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Charlie D. Mehaffey, pastor of the Pennington Gap Methodist Church, and burial followed in a cemetery near the home.

Daniel David Hall

Funeral services for Daniel David Hall, who died Monday, February 12, were conducted Wednesday afternoon, February 14, from the Jonesville Methodist Church, with the Rev. L. D. Perkins in charge, assisted by Rev. J. M. Smith. Burial followed in the family cemetery.

Mr. Hall was born on Wallens Creek, in Lee County, Va., on the 6th day of September, 1860. He came into the York community when a small boy and had ever since made his home there. His father was Daniel Hall, a well-known citizen of the county, who for many years made his home on his farm at York.

D. D. Hall (better known among his friends as "Tucker" Hall, was first married to Miss Sarah Vaughn, who died November 16, 1897. To that marriage were born six children, viz: Henry Hall, of Dublin, Va.; E. F. Hall, Jonesville; Va.; Mrs. Artie Johnson and Morrison Hall, of Norton, Va.; Mattie Hall, deceased; and Louvena, the first child, who died in infancy. His second marriage was to Miss Sallie McConnell, to which union eleven children were born, viz: Pauline, Maxie, who died in infancy; Victor, who died when he was about 18 years of age; Gladys; Silas, who died in infancy; Ewing, who lost his life in an accidental explosion when 21 years of age; Wheeler, of Pennington Gap; Mrs. Georgia Tritt, of Jonesville; Mrs. Virstallard, Kingsport, Tenn.; and Mrs. V. E. Sword, Jonesville. In addition to the children who survive him, he is also survived by a sister, Mrs. Malinda S. Livesay, who is now 91 years of age, and by 23 grandchildren, four of whom are now in the armed forces overseas, and one who has recently returned from overseas service; also eight great-grandchildren.

Mr. Hall was a mechanic well known for his efficiency in his trade, and was also a farmer. He led a very busy and useful life. As a citizen he took a high stand among his people. He always took great interest in the local church and the schools. He was popular among his fellow citizens and was a number of times selected for public service. He served two terms as Commissioner of the Revenue for his District; and for a number of years he served as Justice of the Peace, as well as other responsible public positions.

He became a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, when a young man, joining the class at Greens Chapel. In 1896 when the York Church was erected he transferred his membership to that church, where he has been one of the leading and substantial members for nearly 49 years, and during most of this time he had served as steward.

Mr. Hall has lived a long and useful life, and through the years he has endeared himself to many people. He was ever a helpful, kind and understanding neighbor, loyal to his people, his community and his church. He has not lacked friends, because he was a friend of men. He will be long remembered.

M. S. Edens

M. S. Edens, 59, retired merchant, died at his home at Jonesville, Va., Saturday, February 3.

Funeral services were held from the Rose Hill Methodist Church, Monday, February 5, in charge of Rev. H. C. Hilliard, pastor of the Rose Hill Christian Church, assisted by Rev. M. H. Rambo, pastor of the Rose Hill Methodist Church. Burial was in the Rose Hill Cemetery, with committal services by the Masons.

Mr. Edens is survived by his widow, Mrs. Mollie Scales Edens; three sons, Kenneth and Wallace, of Jonesville, and Cpl. Alfred E. Edens, stationed at Keesler Field, Miss.; five daughters, Mrs. Edgar Bacon, Mrs. Robert Graham, and Miss Ruth Edens, of Jonesville; Mrs. Ray Harris, Gate City, Va.; and Mrs. Snyder Harris, of Rose Hill. A son, Lt. Robert Edens, was killed in France, August 9, 1944.

Mr. Edens was a member of the Rose Hill Christian Church, and a member of London, Ky., Masonic Lodge.

Miss Gladys Rogers

Miss Gladys Rogers, 26, a life-long resident of St. Charles, died at her home Monday, February 12, 1945. She had been in ill health for several years.

Funeral services were held from the St. Charles Methodist Church, Wednesday afternoon at 1:00 o'clock, in charge of Rev. Clinton Greene. Burial followed in Red Hill Cemetery, Pennington Gap. St. Charles Funeral home in charge.

Miss Rogers is survived by her mother, Mrs. Eliza Rogers, of St. Charles; six brothers, Hansel, Sherman and Billy, St. Charles; James and Robert, Jr., of the U. S. Army; and Addie, of Clinton, Tenn.; and three sisters, Thelma and Ruth, St. Charles, and Goldie of Baltimore, Md.

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News From
OCOONITA

(For Week of February 8.)

Rev. Sandifer, of Rork Ridge, Tenn., preached here Saturday night. A large crowd from the Mt. Zion Baptist Church accompanied him here. Everyone enjoyed the singing and preaching very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Everette Bowman and little son, Freddie; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bolin and Mrs. George Bolin, of Walnut, Kas., are visiting their brother and son, Arnold Bolin, and family, of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pridemore, of Ewing, attended preaching services here Sunday night.

Legette Oaks, who has been serving overseas in the U. S. Army for the past 45 months, is spending a 21-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Oaks, and other relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Dennison were shopping in Middlesboro, Wednesday.

Cpl. and Mrs. Carl Burgan were visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Burgan, over the week-end. Cpl. Burgan returned to his post at Camp Gruber, Okla., and Mrs. Burgan to her home at Knoxville, Wednesday.

Everette Fleenor, of Dayton, Ohio, spent the past week-end with his brothers, E. B. and C. L. Fleenor, and families.

Mrs. Dora Mullins returned home after a visit with relatives in Mason and Kings Mills, Ohio.

Rev. Kester Greene, of Pennington Gap, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Fleenor, Saturday night, and had supper with them.

Hubert Burgan, who spent the past two months here with his parents after being medically discharged from the U. S. Army, left for Dayton, Ohio, last week, where he will be employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Fleenor and Miss Bernice Johnson, of Knoxville, Tenn., spent the week-end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Courtney and Mrs. E. C. Courtney, of Jonesville, visited Mrs. O. M. Oaks here Sunday.

News From
KEOKEE

(For Week of February 8.)

Miss Margaret Asher, a student of L.M.U., spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Asher.

Miss Mabel Wells and little sisters, Jean and Brenda Craft, visited their mother, Mrs. Okra Craft, Sunday. Mrs. Craft is a patient in Lee General Hospital.

Miss Helen Howard visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Howard, at Dryden, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Thompson visited Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Banner at Coeburn, Va., Sunday.

Miss Billie Jean Calton was visiting in Pennington Gap, Sunday.

Miss June Clarkston, of Kingsport, Tenn., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Clarkston, and sister, Eula, last week.

Mrs. Andrew Morris received a message from the War Department Friday, stating that her son, Mural Morris, has been slightly wounded in Belgium.

Mr. and Mrs. Corbin Flanary, of Barbourville, Ky., visited her sister, Mrs. Brad Mullins, and Mr. Mullins, over the week-end

Mrs. Annie Lomue and little son, of Seaford, Va., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Moran Bush.

Miss Eunice Roberts and Mrs. Elmer Barker visited Mrs. Jasper Clark at Lee General Hospital, and accompanied her home Sunday.

Mrs. Delmond Warren, Lynch, Ky., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Roberts, of Keokee, over the week-end.

News From
WALLEN'S CREEK

Mary Lou Russell, Cor.

(For Week of February 8.)

J. Wesley Glass, employed at Knoxville, Tenn., spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Glass.

C. P. Horton, Jr., made a business trip to Jonesville, Saturday.

Mrs. May Ola Edwards was visiting Mrs. C. P. Horton, Jr., and daughter, Patty, recently.

Mrs. R. C. Watson visited Mrs. R. P. Parkey, Saturday.

H. P. Russell and son, Claude, visited friends on Blackwater last Sunday.

Miss Mary Lou Russell visited with Mrs. Mae Ola Edwards, Sunday.

Mrs. Bobbie Collins and daughter, Nina Jean, visited with Mrs. Vesta O. Couk last week.

Mrs. Othie Collins made a business trip to Jonesville, Saturday.

Crockett and Billy Russell were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clint Bledsoe, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Bledsoe have moved into their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Edwards were visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Seabolt and son, Charlie, and Mr. and Mrs. Millard Edward and family, Saturday.

C. P. Horton, Jr., has just purchased a new set of boat gannels.

Mrs. Mae Ola Edwards is on the sick list at this writing.

Miss Patricia Horton celebrated her eighteenth birthday anniversary Tuesday.

Mrs. R. C. Watson was visiting Mrs. C. P. Watson, Jr., last week.

News From
JONESVILLE

Route One

(For Week of February 8.)

Staff Sgt. James I. Williams is spending a 21-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Williams, after serving 35 months in the Southwest Pacific area with the Army Air Force. His wife, formerly Miss Wanda Hedrick, will accompany him to Miami Beach, Fla., where he will spend ten days awaiting reassignment.

Dinner guests at the Williams home Wednesday evening included Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Campbell and son, Jack; Mrs. J. N. Williams and granddaughter, Joan Muncey.

Jay Thompson, of the U. S. Navy, is spending a few days with his family and parents at Wallens Creek.

Mrs. Walter Stiff and son, Walter, Jr., of Bristol, were visiting her parents here last week.

Pete Chance, of the U. S. Marines, is at home on furlough.

Johnny Marcum visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Marcum, at Rose Hill, last week.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 20th day of January, 1945.

Fern Russell .....Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Ray Russell .....Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce A vinculo Matrimonii, on grounds of adultery. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Ray Russell, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address is unknown, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p. q., V. S. King.
Adv. No. 4 - 4t.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 25th day of January, 1945.

Eunice W. Hudgins..Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Darrell W. Hudgins....Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce from the bonds of matrimony.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Darrell W. Hudgins, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known adderss is unknown, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By.: CHARLES N. HAWS, D. C.
p. q. Guy A. Kauffman.
Adv. No. 5-4t

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of Lee County, in vacation, the 24th day of January, 1945.

Barney Everidge ....Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Mary Helen King Everidge
..... Defendant

The object of the above styled suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on behalf of the complainant from the defendant on grounds of desertion for more than two years and on grounds of adultery.

And it appearing by affidavit filed according to law that Mary Helen King Everidge, the above named defendant, is not a resident of this State; it is therefore ordered that the said Mary Helen King Everidge do appear within ten days after due publication of this order, in the Clerk's Office of our said Court, and do what is necessary to protect her interests. It is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a newspaper published in Lee County, Virginia. And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of said County on or before the next succeeding rule day, and another copy of this order be mailed to the defendant at the Post Office address given in the affidavit.

CHARLES N. HAWS,
Deputy Clerk.
Robt. B. Ely, p. q.
No. 4-4t.

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Adv No. 6-4t pd.

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Adv. No. 5-4t.

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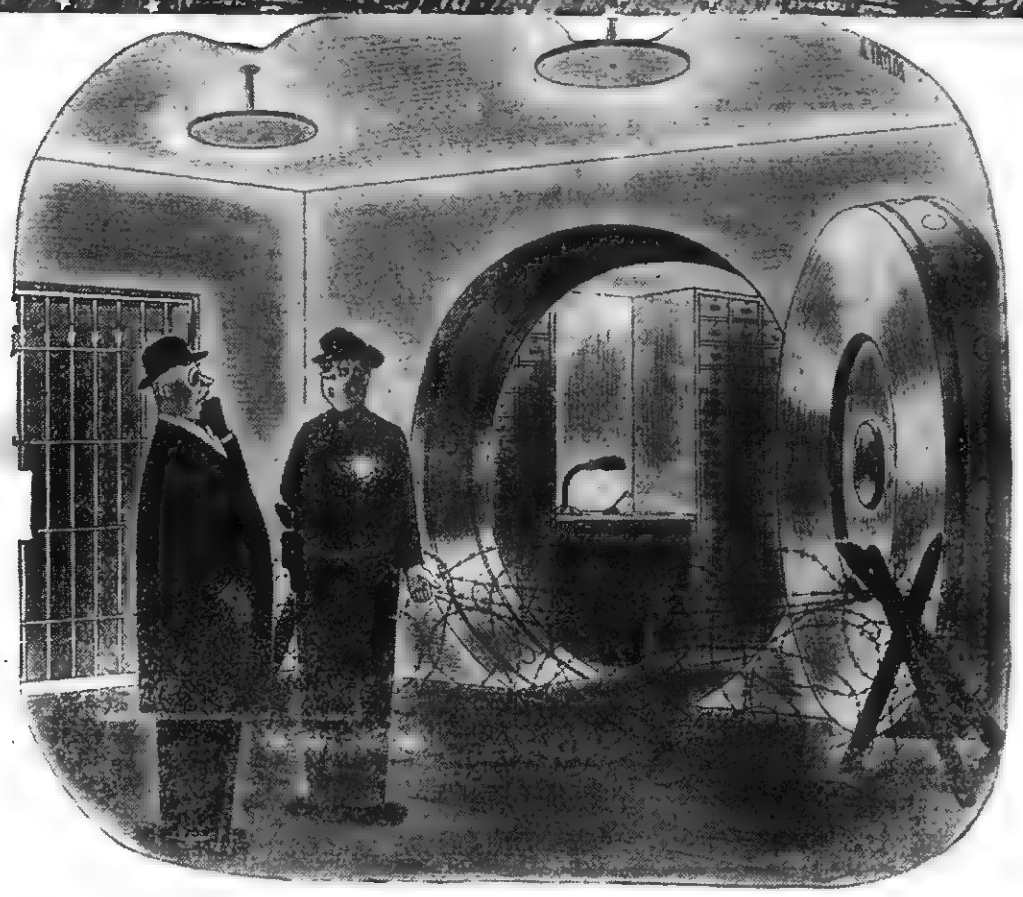

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Social and Personal

Mrs. Bill Chatman, of Knoxville, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Zack Flanary, this week.

Misses Imogene Burgan, Mary Louise Smith, and Julia Pankow were shopping in Bristol, Saturday.

Betty Bailey visited her brother, Mr. Robert Bailey, Mrs. Bailey and family, at Kingsport last week-end.

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Mrs. Paul Sharpp and Evelyn Sproles, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., visited friends and relatives here and at Bonny Blue last week-end.

Sue Smalley returned to Radford College, Sunday, after a few days' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smalley.

Mrs. Bob Bailey and small daughter, Judy, of Kingsport, Tenn., visited Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Bailey, Sunday and Monday.

Wallace Burden, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Burden, of Bonny Blue, left Tuesday to enter the U. S. Navy.

Nell Fritts, a student of L. M. U., spent last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fritts, of Benedict.

Mrs. Woodrow Bryant, of Norton, visited friends here last Friday.

June Bledsoe, of L. M. U., was a dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Howard, Monday.

F.O. and Mrs. Bill (Salty) Goins, Jr., and daughter, Sharon, visited Seaman and Mrs. Ray Jones, of Kingsport, last week-end. They were accompanied home by Seaman and Mrs. Jones, who visited many old friends. Seaman Jones is a graduate of P.H.S., and a former employee of the Service Grocery. He has many friends who were very happy to see him. He has served two years in the Pacific area.

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T. I. Reasor, of Knoxville, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tate Reasor, Monday.

Misses Edna Ruth and Mary Bailey, of Oak Ridge, spent last week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Bailey.

Valentine Party

Mrs. Roy Fletcher entertained a number of boys and girls with a party for her son, Jimmy, Saturday night at her home. Games and contests were enjoyed and delicious refreshments were served to the following: Mildred Kelly, Billy Gordon Howard, Jimmy Stevens, Davene Wainscott, Johnnie Bailey, Millard Robbins, Florence Hall, Ben Ellis Pitts, Nancy Molesworth, and Jimmy Fletcher.

Edna Ruth Bailey, Oak Ridge, Tenn., was the dinner guest of Mrs. Jake Howard, Sunday.

Mrs. S. G. ("Woody") Hamilton has returned to her home in Knoxville after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Harber.

Birthday Party For Twins

Olin and Robin, twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Lundy, formerly of Pennington Gap and now of Baltimore, were honored on their sixth birthday anniversary on February 2nd with a birthday party at their home. About thirty boys and girls were present, and a delightful evening of games, followed by refreshments, was enjoyed. This is the twins' first year in school, and they are doing fine, their parents report. On February 1st they were promoted to the first grade.

Mr. and Mrs. Clell Bailey and son, Larry, of Richlands, Va., were visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Bailey and friends here last week-end.

Lt. Charles Pennington left last Monday for Miami, Fla., for rest before reassignment. He has just completed a leave here with his grandmother, Mrs. E. P. Garrison, and other relatives.

Home For Reassignment

Pfc. Legette T. Oaks, who spent almost four years in the Pacific areas, was recently sent back to the States for reassignment, and is a present spending a furlough with his parents at Ocoonita.

He volunteered for foreign service May 1, 1941, and this is his first furlough back home. Pfc. Oaks spent more than three years in Hawaii, and was stationed at Fort Shafter, Honolulu, at the time of the bombing of Pearl Harbor. He wears the Good Conduct Medal, the Service Medal and three Bronze Stars for service in Hawaii, Guam and Saipan. The parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Oaks, have two other sons in service, M.M. 1-C, Orville J. Oaks, stationed on Martha's Vineyard Island, Mass., and S. 2-C. Garland, Oaks, stationed at Fort Pierce, Fla.

Mrs. Claton Hedrick was surprised with a birthday party Friday night, given at the hotel by her mother, Mrs. B. H. Bailey, and Mrs. Jack Carter. Mrs. Hedrick (formerly Miss Lawanna Bailey) received many lovely gifts, and all the guests reported a good time. They were:

Cpl. James Williams, U. S. Army; Sgt. Sherman Keel, U. S. Marines; Wallace Stewart, Jimmy Joe Bright, Emma Lou Stewart, Helen Rogers, Mrs. Ruth Redwine, Mrs. Charles Berry, Miss Myrtle Courtney, Aileen Emmette, Marguerite Hargraves, Bennett Johnson, and a few guests at the hotel. The guest of honor was George W. Simerly, of Elizabethton, Tenn., who made music and sang.

Mrs. T. R. Bailey, of Jonesville, has received word that her husband has been given the rating of seaman first class.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Lundy are back from a week's vacation trip to points in Kentucky.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Howard, of Kingsport, Tenn., are visiting relatives here and at Jonesville this week.

Engaged

Friends and relatives have recently received announcement of the engagement of Miss Juanita McMurray, Kingsport, Tenn., to Chester A. Dash, S. 1-C., Pennington Gap, now with the Advance Base Supply Training Command, Camp Peary, Va.

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First Baptist Church

Sunday morning, February 18: Sunday School at 9:30, A. T. Burchette, Supt. Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon theme: "After Victory, What?"

Sunday evening the Baptist Training Union meets at 6:30 o'clock; Mrs. P. R. Stubbs, Supt.

Preaching at 7:00 o'clock by the pastor. Sermon theme: "The Charter and the Functions"; third of the series of sermons on the Home. Special music at both morning and evening services.

P. R. Stubbs, Pastor.

St. Charles Methodist Church

Sunday, February 19: Sunday School at 10:15 a. m., Earl Carter, Supt. Morning worship, 11:00 a. m. Message by pastor. Young People's meeting, 6:15 p. m. Evening worship, 7:00 p. m. Everyone welcome.

C. R. McPherson, Pastor.

First Christian Church

Sunday, February 18: Bible School at 10:00 a.m., F. M. Smalley, Supt. Worship with communion at 10:45; sermon by Rev. Allen B. Stanger, of Richmond, Va. Subject "Week of Compassion."

Youth Rally begins at 2:00 p. m., continuing through the afternoon and evening. Teacher training class taught by Rev. Stanger, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, 7 to 9 o'clock. It is hoped that many will take advantage of this teacher training.

W. B. Moore, Minister

Pennington Methodist Church

Sunday morning, February 18 Church School at 9:30, Clyde M Kirk, Gen'l. Supt. Preaching at 10:45. Sermon subject: "Ambassadors". Special music: "Though Your Sins Be As Scarlet", by Quartette.

Sunday evening: Youth Fellowship meeting at 6:15. At 7:00 o'clock, discourse by the Rev. James H. H. Berckman, repatriated missionary from China.

Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, at night, Christian Workers' School. A course in demobilization, or "How to Understand Our Returning Soldiers", will be taught by Rev. W. M. Seymour. The course entitled "The Children We Teach", will be presented by Miss Carrie Lou Goddard, Director of Children's Work, Holston Conference. This is for parents, Sunday School teachers, and all who wish to attend.

Charlie D. Meheffey, Pastor.

Ben Hur Baptist Tabernacle

Rev. W. W. Nails will preach at the tabernacle on Saturday night, February 17, 1945 at 7:00 o'clock.

A special conference will be held to formulate plans for the building of a new church. Everyone cordially invited to attend this service; also attend the Sunday School each Sunday morning.

St. Charles W. S. C. S.

The W. S. C. S. of St. Charles met with Mrs. Tom Baker on Thursday night, February 8th. Sixteen members were present, and the amount received from tithes and dues was $46.00.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Waddell and children, Pete and Eloise, and Mrs. J. E. Ferrell, of Kingsport, Tenn., were visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Waddell and family over the week-end.

NOTICE

Persons having claims against the estate of E. R. King, deceased, are hereby notified to present same to Murphy and Roy King, executors of the estate of said E. R. King, and all persons indebted to said estate are required to settle said indebtedness at once.

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Adv. No. 7-4t.

LOST

One pair gold rimmed Glasses on street Tuesday. Finder please return to W. D. Harr and receive reward. W. D. HARR.

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Mrs. J. M. Fry has returned from a three weeks' visit with her daughters, Rebecca, employed at Washington, D. C., and Virginia, student of Mary Washington College at Fredericksburg.

Pvt. Roy B. Grace, Jr., has returned to camp at New Cumberland, Pa., after spending a few days' furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Grace, and other relatives.

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Tues., Feb. 20—BARGAIN DAY—14c and 20c
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Also Chapter No. 12, Serial
"DESERT HAWK"
Wednesday and Thursday, February 21 - 22
JOYCE REYNOLDS — ROBERT HUTTON
EDWARD ARNOLD — ALAN HALE
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Also Latest News
Friday and Saturday, February 23 - 24
ROY ROGERS
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SAN FERNANDO VALLEY
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Town Talk

About This, That, And The Other

Today we honor the birthday of George Washington:

"America has furnished the world the character of Washington, and if our American institutions had done nothing else, that alone would have entitled them to the respect of mankind."

V - 45 Egg

We reprint the following from the Appalachia Independent, dated February 8:

"Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McCormick found the first egg from a hen in a nest last Friday which has on it plainly the letter 'V' and below that '45', which is supposed to mean victory in 1945."

What the old hens don't know ain't worth knowing, it seems.

He Came To Sign, But Remained To Jine

J. C. Myers, a barber of St. Charles, will take physical examination for Navy service along with his son, if reports are correct. Mr. Myers didn't exactly intend to enlist; it was something like this:

Jimmy, who is in his senior year at Pennington High School, had quite a time persuading his parents to give their consent for his enlistment, but finally won, and his father accompanied him to Pennington Gap Monday night to fix up the papers. Mr. Myers became enthused about our Nation's need for service, and engaged in an animated conversation about the affair. By the time he had left he had not only signed the papers for Jimmy, but for himself as well.

Quadruplets

One of the nurses at Lee General Hospital was telling the other day about quadruplets being born over there. When we mentioned going to see them, she said: "Well—they're not in the baby's ward, you know; their mother is Patsy, the bull dog that has made her home about the hospital for so long."

Likes To Read

Mrs. Mary Hobbs, 90, is a patient in Lee General Hospital,

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Lee County Will Be Surveyed For Oil

An Associated Press news article, dated Richmond, Va., Feb. 8, states that one of the projects included in the investigation of the strategic mineral resources of the Appalachian region by the U. S. Geological Survey is a survey of the oil producing district in Lee County, a few miles south and southwest of Rose Hill.

A preliminary map showing some of the geologic features of the district has recently been published by the U. S. Survey.

Because this is the first oil-producing district in Virginia, a more detailed investigation is in progress as a cooperative project of the Virginia and Federal Geological Surveys. A comprehensive report with a detailed geological map of a larger area are now being prepared for publication by the State Survey.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to our friends for the kindness and sympathy shown us in the illness and death of our mother and grandmother, Mrs. Mollie Howard. It came at a time when it was sincerely needed.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Howard and Family.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Weather Bureau report for the week ending Feb. 18, 1945, for Lee County, furnished by Cam J. Lewis, official observer:

Date	Temperature		Rainfall
February	Highest	Lowest	Inches
12	58	22	.00
13	59	27	2.25
14	57	31	.02
15	57	30	.00
16	70	37	.02
17	67	39	1.72
18	48	25	.18

Basketball Tourney Set For March 23 At P.H.S.

Tough Games Ahead This Week; Three Lee Teams Play At LMU

The softer side of the Lee Conference schedules have past, and from here on out it's going to be tough, with upsets galore, and the three-way top tie in the boys' division certain to be broken. This week-end brings up a couple of No. 1 contests that may have considerable bearing on top slots in both leagues. The St. Charles girls playing the undefeated Keokee girls at Keokee is a topper on the girls' card, the Keokee girls having already won 51 consecutive games over a three-year period; and the Flatwood boys' journey to Pennington Gap affords a good chance of an upset and a dethroning of the Woodsmen from the top slot tie.

Principals and coaches have reached an agreement on the tournament. The biggest cage show of them all will be exhibited again this year at the Pennington High Shcool gym in Pennington Gap. The tournament will open with the semi-finals on March 23-24, shaping off Tuesday, March 27, with the grand finals set for Saturday, March 31st.

Past week-end results gave St. Charles a double win over Blackwater, the St. Charles boys winning 54 to 29, and the girls emerging with equal honors to the count of 50 to 26. Theda Parsons looped 34 points for the St. Charles girls to strengthen her high score in the race for loop leadership.

Jonesville split with Thomas Walker, the Capitol Hill boys winning 46 to 7, and the girls losing to Thomas Walker 22-17.

The Pennington Gap boys won over Dryden 85 to 25, with the Pennington girls losing 36 to 23.

The Flatwood girls tied the famous Keokee girls, 24-24, and the Flatwood boys won easily, 37 to 17.

Games this week-end: Jonesville at Blackwater; St. Charles at Keokee; Flatwood at Pennington; Dryden at Thomas Walker.

Jonesville, Flatwood and Thomas Walker teams will participate in the tri-state cage tournament at Lincoln Memorial University this week-end.

THE OFFICIAL STANDING

Boys	W	L	Pct.
Jonesville	8	1	.889
Flatwood	8	1	.889
St. Charles	8	1	.889
Pennington	5	4	.556
Keokee	4	5	.445
Thomas Walker	2	7	.222
Blackwater	1	8	.111
Dryden	0	9	.000

Girls	W	L	Pct.
Keokee	8	0	1.000
St. Charles	8	1	.889
Thomas Walker	4	4	.500
Jonesville	4	5	.445
Dryden	4	5	.445
Pennington	3	5	.375
Blackwater	2	7	.222
Flatwood	1	7	.125

FROM V. P. I. TO AAF

PVT. BILLY S. SHELBURNE

Pvt. Billy S. Shelburne graduated from Pennington High School in June, 1943, attended Virginia Polytechnic Institute in '43-44, until he was inducted into the Army, September 6, 1944.

He was placed in the Aviation Forces, and had his basic training at Sheppard's Field, Texas, and later transferred to Keesler Field, Miss., for further training.

Pvt. Shelburne is the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Shelburne, of Pennington Gap, Route 2. His father is Superintendent of Lee County Public Schools.

BROTHER OF PRISONER OF WAR

S.-SGT. HAROLD CLARK

Staff Sgt. Harold Clark, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Clark, of Pennington Gap, is serving with the Infantry Corps, Third Army, in France. He is the husband of Mrs. Ella Clark, and they have one daughter, Barbara Jean.

Sgt. Clark is a brother of Pvt. Eugene Clark, now held as a prisoner of war in Germany.

JONESVILLE WINS SECOND GAME OF LIONS' CAGE SERIES

In the second encounter of the three-game basketball series for the cage title of Lee County, between the Pennington Gap and Jonesville Lions Clubs, played last Thursday night at the Pennington High School gym, Jonesville edged Pennington out 16 to 13 to tie the series. The victory lengthened the series to the full three games. Due to restrictions on transportation, the third game of the series will be played at either Jonesville or Pennington at a date to be announced later, instead of on a foreign floor, as had been previously announced.

In the Pennington encounter, E. S. Vaughan again led the Pennington Lions' scoring attack, with seven points. Elmo David followed with four, while O. A. Vaughan looped two.

For Jonesville, Dick Poteet led the net parade with nine points, followed by Paul Roop with four, and Hubert Courtney with three. The official box:

Pennington		Jonesville
E. Vaughan 7	F	Poteet 9
David 4	F	Roop 4
O. Vaughan 2	C	Courtney 3
Stubbs	G	Hyatt
Berry	G	Johnson

Referee—Kenneth David.

Word Of Encouragement From A Lee Serviceman

January 8, 1945.

The Editor,
The Powell Valley News,
Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Dear Editor:

I have been receiving my copies of The Powell Valley News, and have enjoyed them very much. When the present subscription runs out, it will be renewed by my mother, Mrs. Leatha Baird, Route 4, Jonesville, Virginia.

My new address is listed below for the mailing of future issues of the Powell Valley News. I wish to take this oportunity to thank you for the many happy moments that The Powell Valley has bought to me while serving in the Army of the United States. Home town newspaers have gone a long way in helping to maintain the high morale of men stationed in isolated bases such as New Guinea.

Please extend my very best wishes to all the staff of The Powell Valley News, and also to the people who make its rapid distribution possible.

Sincerely,
Sgt. Raymond E. Baird,
167th Evacuation Hospital,
A.P.O. 565, c-o P. M.,
San Francisco, Calif.

Ezra Gilliam, manager of Tepper's Department Store at St. Charles, is in Cincinnati, Ohio, this week, buying spring merchandise.

STATEMENT BY JOHN L. LEWIS, PRESIDENT, U.M.W.A., FOR THE AMERICAN RED CROSS

It is a distinct privilege for me to give my whole-hearted endorsement and support to the 1945 War Fund Drive of the American Red Cross. I think that every able American citizen should respond generously to this worthy cause, in acknowledgement of its magnificent service on our nation's far-flung battlefronts throughout these past critical years, and in recognition of the added need for funds at this time to carry on its ever extending aid to returning veterans and their dependents.

I cannot too strongly urge the fullest cooperation possible on the part of every mineworker, as well as all other segments of our loyal population, in insuring the success of the work of the American Red Cross in 1945, so vital to the success of our nations' war effort, and to the well-being of our boys and girls in service overseas, who are sacrificing so much for all of us at home.

Little Girl Is Fatally Burned At Home Here

Ella Mae Woods, 6, Died Tuesday Evening Shortly After Accident.

Ella Mae Woods, six years of age, who made her home here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Woods, died at Lee General Hospital Tuesday evening, February 20, from burns suffered earlier in the day when her clothing caught fire from an open grate.

The child is said to have run to a neighbor's house, her clothing aflame, and to have collapsed as soon as she reached the house. She was rushed to Lee General Hospital, where she was given blood plasma, and every effort made to save her, but in vain

Funeral services were held today at the First Baptist Church, in charge of the pastor, Rev. P. R. Stubbs. Burial followed in Cecil Cemetery, with Estes & Cecil Funeral Home in charge.

The mother, Virginia Woods, is employed at Oak Ridge, Tenn.

LOCAL BOARD 2 LISTS LIGHT INDUCTION CALL FOR MARCH

The men listed below have been notified by Selective Service Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, to report for induction into the armed forces, on March 5, 1945:

Andy Colson Powers, Route 1, Pennington Gap; Olen Moran Garrett, Pennington Gap; Clifton Therman Fleenor, Bonny Blue; Deary Edgar Clark, Route 1, Keokee; Earl Boggs, Route 1, Pennington Gap; Frank Hill Duff, Pennington Gap; Jasper Clark, Keokee; Forrest Gilmer Orender, Keokee; Eugene William Newman, St. Charles; John Hurley Quinley, Pennington Gap.

Joint Funerals For Victims of Hunting Party

John H. Estep and Robert N. Cradic Were Members Of Local Union No. 6372

Joint funeral services for John Harrison Estep, 54, and Robert N. Cradic, 42, were held at Benedict on February 11 at 10:00 a. m. The body of Mr. Estep was taken to Stoney Creek, Tenn., for burial, and Mr. Cradic was buried in Cecil Cemetery at Pennington Gap. Both men were employees of Benedict Coal Corporation and members of Local Union No. 6372.

Mr. Estep and Mr. Cradic were victims of alleged poisoning from moonshine whiskey, said to have been obtained on the Kentucky side of Black Mountain, February 9. Mr. Cradic died soon after reaching the Virginia side, where he made an appeal for help to find others of the party. Mr. Estep was found dead in the mountain wilderness on the Kentucky side.

Cradic is survived by his widow and seven children; Mr. Estep is survived by his widow and six children. Also both are survived by several brothers and sisters.

Duffield Soldier Wins Combat Infantry Badge

The commanding officer of the Second Infantry Division has awarded the Combat Infantry Badge for superior performance of duty in action against the enemy in France and Germany to Pfc. George W. Rogers, 19, son of Rosa R. Rogers, of Route 1, Duffield, Va.

Pfc. Rogers has been in the service one year. Before entering the Army he was engaged in farming.

TWO FINE SOLDIERS FROM KEOKEE

SGT. TRUMAN E. McELYEA

PVT. HOBART I. McELYEA

The above pictured servicemen are sons of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. McElyea, of Keokee, Route 1.

Sgt. Truman E. McElyea, reported missing in action, has recently been awarded the Silver Star for gallantry in action with the Fifth Army in Italy. He served in the 351st Infantry Regiment, 88th "Blue Devil" Division.

His brother, Pvt. Hobart I. McElyea, is stationed in Holland. He entered the Army April 6, 1943, and has been overseas for about seven months. He is serving in an Anti-Aircraft Division.

Red Cross War Fund Drive Plans Completed

IN THE GOLDEN WEST

JAMES EUBANK MOORE

James Eubank ("Jimmy") Moore, H.K. 2-C., son of Rev. W. B. Moore, of Pennington Gap, recently completed his boot training at Great Lakes, Ill., Training Center, and has been assigned to the U. S. Navy Training School, Hospital Corps, at San Diego, Calif., for further training.

He writes his father that he will have sixteen weeks of training there, and then to a hospital somewhere for practical training. His present address is: U.S.N. Training School, Hospital Corps, San Diego, Calif.

Young Musicians Organize Two Clubs

The music pupils of Miss Cora Lewis met recently for the purpose of organizing two music clubs under auspices of the National Federation of Music Clubs, which is America's and the world's largest musical organization, with a membership of several hundred thousand.

The work is carried forward by three divisions, Senior, Student, and Junior, composed of boys and girls under 18 years of age. Its program embraces the whole field of American music, and its objective is to foster both creative and performing talent; to raise standards of musical performances; and to promote the understanding and appreciation of fine music.

A thoroughly delightful yet serious activity is carried on by the Junior Division of the National Federation of Music Clubs. About 60,000 members form the division, and they are classified as Juvenile up through 12 years of age, and Junior through 18 years of age. The purpose of the Division is to bring together musicians for regular group study, for performance before others, and social enjoyment; to train future club leaders; to cultivate courteous and appreciative audiences; to stimulate interest in creative music; to provide incentive for the high standards of performance through competitive events; to encourage service through music, and to broaden the vision and ability of members through understanding of, and cooperation with, state and national goals.

The pupils classified as Juvenile up through 12 years of age, who will be known as the Pennington Gap Juvenile Musicians, will meet the first Tuesday afternoon in each month. The following pupils were elected as officers:

President, Nancy Lee Anderson; vice president, Albert Mehaffey; secretary, Davene Wainscott; treasurer, Gloria Pennington; reporter, Ruth Hilton.

The pupils classified as Junior, from 13 through 18 years of age, who will be known as the Pennington Gap Junior Musicians, will meet the first Friday in each month. The following pupils were elected as officers:

President, Gene Philip Reasor; vice president, Katherine Miner; secretary, Virginia Rhea Halstead; treasurer, Peggy Anderson; reporters, Mary Lee Carpenter and Shirley King. The National Junior Magazine Chairman is Mary Alice Beverly.

Several of our Junior Division had the pleasure of hearing a very talented pianist, Miss Veronica Mimosa, who appeared in concert at St. Charles on February 6th. This experience was truly an inspiration to all who attended.

Various Phases Of Drive Discussed By Prominent Speakers Monday Night

A large number of Red Cross representatives and patrons attended a meeting held at the Methodist Church, Monday evening, February 19, for the purpose of formulating plans for the special Red Cross War Fund Drive, beginning March 1. Dr. G. B. Setzler, chairman, Lee County Chapter, was toastmaster for the occasion, and several outstanding speakers discussed the various phases of Red Cross work.

John Saxton, of Norton, president of District No. 28, United Mine Workers of America, read a paper outlining the various activities of Red Cross service, and urged that miners give until it hurts to help meet the national quota of $200,000,000. The quota for Lee County is $19,000.00.

George Esser, also of Norton, president of Virginia Coal Association, spoke of the Red Cross service to his own two sons, as well as countless numbers of others who are overseas. One of his boys, he said, did not sleep in a bed for two months, but was finally bought back to a rest camp, given good food, clean bed and wholesome meals at the low cost of only 20 cents per meal, all through the Red Cross.

T. B. Fugate, of Ewing, discussed the financial condition and status of Lee County banks. He said that there is at least 40% more money in the banks than at any time in the history of the county, and that the people should give liberally to the War Fund, thus helping the boys who

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Keokee Sergeant, Missing In Action, Awarded Star

Sgt. Truman E. McElyea, of Keokee, Va., missing in action, has been awarded the Silver Star for gallantry in action with the Fifth Army in Italy. He served in the 351st Infantry Regiment, 88th "Blue Devil" Division.

Leading his patrol to clear several buildings, McElyea was fired on by two enemy machine guns and the patrol was pinned down. Enemy snipers also began firing and the sergeant and his comrades were in grave danger.

Disregarding his personal safety, McElyea jumped up from his position behind an embankment and charged the house nearest him, tossing hand grenades as he went. An enemy sniper shot at him, but was not fast enough, however, to prevent the killing or wounding of several Germans in the house by the grenades McElyea tossed. His gallant action was an inspiration to his men and reflects the highest credit to his memory, the award citation stated.

His mother, Mrs. Zola McElyea, lives on Route 1, Keokee.

ONE OF 4 BROTHERS IN SERVICE

AUBREY T. BARKER

Aubrey T. Barker, Seaman 2-C., has been in service seven months. He took his boot training at Camp Peary, Va., and from there was transferred to Norfolk, Va., where he spent six months in training. He is now somewhere overseas.

Seaman Barker has three brothers in service: Pfc. P. J. Barker, somewhere in the Central Pacific; M. Sgt. Arthur Barker, and Cpl. Oscar Barker, somewhere in England.

News From
MILLER'S CHAPEL

(For Week of February 15)

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Terry Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. Luster Rogers and children, Bobby, Tommy and Doris Ann; Mrs. Ballard Bledsoe and son, Garland Rhea.

A large crowd attended church services here Sunday night at the Baptist Church. The services were conducted by Rev. Bill Blevens, of Benedict.

Mrs. R. C. Childress spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Sutton at Ben Hur.

Miss Sally Bea Johnson spent last week-end with her brother, M. B. Johnson, and Mrs. Johnson, and Mrs. Lidge McMillian and family, of Verda, Ky.

Mrs. W. K. Terry gave a birthday dinner Sunday in honor of her husband. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Ford Roop and family, of Mt. Hope; Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Terry and children, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wright and children, of St. Charles; Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Sexton and daughter, Lucille; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams, Mrs. Poteet, Redafern Goins, and Rev. L. D. Perkins, of Jonesville. A nice time was reported.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Johnson, of Verda, Ky., spent the week-end here with Mr. Johnson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Johnson.

Miss Reeda Terry and Mrs. Glenn Terry were shopping in Pennington Gap last week.

Luster Rogers, Glenn Terry and Dan Wells made a business trip to Harlan, Ky., Monday.

Misses Cleo Quesenberry and Lucille Sexton made a business trip to Jonesville, Monday.

Those visiting Mrs. Minnie Williams Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hall and family, of Ben Hur, and Lee Sally, of Pennington Gap.

Miss Norma Hall has accompanied Mr. Ross Heck and two daughters, Ruth and Edith, back to Clinton, Tenn., where she will be employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Rhea Hall and daughter, Roberta, spent Sunday in Benedict with friends and relatives.

Misses Inez and Shirley Parks, of Jonesville, spent Sunday with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Shelton, of Pennington Gap, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Shelton.

Mrs. Richard Shelton and daughters, Joyce and Joanne; Buford Shelton and Otis Garrett were shopping in Pennington last week.

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News From
JONESVILLE
Mrs. G. W. Ball, Cor.

Route Four

(For Week of February 15)

Job Osborne came back from the hospital Friday afternoon and is getting along nicely.

Charlie Moneyhan was taken to the hospital at Charlottesville, Va., for treatment.

Mrs. W. S. Cox, A. C. Harris and sons, Junior and Wesley, and Miss Elizabeth Harris visited Mrs. Mollie Burk, who is now with her daughter, Mrs. Mattie Gilbert, and Mr. Gilbert, at Woodway.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Roberts and family spent Sunday with relatives in St. Charles.

Mr. Roberts is ill at this writing.

G. W. Ball and D. C. Bledsoe attended the cattle sale at Ewing, Tuesday.

Miss Bonnie Wells visited in Pennington and St. Charles during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Bledsoe visited the small son of Mr. and Mrs. Demmer Cooney, at Lee General Hospital, Friday evening.

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Referendum On Soldiers' Vote Set For March 6th

March 6th is the date definitely set for the referendum election on the call of a constitutional convention to consider the soldier voting question, as well as the date for special elections in various sections of the State.

Gov. Darden set out last week to work on plans for stumping the State in behalf of favorable vote on the referendum, which he said he hoped would be "ordered by an overwhelming majority of our voters".

Lt. Gov. Wm. M. Tuck, veteran Marine of World War I, opened the administration's campaign in behalf of the restricted convention to consider soldier voting with an address at Rocky Mount, Hamblin County, on Monday, February 5. Attorney General A. P. Staples ruled that all persons who have become 21 since January 1, 1945, may register and vote in the special elections without paying poll tax. Those who came of age during 1944 and registered during that year may also vote without the payment of tax. However, if they are not registered, they will be required to pay the tax for 1945 in order to register.

Approximately 425,000 ballots will be printed for this referendum election, and in five localities special elections must be held: in Norfolk, to select a member each of the Senate and House; in the 24th Senatorial District to elect a successor to the late Aubrey G. Weaver, of Front Royal; in the 30th Senatorial District to select a successor to Robert O. Norris, resigned; in Pittsylvania, one House member; and in the Third Congressional District, a successor to Dave E. Satterfield, Jr.

Purple Heart Awarded Skidmore Posthumously

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Skidmore have received the Purple Heart awarded posthumously to their son, Verlin B. ("Buddy") Skidmore, killed in action in France, June 24, 1944.

The Skidmores have another son, Robert, in service, somewhere overseas.

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Posthumous Award To Jonesville Soldier

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Warner, of Jonesville, Route 1, have received the Purple Heart awarded posthumously to their son, Pfc. Joe C. Warner, for military merit and wounds received in action, resulting in his death on June 3, 1944.

Pfc. Warner was first reported missing in action, and later reported killed near Camp De Leon, Italy. He is survived by his parents and two brothers, Bill Warner, of Jonesville, and Roe Warner, Buchanan, Mich.; and two sisters, Mrs. Wm. T. Bowen, Jr., of Jonesville, and Mrs. Alton Roop, Buchanan, Mich.

Prime Minister Churchill has asked for the re-examination of "desk soldiers" for possible active war service.

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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

Trophies of a Happy Marriage

The Cuppers are about the happiest married couple in our town. Comfortable off, too, after Dee's fifty years of honest work. But their two most prized possessions are an old beer mug and an 1890 Floradora hat.

When they were first married, Dee allows he couldn't stand the hat; while Jane turned her nose up (privately) at Dee's fondness for a friendly glass of beer from time to time. But each figured it was the other's right . . . so they lived and let live.

And as time went by, they realized that the hat and mug had become important symbols in their marriage—symbols of respect for each other's rights and differences of opinion.

From where I sit, a lot of marriages would be happier if there were more funny-looking hats and old beer mugs in the background. Tolerance is a mighty good foundation for living happily together.

Joe Marsh

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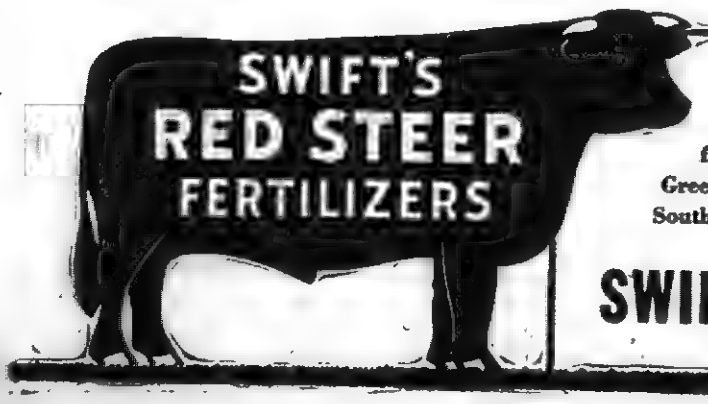

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News From BENEDICT

(For Week of February 15)

The revival is still in progress at the Benedict Church, conducted by Rev. Jones Tittle. Everybody invited to attend. Services begin at 6:30 each evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Coffman, of Pennington Gap, visited relatives here last week.

Mrs. Ida Wolfenbarger visited relatives at Pennington Gap last Thursday.

Mrs. Bonnie Sturgill visited relatives at Monarch, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thompson and daughter, Eva, of Dunbar, and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cheek and family, of Stone Creek, were among the out-of-town visitors here Sunday.

Several from this place attended the funeral of John Estep, at Elizabethton, Tenn., Monday.

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—in—

RED RIVER VALLEY

—also—

MARY LEE — RUTH TERRY

—in—

THREE LITTLE SISTERS

Also First Chapter of New Serial,

"THE RIDERS OF GHOST CITY"

News From BURKHART'S CHAPEL

(For Week of February 15)

Rev. C. R. McPherson filled his regular appointment here Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Pennington, of Keokee, R.F.D., spent the past week visiting relatives and friends here.

Truman Bailey and son, J. R., were visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Robbins and family, of Holmes Mill, Ky., last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Lambert and children were visiting relatives at Benedict, Sunday.

Clint Woodard left last week for Oak Ridge, Tenn., where he is employed.

Bruner Bailey has returned here after spending several months in Arkansas and Oklahoma.

Mrs. Lloyd Capps and Miss Vera Woodard were shopping in Pennington Gap, Saturday.

Glay Pennington and daughter, Lela Mae, and Shelby Woodard were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Silven Rutherford and family, Sunday.

Misses Betty Gay Penley and Mae Cloud were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Ridings and family, of Turner's Siding, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bailey and children, of Dee Springs, were visiting relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Lloyd Capps and Miss Zelma Mae Robbins spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Truman Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbern Doss, of Dry Branch, were visiting relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Getrude Woodard and children, of Laurel County, Ky., are visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. Mable Carter, Mrs. Mary Carter and Mrs. Alice Cooke were visiting Mrs. Ada Parsons one day last week.

TWINS BORN IN TWO YEARS

Mrs. Americo Russo, of Philadelphia, gave birth to twins, a boy being born at 11:00 p. m. on New Year's Eve and a girl a few minutes after midnight.

NOTICE

Persons having claims against the estate of E. R. King, deceased, are hereby notified to present same to Murphy and Roy King, executors of the estate of said E. R. King, and all persons indebted to said estate are required to settle said indebtedness at once.

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Adv. No. 7-4t.

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VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 25th day of January, 1945.

Eunice W. Hudgins..Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Darrell W. Hudgins....Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce from the bonds of matrimony.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Darrell W. Hudgins, is nonresident of the State of Virginia, and his last known adderss is unknown, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:

D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By.: CHARLES N. HAWS, D. C.
p. q. Guy A. Kauffman.

Adv. No. 5-4t

News From LONG HOLLOW

(For Week of February 15)

Mrs. Jim Haynes has received word that her son, Pvt. Charles Pendergraft, has arrived safely in Italy.

Mrs. Cephus Russell was visiting Mrs. Silas Witt, Sunday.

Mrs. Channie Russell was in Pennington Gap on business, Saturday.

Mrs. Sallie Haynes was visiting Mrs. Cephus Russell, Monday.

Mrs. Silas Witt was visiting her son and family, Friday, Feb. 2nd., at St. Charles.

Miss Mae Witt was visiting Mrs. Charlie Baker, Friday.

Mrs. Charlie Parsons visited Mrs. Channie Russell, Wednesday.

Mrs. Ethel Russell visited her sister, Mrs. Loran Roop, Wednesday.

Mr. Silas Witt and son spent the week-end at home. They are employed at the J. M. Fry Lumber Co., and stay with their son and brother, Spencer Witt, at St. Charles.

Mr. Silas Johnson visited Mr. D. W. Haynes, Sunday evening.

Mrs. D. W. Haynes is expecting her son, Pfc. Ernest Haynes, home on furlough. He is stationed at Avon Park, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Woliver and little son, Billy Wayne, visited Mrs. Woliver's mother at Dominon, Sunday.

Mrs. Jim Haynes visited Mrs. Clyde Flannagan, of Ben Hur, at Lee General Hospital, Sunday.

Mrs. Maxie Pendergraft and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Witt, Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Hattie Mae Haynes is working at Lee General Hospital. She spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Haynes.

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News From WALLEN'S CREEK

Mary Lou Russell, Cor.

(For Week of February 15)

Mr. Henry Edwards made a business trip to town Saturday.

Billy, Claude and Crockett Russell spent the past week-end with their grandmother, Mrs. Mary Russell, of Blackwater.

Mrs. Ruthie Collins and Claude Russell are on the sick list at this writing.

Blaine Cox, Ottie Collins and Dewey Collins were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Collins last Sunday.

Mrs. Waymon Gipson spent last Sunday with Mrs. Henry Edwards.

Mrs. Dewey Collier was visiting Mrs. Claude Collins, Sunday.

Mr. Claude Collins and son, Robert Gale, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Johnson of Blackwater, Sunday.

H. Warner was visiting Mr. Waymon Gipson last Sunday.

Miss Mary Lou Russell spent last Sunday with Mrs. Bobbie Collins.

Miss Lizzie Sword was visiting Mrs. Ruthie Collins, Sunday.

Thelma Lee Gipson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Waymon Gipson, spent Saturday night with her aunt, Mrs. Hattie Collins.

Mr. James Parkey has been visiting friends in Jonesville for the past few weeks, and has now returned home.

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FOOD, FREEDOM AND THE FUTURE

(Guest Editorial by: R. C. Carter, County Agent)

Among the four freedoms which figure prominently in our post-war aims, freedom from want is perhaps the most important and the basic freedom. For hungry men will, and have frequently in the past, laid down their personal, political and religious freedoms to leaders who promise them less hardships and hunger. One has only to go back to the past World War I and observe the rise of fascism in Italy and Germany to observe this fact.

But sufficient food has not always been the fortune of the western world and is not now the condition of many ,if not most, of the peoples of the world. Only since the development of the North and South American continents and of Australia has there been, in historic times at least, sufficent food for mankind to live at more than a bare level of subsistence. Only since the beginning of the 19th century has there been food enough to enable man, the common man, to seize liberty and freedom from his overlords.

There may have been a period in prehistoric times following the beginning of agriculture when there was an abundance of food. Most races of men, including our own, have legends of a golden age when there was no want. Of course the earth can support more people under an agricultural system than could be supported under a tribal and hunting system. The North American continent to the Indians was crowded and was supporting close to a maximum population under the hunting system. To the white man bent on following agriculture, it was practically a vacuum.

Following the beginning of agriculture in prehistoric times, however, the population increased until the resources of the soil were hard pressed. From the beginning of history to the 19th century, famine, pestilence and war were the common lot of man. Little progress was made in science, agriculture or invention from the time of Christ until the late 18th century. The European peasant in 1700 farmed his parcel of the landlord's estate in much the same way that the Roman slave did in biblical times.

This condition of man is so different from our experience that we find it hard to imagine what it was like. The average farmer in Western Europe during this period could produce in a good season about 40 bushels of wheat and 50 bushels of barley, the wheat sown in the fall and the barley in the spring. This is equivalent to about 80 bushels of wheat. This was about all that one farmer and his family with only a spade or hoe as equipment could produce in a year. Out of this amount the rent to the landlord had to be paid, some grain sold—for every farmer has to buy something—and the seed for the next year set aside. That which was left was available for food.

There is a verse in the Bible which might give some insight into this condition. It tells of the man who wept as he sowed the seeds, but who returned rejoicing after the harvest. Most of us regard the seed time as the most pleasant of the year. The seedsman of old was an unhappy and a hungry man. The seed which he was throwing on the ground was needed for a starving family.

With grain so scarce, none of it was available for livestock. During the winter there could be no milk or eggs. In the summer there was some milk from cows grazing on the commons, and a few eggs from hen that ran at large around the farmstead. The use of grasses and legumes for hay and for improvement of the soil are strictly modern practices. The only feed for cattle in the winter was from straw and a little wild hay.

Famines were as frequent in Western Europe as they are today in China and India. One bad season brought starvation to millions. It was impossible for a man to improve his condition much by his own productive labor. The only way to become wealthy or even comfortable was by royal favor, by tax collection or by war. In other words, by exploiting the common man. Is there any wonder that there was no individual freedom?

What then brought about the freedom from want and the political liberty which has been man's lot since about 1800? During this period (the 19th century) there took place what we think of as the agricultural revolution which preceded and made possible the industrial revolution. The enclosure acts passed by the British Parliament is one of its most important features. These acts abolished the commons and permitted the farmer to enclose his own tract of land. Nothing is so stimulating to good agriculture as land ownership. The Dutch people, always among the best farmers, introduced clover into crop rotations, this making unnecessary the three-field follow system followed for centuries in Europe. Clovers were introduced into England by Lord Townshend, who introduced what became known as the Norfolk system of farming and which provided turnips for winter feed for cattle and clovers for hay and soil improvement. Jethro Tull introduced a primitive horse hoe from Southern France which was a great improvement in soil production.

The first fertilizers other than manure and organic materials was ground bones. Although these materials were beneficial, it was found that there was an insoluble phosphoric acid in the bones that cond not be used by plants. Justus Leibeg, the great German chemist, found that treating the bones with sulphuric acid made them soluble. This was followed by the discovery by Sir John Lawes, of the Rothamstead Experiment Station in England, that phosphate rock also might be made soluble by treating with sulphuric acid. This marked the beginning of the fertilizer industry. Leibeg, who is the father of agricultural chemistry, published his work, "Organic Chemistry and Its Application to Agriculture and Physiology", in 1840.

In the use of mechanical devices to reduce labor in crop production, little or no progress was made until after 1800. The farmer was still plowing with the wooden plow, sowing his seed broadcast and harvesting it with a hand sickle as in biblical times. It is significant that most of the progress in agricultural implements was made in the United States.

A cast iron plow was patented by Jethro Wood in 1814. This plow was successful in the east, but would not scour in the western black prairie soil. John Deere invented the steel plow in 1837, and by 1857 was producing 10,000 plows per year in his plant at Moline, Illinois.

The hand sickle was used to harvest grant until the latter part of the 18th century, when the cradle was invented. This increased the acreage one man could harvest from about ¾ to 2 or 2½ acres per day. The McCormick reaper was patented in 1834 and by 1851 was being produced at the rate of 1,000 per year.

Other farm machinery developed in the 19th century included the grain drill, the corn planter, the cultivators, the grain binder, threshers and the steam and gasoline tractors.

What did the agricultural revolution mean to the Western world? It brought for the first time freedom from want. No longer were 90 to 95% of the population needed in food production. It released more and more of the population for employment in industry and thus made the industrial revolution possible. There could have been no idustrial revolution had there been no steel plow to break the prairie sods in Western United States, Canada and Australia, or reapers, binders and threshers to harvest the grain. There would have been no one to man the machines in the facories if machines had not released men from the farm.

Today in the United States only about 20% of our population is engaged in food and fiber production. This is real progress. Progress that permits us to have automobiles, electrical equipment, radios and beauty parlors.

Food and Freedom

It is difficult to say which came first, food or freedom. As the food supply of the western nations increased, liberty also increased. Beginning with the American Revolution in 1776, followed by the French Revolution in 1789, a wave of liberalism swept over Europe and the Americas, even reaching Germany in 1848 and Russia in 1918. Man with a sufficient food supply was no longer dependent on his overlords for bare subsistence. He seized the reins of government in his own hands. The period from the defeat of Napoleon to 1914 was the most fortunate man has ever known. There was an abundance of food for all, and in most countries the liberty of the common man seemed assured. It was the most peaceful century man had known in historical times.

The Future

It appears, however, that the 19th century might have been a century of grace, a bounty from the gods that man may soon slip back into his old hunger and his old tyrannies of government and church. As the population increases and as the productivity of the soil decreases, there are appearing signs of inadequate food supplies, of want and tyranny which existed in most of the world prior to the 19th century. In our own time we have seen two major world conflicts, each started by tyrannical governments of overcrowded and no doubt hungry nations. Italy, Japan and Germany alike are heavily populated and occupy largely unproductive soil. Most of the nations of Central Europe, Poland and the Balkans before the war had large portions of their populations at or below subsistence level. Liberty and peace do not long exist under these conditions.

What of our situation in the United States? We have always had an abundance of food. We paid for our industrial machines by exporting large quantities of cheap food to Europe in exchange for capital and machinery. But even American agriculture has a limit. We have imported much of our wool for a long time. We have changed from a beef exporting to a beef importing nation. Only in wheat, cotton, corn and pork do we have exportable surplusea. Of course, we can increase our productivity by scientific agriculture, by use of fertilizers, by breeding better crop plants and more efficient livestock. Such increases are not cheap, however. Hybrid corn has given us from 10 to 15 bushels more yield per acre, but let no one delude himself by thinking it does not deplete the soil faster than ordinary corn.

We have allowed too much of our productive soils to be destroyed by wind and water erosion. Constant cropping has depleted the mineral food elements of most of our agricultural soils. Due to the pressure of the war for food production, one of the last areas of virgin prairie soil in McLean County, Illinois, was plowed in 1943 and planted to hybrid corn. The yield was 120 bushels per acre. Adjoining fields on the same farm made only 50 bushels per acre. This shows how far we have gone toward soil depletion.

Our greatest interest at present, aside from successful completion of the war, is to provide a world system which will bring peace and personal liberty to the peoples of the world. There is no way we can insure this peace and liberty until we have brought freedom from want to a large part of the world population. We must in some way solve the population problem in overcrowded countries. At the same time we must carefully conserve our own soil resources. Only when man has enough food to prevent hunger will he have political freedom and peace.

St. Charles P.T.A. Will Sponsor Play, March 1

The best talent in the P.T.A. of St. Charles has been chosen to entertain the public in a comedy called "When A Woman Decides", in the auditorium March 1. It's hard to out-act such actors as Ida Kirk, Mr. Fugate, Herman Grigsby, Mable Barker, and Mrs. Counts. Following is the cast of characters:

Billy Defoe ..... Earl Hampton
Maybelle Tony .... Jerry Boone
Silas Sawyer Herman Grigsby
Hilda M. Bur ..... Mable Barker
Bessie Hayden Imogene Wynn
Matilda Petter Mrs. Counts
Rastus Toll Mr. Rufus Fugate
Mandy DeHaven ..... Ida Kirk

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Brother of Local Resident Reported Among Missing

Mrs. Woodrow Kelly, of Pennington Gap, has been advised by the War Department that her brother, Sgt. Sidney Shortridge, has been mission in action since January 18, 1945.

Sgt. Shortridge was sent to England in October, 1944, and shortly afterwards was transferred into the occupied countries, where he saw active service until the time he was reported missing. His home was formerly at Grundy, Va., and both his parents are dead.

Mrs. Kelly has two other brothers in the European theater of war, and one in the Southwest Pacific, all of whom have seen active service. Another brother was recently given a medical discharge, due to injuries received while in training in this country.

Southwide Sunday School Day To Be Observed Here

Southern Baptists have adopted and are promoting a Southwide Sunday School Centennial Program for 1945, climaxing a century of service. Powell River Baptist Association will take part in this program by meeting at the First Baptist Church, Pennington Gap, Virginia, Sunday, March 4, at 2:30 p. m.

At this meeting Mr. C. J. Hockett, of the Southern Baptist Sunday School Board, Nashville, Tennessee, will be present to assist the Associational Superintendent and the departmental officers in presenting this program to each of the churches in Powell River Association.

Every superintendent, pastor, officer and teacher of the Powell River Baptist Association should make a special effort to be present at this meeting.

ACTIVITIES OF JONESVILLE WOMAN'S CLUB

Christmas Operetta

The Jonesville Woman's Club sponsored a Christmas operetta at the school on December 19th. The cast of 60 grade children were depicted as Mother Goose characters, and Christmas tree decorations. They were colorfully dressed in costumes and enjoyed receiving a gift from "Santa Claus" at the close of the play. This operetta, "Christmas For Others", was well attended by parents and friends in spite of inclement weather.

War Bond Drive

The Club was asked to help in leading the latest War Bond Drive in the Town of Jonesville. Through the concerted efforts of various organizations, this drive, as well as others, has been a success. It is nice to note that these drives have gone "over the top" not only for the town, but for Lee County as well. The women of the Club are also to be commended for their personal contributions, which have meant so much in making the drive a success.

Plans For Recreation Center

One of the projects proposed for the Woman's Club this year is the establishment of a recreation center for Jonesville's young people. With present gas and tire shortages, the "teen-agers" find themselves with very little recreation outside of the movies. The Woman's Club hopes to start such a center soon, and with the cooperation of the community and the young people, the success of the venture should be assured. An all-round program is planned, including tennis and other outdoor games for summer, with parties for all ages and indoor games through the winter.

Sponsoring County Honor Roll

The Club is sponsoring, through its Welfare Committee, a County Honor Roll. This honor roll will be erected at the county seat as a memorial to the boys of Lee County who have given their lives for their country. It will also honor those who are now serving in the armed forces. This project has been under way for some time, and it it hoped it will be erected in the near future.

School Chorus Organized

Jonesville High School has recently organized a Choral Club, under the direction of Mrs. R. C. Carter, music director, and Rev. L. D. Perkins, band director. The chorus is off to a good start and will be used in conjunction with the school band for programs and concerts.

January Meeting

The Club met on the second Thursday in January at the Home Economics Cottage. The meeting was presided over by Mrs. B. D. Ferrill in the absence of the president, Mrs. R. C. Carter. A report was made on the Christmas operetta which was sponsored and directed by the fine arts and music committee. The committee also reported plans to organize a school choral club. The news letters from general headquarters were read and discussed. A delightful social hour followed the business session, and the members enjoyed an attractive dessert plate served by the hostesses: Mrs. Eugene Davis, Mrs. L. D. Perkins, Miss Kate Spencer, and Miss Nell Wade. Our program leader for February is Mrs. T. S. Ely; her topic, "Legislation". Hostesses for February are Mrs. O. M. Hyatt, Mrs. Bertie Munsey, and Mrs. Alice Parkey.

February Meeting

The Club met Thursday, February 15th, at the Home Economics Cottage. The new State Club collect and the State song were presented to the members. Annual committee reports were given at this meeting, and nominations for new officers will be held in March. Everyone enjoyed an interesting program after the business meeting, presented by Mrs. L. D. Perkins. The hostesses served a delicious plate to members and guests. Hostesses for March will be Mrs. Pearl Ewing, Miss Jamie Davidson, Miss Stella Conn, and Mrs. Barbara Ely. This will be the last regular meeting of the year, followed by the Annual Banquet held in April. The new club year begins in May.

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Red Cross War Fund Drive Plans Completed

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are fighting to win the war.

Melville Jeffries, Red Cross field representative from Radford, discussed the service of the Red Cross to the families of the boys overseas.

Cpl. Freeman Hedgecoth, of St. Charles, who has been overseas for three and a half years, spoke of the wonderful help through the Red Cross to the boys in overseas service; of the automobile units, clothing, food, cigarettes, etc., furnished by this organization.

E. L. Scroggs, of Pennington Gap, U.M.W.A. official, gave an interesting talk on behalf of the Red Cross organization.

C. F. Connelly, Lee County War Fund chairman, spoke enthusiastically of the fine work being done by Mrs. E. E. Skaggs, home service secretary; of her service in getting messages to and from service boys in emergencies; and many other phases of her work.

A delicious plate dinner was served by the ladies of the W.S. C. S. (Woman's Society of Christian Service.)

The assigned quotas of the War Fund Drive are as follows:

National quota, $200,000,000; Lee County quota, $10,000; Pennington Gap, $2,500; Jonesville District, $1,500; Rose Hill District, $1,400; St. Charles, $500; Dryden area, $200; White Shoals District, $400; Woodway area, $100; Stickleyville area, $25; Bonny Blue, $2,000; Benedict, $1,500; Leona Mines, $1,000; Virginia Lee, $500; Kemmerer Gem, $500; Calvin area, $400; Puckett's Creek Coal Co., $100; Kentucky Darby Coal Co., $150; miscellaneous mines, $200.

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Another Award For Tech. Sgt. Crowell

Technical Sergeant Robert P. Crowell, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Crowell, of Pennington Gap, has a hobby of winning awards for meritorious service.

Recently he has been awarded an Oak Leaf Cluster to his Air Medal, equivalent to another award of the medal, for outstanding service during bombing attacks on Nazi war plants and on military targets in cooperation with Allied ground forces. He is top turret gunner on an Eighth Air Force B-17 Flying Fortress.

Cpl. Tolbert Walter Howe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh M. Howe, of St. Charles, recently completed an orientation course designed to bridge the gap between training in the States and combat soldiering against the enemy in Germany.

At the Air Service Command Station in England, Cpl. Howe attended a series of lectures given by veterans of this command, which included instructions on chemical warfare defense and pertinent tips on staying healthy in a combat zone. His next station will be one from which America's fighting planes cover our advance into Germany.

At the San Antonio Aviation Cadet Center, Second Lt. Arnold P. Payne, of Pennington Gap, is attending a two-weeks standardization course in physical training. At the conclusion of the training period, students will be returned to their former stations in the AAF Training Command for duty as training specialists in their particular field.

Returning Home

Returning home from overseas service on furlough is Freeman Hedgecoth, T.5, Engineers, who has served 41 months in the European theater of operations.

He was due to arrive approximately February 10 at Fort Meade, Md., and from there to St. Charles, where he will visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hedgecoth.

Tech. Sgt. Frank M. Hawks, son of Mrs. O. M. Hawks, of Pennington Gap, has arrived at Army Air Forces Redistribution Station No. 2, in Miami Beach, Fla., for reassignment processing after completing a tour of duty outside the continental United States. He will remain at the redistribution station about two weeks, much of which time will be devoted to rest and recreation.

Sgt. Hawks was a B-24 engineer-gunner in the European theater. His wife resides at Hammond, Ind.

Promotion.

Corporal Greer B. Eldridge, truck driver with the Ordnance Evacuation Company in Northern France, has recently been promoted to his present rank from that of private first class.

His mother, Mrs. Ettie Eldridge, resides at Blackwater, Va.

Pvt. Luther C. Vanoy, Medical Technician, is serving with the Fifth Army in Italy, with the 56th Evacuation Hospital, Fifth Army unit set up to treat seriously wounded men on the Italian front.

Stationed at times within range of German guns, the 56th has served in support of the Italian campaign since September, 1943, when the continent of Europe was invaded for the first time, until the current fencing for approaches into the Po valley. Pvt. Vanoy is originally from St. Charles.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincerest thanks and appreciation to our friends for the kindness and sympathy shown us during the illness and death of our daughter and sister, Mrs. Mary Ramey.

Signed:
Mrs. Rebecca Perkins
And Family.

News From WALLENS CREEK

Mary Lou Russell, Cor.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Edwards spent last Wednesday night and Thursday with Mrs. Edwards' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gay Collins.

Miss Patricia Horton spent Friday night with Miss Ted Livesay.

Messrs. Doyle McPhearson, Dewey Sanders, John Eldridge, and Governor Russell, all of Blackwater, were visiting Mr. H. P. Russell last week.

Mr. Jennis Edwards was visiting his brothers, Henry and Millard Edwards, of this place, Sunday.

Miss Ted Livesay spent the past week-end with Miss Patty Horton.

Virginia Pulpwood Industry Needs Men

An Associated Press dispatch from Richmond, Va., dated Feb. 19, states that pulpwood and lumber industries of Virginia are in need of 2,900 additional workers in both woods and mills to maintain war production schedules. This information comes from Frank A. Cavedo, State War Manpower director, who added that the acuteness of the shortage is further aggravated by the fact that heavy seasonal withdrawals are anticipated in mid-March when spring plowing time arrives.

The additional manpower is required for work in logging and pulpwood cutting primarily, Cavedo said, and in mills which are turning out 80 per cent of their output for the war effort. Worker requirements are now less that they were in December, due, in part, to placement of workers in the industries in greater volume through the United States Employment Service offices in recent weeks.

"A total of 514 persons were placed in key lumber and pulpwood jobs during January by the USES," Cavedo said. "This represents an increase of nearly 250 workers over December placements. In addition there were 551 persons referred to woods industry jobs during January, as compared with 349 for the preceding month.

"By far the most immediate need is for woods workers—cutters, sawers, loaders, haulers and truck drivers—but large numbers of mill workers will be leaving their jobs to return to agriculture in March. Replacements will be necessary if mills of the State are to meet quotas for military and essential civilian needs," the State manpower director declared.

RESOLUTIONS

Whereas, the All Mighty God has removed from our midst our friend, brother and fellow director, James B. Cox, of Dryden, Virginia; and,

Whereas, we who have been closely associated with James B. Cok for many years testify of his high character, his superlative sense of honor, his honesty and loyalty to duty; and are aware of his untiring efforts as a Director elected for many years by the stockholders of Lee Bank & Trust Company, and knowing that James B. Cox conscientiously looked upon the confidence of the stockholders reposed in him as a sacred commission comparable to a trusteeship; and knowing that he execised his every official act with sincere devotion to those connected with the Institution which he represented as a Director; and,

Whereas, this Board of Directors is grieved because, as it appears to them, of the untimely calling of James B. Cox.

Now, Therefore, be it resolved that the Board of Directors of Lee Bank & Trust Company, of Pennington Gap, Virginia, do adopt these resolutions of respect for our associate and friend, and be it further resolved that a copy hereof be spread upon the minutes of the Board of Directors of this Bank, and another copy thereof be mailed to the widow of James B. Cox for herself and her children, and that another copy be printed in The Powell Valley News at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Respectfully submitted,
The Board of Directors,
Lee Bank & Trust Company,
Pennington Gap, Virginia.

A WORD AT PARTING

The following poem was written by Miss Irene Williams and dedicated to her uncle, Harve D. Parsons, on the day of his death, January 5, 1945:

You'll never know, dear Uncle Harve,
How much we'll miss you now,
Upon this blackest black of days;
But to you we'll keep this vow.

We vow to remember day by day
And always keep in mind,
That you were sunshine along the way
By being so good and kind.

You never gave an unkind word,
Never by deed nor thought;
And all these things we'll forever keep
And press them to our hearts.

News From JONESVILLE

S. 2-C. Everette "Red" Stewart has returned to his post at Brooklyn, N. Y., after spending a furlough with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Henry Stewart.

Bobbie Miles has returned to school after a two weeks' absence due to illness.

Mrs. Edward Hobbs is ill at this writing.

Sgt. Omar Williams spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Butch Harvey and family. He has returned from 22 months' overseas service.

Mrs. Roy Muncey and Mrs. Milam Miner visited in Pennington, Monday.

Rev. Berckman Speaks On Conditions In China

The Methodist Church was filled to its utmost capacity Sunday night with people who were gathered to hear the Rev. James H. H. Berckman, repatriated missionary from China.

Rev. Berckman has been engaged in missionary work in China since 1921; was pastor of some of the outstanding churches of the Orient, including Moore Memorial Church in Shanghai, the church that has been the church home of Madame Chiang Kai-shek's family, and where the generalissimo was baptized.

Rev. Berckman was placed in a concentration camp in China by the Japs, and sentenced to be killed. However, after ten and a half months in camp he was repatriated, came to America, and is now awaiting his passports to return to China.

He spoke very interestingly of conditions in China and of the people in general; of their courage and bravery, progress, their long, hard struggle against the oppression of the Japs, and their never-failing confidence of ultimate victory.

He deplores the fact that America has in the past sold Japan material with which to wage their aggressive warfare, and is now paying the price in human blood. "But," he said, "Japan is due for a good sound thrashing, and they're getting it."

"The greatest reform in China in the last 5,000 years," he went on, "is the liberation of women." Then he told of the new status for women in China, the standards of education, vocations, etc., including the many training hospitals where Chinese girls are learning to become nurses.

All told, he envisions a great future for China in the postwar world, and is confident that a lasting friendsship between America and the Orient will result from their united struggle against the enemy.

Class I Airport For Pennington Is Possibility

The dream of a Class 1 airport for Pennington Gap may become a reality, according to a report from R. F. Nelson, Virginia Chamber of Commerce, Richmond, Va.

The sum of $82,000 will be appropriated for this airport if the House bill calling for expenditure of $1,021,567, 945 for improvement of existing and creation of new airports throughout the nation is adopted.

The State Chamber seeks to protect the future development of Virginia, and for this purpose is studying the measure, which includes the recommendations of the Civil Aeronautics Administration of the U. S. Department of Commerce. Cost of the program does not include land needed to carry it out or any buildings.

"The United States today has approximately 25,000 civilian aircraft," the Aeronautics Administration recently wrote to the State Chamber. "We estimate that there will be 400,000 civil airplanes in this country within ten years of the war's end, and that the number will continue to increase in the following years. To serve this expected extensive growth in civil aviation, the CAA proposes that this nation construct 3,050 new airports and improve 1,625 of the 3,000 existing fields."

Recommendations made by the Administration require the States to establish and empower an official or "an official body equipped to conduct it's share of the program," and to adopt "adequate" legislation for the clearing and protection of airport approaches and "such other legislation as may be necessary" to empower political subdivisions to participate as sponsors of airport projects.

These proposals are to be reviewed by a sub-committee on aviation of the Transportation Committee of the Virginia State Chamber of Commerce.

Virginia's share of the vast federal expenditure proposed would be $23,239,000. A total of 166 airports in Virginia are either to be constructed or improved.

WANTED

Two or more married men to work on farm. At least one who can drive truck and tractor. Dairy farming, listed as critical. Also wanted: Man for Dairy Plant to drive truck most of the time. If interested call or write at once D. O. ROBERTS, Harlan, Ky. Phone 583.
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DEATHS AND FUNERALS

Mrs. Mollie B. Howard

Mrs. Mollie Bird Howard, aged 86, died at Lee General Hospital on Wednesday, February 14, from injuries sustained in a fall at her home two weeks previous to her death.

She is survived by four sons, L. B. Howard, of Richmond, Va.; H. C. Howard, of Annapolis, Md.; W. G. and B. N. Howard, of Jonesville; one daughter, Mrs. C. B. Turner, of Harlan, Ky.; one step-daughter, Mrs. Sam Osborne, of Twila, Ky.; one brother, C. B. Bird, Twila, Ky.; 18 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Howard was a faithful and devoted member for many years of Cedar Hill Christian Church. Funeral services were held at the home of B. N. Howard on Friday afternoon, conducted by her pastor, the Rev. H. C. Hilliard, of Rose Hill, assisted by the Rev. W. B. Moore, of Pennington Gap. Burial was in the family plot nearby.

The beautiful floral offerings and the large crowd that assembled to pay their last tribute of respect bore evidence of the high esteem in which she was held.

Rufus A. Rogers

Rufus A. Rogers, of Bonny Blue, died at his home February 15, 1945, following an illness of only a few days. He was 65 years of age.

Funeral services were held at the Bonny Blue Community Church on Sunday afternoon February 18, at 1:00 o'clock, conducted by the Rev. Casteel, assisted by Rev. T. H. Roach. Burial followed in Cecil Cemetery at Pennington Gap.

Mr. Rogers is survived by his widow, Mrs. Sarah Rogers, of Bonny Blue; one daughter, Edith, of Bonny Blue; four sons, Harold and Chester, of Bonny Blue; Charles, with the U. S. Army in India; and Stanford, with the U. S. Navy somewhere at sea; six brrothers and one sister.

J. J. Whipple

J. J. Whipple, 61, for several years a resident of St. Charles, died at Lee General Hospital in Pennington Gap, February 15, 1945, after an illness of several months. He was a member of the Ghristian Church and the Masonic Order.

Funeral services were held at the St. Charles Methodist Church on Sunday afternoon, February 18, at 2:30 o'clock, in charge of Rev. Holbert Bolling. Burial was in Cecil Cemetery at Pennington Gap. St. Charles Funeral Home in charge.

Active pallbearers were James Richmond, Rev. Morefield, Wm. Frazier, J. F. Watson, S. G. Hill, Herman Grigsby, Jess Newman, and Earl Stallard. Flower bearers were among the close friends.

Mr. Whipple is survived by his wife, one daughter, Hattie Kate, a student of Bob Jones College; and one son, Billy, with the U. S. Army in England.

Wants To Meet With Old Friends

Somewhere in Germany,
January 9, 1945.

Mr. Sam C. Blackwell,
Editor, Powell Valley News,
Pennington Gap, Virginia.
Dear Mr. Blackwell:

Each week I receive a copy of The Powell Valley News, which I enjoy reading very much. The news back home is always of much interest to myself and the many other G.I.'s from the home town who are on the fighting fronts, I am sure.

Since being overseas, what I would like most, other than to be back in Pennington Gap, would be to meet some of the boys from the home town. As yet, I haven't had the pleasure of bumping into a single person of old acquaintance, although I am sure there are many of my old friends about me.

I thought perhaps you, as editor, might list in an issue names and units, or addresses of some in service (especially this theater). I believe others, too, would be pleased with this idea. In many cases it might guide us to a friend very close by, whom otherwise we would not have known of.

In advance, thanking you very kindly, I am

Most sincerely,
S. Sgt. Otto H. Bryant,33049493
Co. B, 21st Tk. Bn., APO 260,
c-o Postmaster, New York, N. Y.

Volunteer Red Cross Home Workers Needed

Mrs. W. R. Fletcher, production chairman, American Red Cross, Local Chapter, is asking for volunteer workers to do sewing at home for the Red Cross.

She states that convalescing robes and pajamas need to be made, and that 200 Navy kit bags will be cut and ready to be made. Anyone willing to make any of these items please call or write Mrs. Fletcher, and she will see to it that the goods will be delivered to their homes ready for the sewing. Only efficient workmanship is solicited.

Also more knitters are needed, Mrs. Fletcher says, adding that she has many calls for sweaters, sox and other items for men in war zones, where these are most needed.

From July 1, 1940, to December 31, 1944, American factories produced 253,256 planes of all types.

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TOWN TALK

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but despite her illness, still likes to "keep up with the news" by reading, and the other day sent for a copy of The Powell Valley News.

Mrs. Hobbs is the widow of the late Captain Josh Hobbs, a veteran of the Civil War.

Martin Halstead Enters Service

Martin Halstead, the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Halstead, Sr., has enlisted in the Navy, and is now stationed at Bainbridge, Md., for his boot training.

Martin is the fourth son of the Halsteads to enter the service of their country. The others are: Everett R., Jr., Frank and Bill.

Ben Hur Soldier Feeds His Crew

Through the courtesy of Lt. Fred Cox, of Jonesville, we are in receipt of the following clipping from "The Stars and Stripes" concerning the sportsmanship of a Ben Hur soldier, Sgt. Raines M. Robbins:

"With Second Armored Div., Dec. 25.—Sgt. Rains M. Robbins, of Ben Hur, Va., spotted a target outside Merzenhausen, Germany, as he led his Sherman crew toward enemy positions.

"Right front, 45 yards in cabbage patch, two bursts," he called over the interphone to Gunner Cpl. Walter McGrail, of Lowell, Mass.

"McGrail swung his machine gun to the right, fired two bursts. The tank halted for a few minutes, then rumbled on.

"That night the crew ate the target—a five-point deer, believed to be the first shot in Germany's open hunting season."

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Adams, of Kingsport, Tenn., announce the birth of a son, who has been given the name John D., Jr. Mrs. Adams is the former Miss Geneva Lambert, of Jonesville.

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PULPWOOD CUTTERS GIVEN TOP 'WAR WORKER' DEFERMENT IN DRAFT

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—The War Manpower Commission today issued a revised list of *critical* occupations for which Selective Service Boards may grant draft deferment. This new list raises *"the cutting of pulpwood"* as well as the *"production of pulp made from pulpwood and other substances"* from a merely "essential" to a "critical" rating.

WHAT THIS MEANS TO PULPWOOD CUTTERS

- If you are of draft age (26 or over) you may be deferred until all available men in both "essential" and non-essential occupations are inducted.
- If you are now cutting pulpwood and have been deferred *stick to your job full-time.*
- If you are now in a merely "essential" occupation and want to get into "critical" pulpwood production, do so at once. Then apply to your draft board for deferment.

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That is the story of the war. That is the spirit that wins battles. That is what makes our country great, and also safe. So long as we have sons willing to give an arm or a leg or a life, our country can defend itself against all force. Parents give their sons. Soldiers and sailors give their limbs, their eyes, their lives. They do not lose them—they give them—for what? For Freedom, for God, for Home, for Country.

It is a tragedy for a family to lose a son. Many of us will know that grief. But it is doubly tragic for a fine boy to march away to the colors, get wounded or lose his life and to have his loved ones curse God and give up in despair. To him death came on the field of honor. War is a duty, and an adventure, and he expected us to be proud of him, instead of giving up in despair. Those who lose loved ones may feel proud to have given a son to the Country.

There are things worse than war. Yes, worse than death. To be a slave to Hitler, to have Japanese soldiers stationed at our doors, to be too weak to fight—these are worse than war. Those who give all for freedom think so. Why not us who stay at home?

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News From
JONESVILLE
By Mrs. G. W. Ball
Route Four

(For Week of February 8.)

Rev. L. D. Perkins filled his appointment at York, Sunday. He will preach again on third Sunday morning at 10:00 o'clock. A cordial welcome is extended to all.

George Osborne was called home on account of the serious illness of his brother, Job, who seems to be on the road to recovery.

D. D. Hall continues very ill.

Bill Rutherford, Roy Ramey and Roy Livesay made a trip to the warehouse at Johnson City, Monday.

The school children are planning their annual Valentine box. Hope Cupid doesn't run out of darts.

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News From
CAMP GROUND

(For Week of February 8.)

Misses Jean and Jett Spangler, employed in Tennessee, spent the week-end with their parents here.

Miss Dorothy Weston, Thorpe, W. Va., is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Weston and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Spangler.

Wilma Pennington, a student of L.M.U., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Pennington.

Pvt. Henry Quinley has been spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Quinley.

Rev. Perkins filled his regular appointment at the Camp Ground on Sunday morning, delivering a very interesting sermon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Pennington have received word that their son, Pfc. Wayne Pennington, has been sent overseas.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Johnson left Sunday for Baltimore, Md., where they will be employed.

Patsy Spangler, who is staying with her grandmother, Mrs. W. B. Davidson, spent Sunday with her parents and grandparents.

Sgt. Quentin Johnson is spending a 30-day furlough with his father, Joe Johnson, and sister, Mrs. Estelle Bailey.

Floyd Quinley has been visiting friends here.

Friends in this community are sorry to learn of the illness of Mrs. Charlie Jones.

We are glad to welcome B. B. Sargent and family to this community.

For Sale

One Hammer Crusher; 1 Grist Mill; Motor, needs repairing; 2 New Belts. See Earl Hobbs, Route 2, Pennington Gap, Va. Adv. No. 7-2t pd.

NOTICE

Time to sow lawn grass, prune your trees, vines and shrubs. Time to chemically treat your trees. I am at your service. Robert DeBusk, Rose Hill, Va. No. 5-4t pd.

News From
BENEDICT

(For Week of February 15)

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jones and children, of Portsmouth, Va., were visiting their parents here last week, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Yates and family and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Jones.

Miss Virginia Yates, who has been visiting her sister at Portsmouth, has returned home.

Rev. Bascom Dixon, of Wise, filled his regular appointment here Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tackett and family visited friends here last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cheek and family, of Stone Creek, visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Thompson and family here Sunday.

Mrs. Curtis Ewing and Mrs. Jim Arnett visited with relatives and friends on Stone Creek last week.

Mrs. Jake Wolfenbarger, of St. Charles, visited relatives here last Sunday.

Mrs. Wallen and daughters, of Monarch, visited relatives here Sunday.

Elmer Scarborough visited friends at Woodway, Sunday.

If you want to hear the old-time gospel preached, come to the revival at Benedict Church. Services begin each night at 6:30 o'clock. Everyone invited.

Pvt. John Howard Yates, of the U. S. Army, left Monday for Fort Meade, Md. Pvt. Yates, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Yates, of this place, took his basic training at Camp Wheeler, Ga.

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News From
JONESVILLE

(For Week of February 15)

Mrs. W. S. Martin and Mrs. L. N. Cridlin entertained with dessert bridge at the home of Mrs. Cridlin, Saturday evening, February 3rd. The home was decorated with red carnations, red and white candles, bearing out the Valentine motif. Six tables were playing.

High score was won by Mrs. Browning Wynn; low score by Mrs. Pearl Ewing. Traveling prizes were won by Mesdames R. L. Rosenbaum, Shelburne Orr, Walter Spangler and D. C. Sewell. Bingo prizes at each table were won by Mesdames Davis McNeil, Carden Davidson, R. C. Cunningham, and Miss Lucy Walker. Cut prize among the guests went to Mrs. Gus Henderson.

Mrs. Add Henderson, of Big Stone Gap, is visiting her son, Gus Henderson, and family. Mr. Henderson has been ill for a few weeks.

Mrs. Ralph Archer and small daughter, of Johnson City, are visiting Mrs. Archer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Cridlin.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 9th day of February, 1945.

H. Virgil Payne.....Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Mable Nordan Payne ..Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a Mensa et thoro. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Mable Nordan Payne, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address is Selma, North Carolina, it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

TESTE:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D. C.
p. q. Guy A. Kauffman.
Adv. No. 7-4t.

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Social and Personal

E. C. Laningham has returned from Richmond, Va., where the distinguished honor of being named Grand Master of Virginia Masons was conferred upon him. Mr. Laningham visited the Masonic Home at Richmond, and reports seeing some of the children from our county who are there, among them being Fred Green, of Pennington Gap.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Vaughan have as their guests this week Mrs. Vaughan's mother, Mrs. Ben Hurst, and her sister, Mrs. James Stacy and son, of Richmond, Ky. Mr. Hurst came up Saturday and returned Sunday.

Be sure to see "Hail The Conquering Hero", coming to Lee Theatre on Monday and Tuesday, March 12 - 13.

Mrs. C. E. Newell, of Atlanta, Ga., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cam J. Lewis.

Frank May, proprietor of May's Department Store, Pennington Gap, left the first of the week for Knoxville, where he will enter a hospital for medical treatment.

Pvt. Woodrow Stapleton, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Stapleton, of Pennington Gap, is serving with the U. S. Army in Germany. He was formerly employed by Green's Cafe.

Miss Maxine Hampton, of Orange, Va., spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hampton, of St. Charles. She was accompanied by a friend, Miss Pearl Dean, also of Orange. Both reported having a swell time.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Fugate, of St. Charles, announce the birth of a seven and one-half pound son, to whom has been given the name William Rufus. The father is principal of St. Charles High School.

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Capt. and Mrs. J. G. Galloway announce the birth of a son, February 14, 1945, at Lee General Hospital. He has been named Jimmie Glenn Galloway, Jr. Mrs. Galloway is the sister of Mrs. B. H. Wainscott.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Wainscott have received a message stating that their brother-in-law, First Lt. J. G. Galloway, has been promoted to captain. Capt. Galloway is with the Eighth Army Air Force in England.

New Baby

From the AAF Regional Hospital, Greensboro, N. C., comes the announcement of a son born February 11 to Staff Sgt. and Mrs. T. J. Snavely. The boy has been given the name Joseph Jefferson, and will be called Jay for short.

The father is a former Pennington Gap boy, son of the late William and Evalena Snavely.

Mrs. Ed Gardner spent a few days last week with her husband in Cincinnati.

Pvt. Jay Kauffman spent last week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Kauffman.

Tech. Sgt. and Mrs. Violes Lee Flanary, of Syrmna, Tenn., near Nashville, announce the birth of a son, February 16th, who has been given the name Dan Cecil. Mrs. Flanary is the former Inez Wilcox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wilcox.

Hiram Orr, Oak Ridge, Tenn., visited friends here last week-end.

Bobbie Jean Cooper and Vada Payne spent last week-end with Bobbie's aunt, Mrs. G. A. Gilbert, and Mr. Gilbert, of Knoxville.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Rhea, of Stone Creek, received a message from the War Department last Saturday notifying them that their son, Pvt. Clyde Rhea, had been wounded in Belgium, January 26. Pvt. Rhea had been in Belgium four days when he was wounded.

Paul Quinley, of Oak Ridge, visited his mother, Mrs. Ethel Quinley, and sister, Phyllis, last week-end.

S. 2-C. and Mrs. Ray Jones and Wilma Jones, of Kingsport, Tenn., visited friends here last Wednesday.

F.O. and Mrs. Bill Goins, Jr., and daughter, Sharon, returned to their home at Mt. Clements, Mich., last Thursday, after an extended visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Goins, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Tate Reasor and family.

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Hall were in Harlan, Ky., Monday.

Drucilla King, a student nurse at Fort Sanders Hospital, Knoxville, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy King, recently.

Mrs. Bill Chatman left Saturday for Smyrna, Tenn., to visit her brother, Tech. Sgt. Violes Flanary, Mrs. Flanary and son, Danny.

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Mrs. Dora Quinley of Wallens Creek, Ky., visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Casteel, of Bonny Blue, last week.

Weegie Rogers, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Rogers.

Lt. Charles Pennington is now stationed at Miami, Fla.

Martin Halstead and John Javin Adams were dinner guests of Jackie Stout last Wednesday.

Mollie Napier and Alene Lanham visited friends at Cawood, Ky., last week-end.

Mayflower Victory Club Meets

Mrs. Bill Casteel entertained members of the Mayflower Victory Club of Bonny Blue at her home last Saturday night. She was assisted by Mrs. Cecil Broyles. After the business, a social hour was enjoyed, when games and contests were indulged in and delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses. Members present were Mesdames Garland Casteel, Boyd Bailey, Marcus McKinney, Cecil Broyles, Lee Francis, John Hawkins, and Jake Howard. A new member, Mrs. Grace Burgan, and a special guest, Mrs. Dora Quinley, of Wallens Creek, Ky., also attended.

Baptist Ladies Have Busy Month

The Baptist Church has been going around in circles in social activities this month:

Mrs. Hassie Pannell graciously entertained the Service Circle at her home; the Smallwood Circle forgot all their responsibilities for a meeting at Mrs. Alice Anderson's; Mrs. Earl Richardson used the Valentine motif for the Business Women's Circle in her home; Mrs. Alta Orr entertained the Y.W.A. and their masculine friends with a Valentine party; a very enjoyable social followed the monthly business meeting of the officers and teachers of the Sunday School; the Baptist Training Union will climax the social functions Friday evening, February 23, at 7:30 o'clock, with a social at the church.

Mrs. Charles Berry returned this week from New Albany, Ind., where she has been visiting relatives and friends. She was accompanied home by her niece, Mrs. W. H. Wells, and Mr. Wells, who will spend several days in the county visiting Mrs. Wells' family and friends.

PRICE — DUNCAN

Miss Mary Alice Price, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Price, of Jonesville, Va., and B.M. 1-C. J. B. Duncan, son of Mrs. H. H. Duncan, of Knoxville, Tenn., were married at the home of Dr. Haynes, Baptist minister, February 17, at Knoxville, Tenn., Dr. Haynes officiating.

The bride wore an angora suit dress with brown accessories. The only attendant was Mr. Russell Duncan, brother of the groom.

Mrs. Duncan is a graduate of Jonesville High Schol and Knoxville Business College. She now holds the position of secretary to Dr. W. I. Jones, administrative secretary of Lincoln Memorial University.

The groom, now of the U. S. Navy, was formery employed by T. V. A., at Knoxville.

First Christian Church

Sunday, February 25: Bible School at 10:00 a. m. Worship with communion at 10:45; sermon subject: "Humanity Hungers"—climax to Week of Compassion. A special offering will be made to the Disciples' War Service Fund.

A plea to all members, a Christian invitation to all others.

Christian Endeavors meet at 6:45 p. m. No preaching Sunday evening. Mid-week prayer service, Wednesday at 7:00 p. m.

W. B. Moore, Pastor.

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Couple want to rent small farm, part level, with three or four-room house. Reasonable rent; will pay cash. CHANCY STOW, Jonesville, Va., R.R. 2. Adv. No. 8-3t pd.

For Rent Or Sale

Farm, located on Stone Creek above Belgium School House. See B. L. STURGILL, Route 1, Pennington Gap, Va. Adv. No. 8-1t pd.

COMING TO ST. CHARLES

REV. LELA G. McCONNELL

Rev. Lela G. McConnell, ordained minister in the Methodist Church, noted educator and religious leader of a movement for the educational and spiritual betterment of the mountain peoples of Eastern Kentucky, will speak at the St. Charles Methodist Church, Tuesday evening, February 27, at 7:00 o'clock.

Rev. McConnell heads a 20-year-old movement located in Breathitt County, Kentucky. By prayer and faith she has established a high school and Bible school, and now has a corps of over 90 workers and thirty or more churches and preaching points. Anyone desiring a real tonic for his faith could not do better than come and hear the story of this most remarkable character. People of all denominations will be interested in this real treat. Let everyone plan for this service.

C. R. McPherson, Pastor.

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150 Acres, all good land; two miles south of Mitchell, Indiana, 3 miles north of Orleans, on State Road 37. Good six-room house, 2 barns, 2 silos, deep well, cribs and numerous outbuildings, all in good condition. Electricity in house and barns. A beautiful place to live, on paved road and school bus route. Terms can be arranged. See or write William R. Boyd, Agent, Orleans, Indiana. Adv. No. 8—2t pd.

Serve in the WAC at McGuire General Hospital in Richmond.

St. Charles Methodist Church

Sunday, February 25, the laymen have charge of both morning and night services at St. Charles Methodist Church. The morning services will be as follows:

Hymn No. 253; Apostles Creed; Prayer, Waldo Munsey; Responsive readnig, Ralph Pope leading, Page 571, Eighth Sunday; Gloria Patri; Offering, L. B. Hagy and Everett Gilliam, ushers; Hymn No. 250; Scripture reading, Acts 6—Waldo Munsey; Ten-minute message, Earl Stallard; Ten-minute message, Earl Carter; Message, Ralph Pope; Hymn No. 284.

At the evening service the men will sing in the choir. Ralph Pope will be in charge, assisted by Ezra Gilliam and Tom Baker as speakers. Neal Rutherford will read the scripture from Acts 20:17-38.

The public cordially invited to attend these services. Come and give them your hearty support.

C. R. McPherson, Pastor.

Serve in the WAC at Woodrow Wilson General Hospital in Staunton.

Pennington Methodist Church

Sunday, February 25: This being Laymen's Day, the morning service will be in charge of Mr. A. S. Pennington, district lay leader, and other laymen. The theme will be "The Church of Today."

Sunday evening services will be in charge of Dr. W. M. Boyd, president Morristown Industrial College, Morristown, Tenn. Dr. Boyd will have with him a quartette, music director and pianist of colored young people. This is in observance of Inter-racial Sunday, a long-standing custom of this church. The public cordially invited.

Also the Morristown group will be at Ely's Memorial Church, Sunday afternoon at 2:30.

Charlie D. Mehaffey, Pastor.

Wounded men are returning from Europe at the rate of 30,000a month. Help them by serving in the WAC at McGuire or Woodrow Wilson Hospitals.

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Red Cross War Fund Drive Starts Today

Town Talk

About This, That, And The Other

The stormy March has come at last
With wind, and cloud, and changing skies;
I hear the rushing of the blast
That through the snowy valley flies.

The Art of Living to the End

Channing Pollock, the noted journalist, says of the late Irvin S. Cobb:

"I've always loved Irvin Cobb, but never quite so much as after an hour with him a few days prior to his death. Irvin had laughed and joked so incessantly that I decided he didn't know he was nearing the end. Leaving him, I promised, 'I'll see you again'.

"'Not in this world,' Irvin answered. Observing my surprise, he added: 'You think I'm not properly solemn. My son, life is a party. The more you enjoy it, the more the other guests will, and the more successful it will be. And I should say it was a mighty poor and ungrateful guest who departed gloomily'."

He Got His Jap

Pvt. Chilton Stewart, serving with the Sixth Army in the Philippines, wrote a girl friend here: "I'll get you a Jap before I come home." He did; but just about the time he flayed his Jap a shell burst near by, and the next thing Chilton knew he was in an Army hospital. He wasn't wounded—just shell-shocked, and is now recovering.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Stewart.

Passes Musical Exam In England

The following newspaper clipping comes from England, regarding a former Pennington Gap boy now serving with the U. S. Army overseas:

"Congratulations to Sgt. Elmer Fred Hackney, of Pennington Gap, Virginia, U. S. A., on

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LOCAL BOARD 1 LIST 12 NEW REGISTRANTS

The young men listed below have become 18 years of age during the month of January 1945, and registered with Selective Service Board No. 1, Jonesville, Virginia:

George Newton, Rose Hill; Lee Foster Ingle, Jr., Rose Hill; Tyler Nathaniel Richmond, Ewing; James Tommy Bledsoe, Ewing; Kermit Sword, R. 3, Jonesville; John Wesley Noe, Blackwater; Edward Bruce Long (Billy), Jonesville; Wm. Grant Cope, R. 1, Jonesville; Ira Sherrill, Rose Hill; Leonard Rufus King, Rose Hill; Ermil Broton Smith, Kyles Ford, Tenn.; Verman Scott Johnson, Jonesville.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincerest thanks to our friends for the kindness and sympathy shown us in the tragic death of our litle daughter and granddaughter, Ella Mae Woods. We greatly appreciate the beautiful floral offerings.

The Woods Family.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Weather Bureau report for the week ending Feb. 25, 1945, for Lee County, furnished by Cam J. Lewis, official observer:

Date February	Temperature Highest	Temperature Lowest	Rainfall Inches 24 hrs.
19	46	24	.00
20	47	26	.00
21	47	36	.46
22	65	44	.56
23	57	32	.00
24	55	25	.00
25	54	26	.00

Circuit Court Opens At Jonesville, March 5th

Murder, Misdemeanor And Felony Cases On Docket of March Term

Lee County Circuit Court will open at Jonesville on Monday, March 5th. Misdemeanor cases will be tried on March 12, and felonies on March 13, Commonwealth's Attorney Robert B. Ely stated.

The first felony case to be tried is the Commonwealth vs. Bill Maggard and others, charged with wounding Sidney Wade and Fred Walters at Keokee, in the latter part of 1943.

Emory Head and Hatley Stanley will be tried for the alleged murder of Coy Bishop, whose mangled body was found on the L. & N. Railroad tracks near Pennington Gap, Sunday morning, October 22.

From the evidence, Commonwealth's Attorney Ely will endeavor to show that Bishop was last seen with these two young men; that he was evidently wounded or killed and put on the railroad track to be run over by the train. Shortly after Bishop was last seen, Head was seen with marks and blood on his face and was accused of being in a fight, Mr. Ely stated.

Another case to be tried is the Commonwealth vs. Clyde Yount, charged with malicious wounding of Clyde Sexton on the voting grounds at Bishop's Store in Lee County on election day last November.

Mr. Ely said that, according to evidence, Yount and Sexton engaged in a fight and that Yount fired two shots into Sexton's abdomen. A number of people on the precinct grounds saw the trouble. There was no political controversey involved, but it grew out of some previous misunderstanding. Fortunately, Sexton recovered.

Other cases to be tried are: Commonwealth vs. John King, charged with the robbery of Bird Gobble at Hagan.

Commonwealth vs. Jim Seals, charged with seduction.

Also other malicious wounding cases as follows: Commonwealth vs. Clabe Morgan, D. C. Sheppard, and Ora Spears.

Housebreaking case against J. D. Cluseman, et als. A few cases will be continued.

Card of Thanks

Sincerest thanks to our friends for their many expressions of kindness and sympathy in the death of our husband and father, Ervin R. Gilbert.

We want to express special appreciation of the beautiful floral offerings, to the ministers who conducted the funeral services, and to those who donated the use of their cars.

Mrs. Ervin Gilbert and Family.

REPORTED MISSING

PVT. VERNON SMITH

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith, of Stone Creek, have recently been notified that their son, Pvt. Vernon Smith, has been missing in action with the 36th Infantry Division in France, since Feb. 3.

Pvt. Smith has been in service three years, and overseas about two years.

HIS FAMILY WITH HIM

P.O. - MRS. DAMON LYTTLE

Chief Petty Officer Damon Lyttle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lyttle, of St. Charles, Va., enlisted in the U. S. Navy in October, 1940, following his graduation from St. Charles High School.

On December 21, 1940, he was assigned to the battleship U.S.S. New York, and has since seen considerable action in many theaters of operations throughout the North Atlantic.

P. O. Lyttle is now stationed at San Francisco, Calif. His wife, the former Iva Hedrick, and small daughter, Joyce Ann, have joined him there.

Edgar Paul Gilliam Hurt While Trying to Save Dog

Edgar Paul Gilliam, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bascom Gilliam, was seriously injured Monday in trying to save his dog from the wheels of a truck.

According to witnesses, Leon Newman, who drives the truck for Pennington Milling Co., had just returned from a delivery trip and was backing the truck in near the platform of the mill.

Gilliam's dog was barking and racing around the wheels of the truck, and Gilliam, also a mill employee, made an attempt to get him out of the way, unseen by Newman.

Gilliam was hit by the truck and pinned against the platform, suffering a broken pelvis and other injuries. He is in Lee General Hospital.

Woodward Appointed Assistant County Agent

Roy E. Woodward, of Pulaski, is the new Assistant County Agent of Lee County, succeeding Joe P. Lyle, who is now in the U. S. Army, stationed at Camp Wheeler, Ga. Mr. Woodward took over his new duties today.

Until recently he has been employed in the AAA office at Pulaski, where his family resides. He plans to move to Jonesville as soon as he can find a suitable home.

R. C. Carter is the County Agent.

Garden Club Will Meet On March 7th

The Lee County Garden Club will meet Wednesday, March 7, at 2:00 p. m., at the Home Economics Cottage, Jonesville.

Hostesses will be Mrs. B. D. Ferrell, Mrs. B. Wynn, Mrs. Alma Cox and Mrs. H. M. Williams.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincerest thanks and appreciation to our friends for the kindness and sympathy shown us during the illness of our husband, brother, and daddy, Mr. Balard Newman.

Signed:

Mrs. Balard Newman,
Mrs. C. M. Hines.

Virginia Tipton, of Oak Ridge, spent last week-end at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tipton.

INFANTILE PARALYSIS DRIVE IN LEE COUNTY

The 1945 Drive in Lee County to raise funds in the fight against infantile paralysis, although getting started at almost the end of the time set for the national campaign, due to the resignation of the director of Lee County, selected early in the year, has been very gratifying, according to Sam C. Blackwell, who accepted the directorship for the county near the end of the national campaign period.

A complete report giving the names of every contributor of $1.00 or over; also a complete summary of contributions and workers responsible for raising a considerable sum in addition to the $1.00 or more contributions, will appear in next week's issue of the News.

Due to the late start of this drive, it was not possible to perfect an organization in all sections of the county, therefore Director Blackwell asks that all individuals who wish to contribute to this worthy and humanitarian cause and have not been contacted for a contribution, to please mail check in the amount which they desire to contribute to Dr. J. H. Dellinger, Treasurer, Lee Chapter, National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, Pennington Gap, Va., by next Monday, March 5, so that their names and amount contributed can be included in the final report which will appear in next week's issue of this paper.

GOV. DARDEN APPEALS TO CITIZENS TO VOTE TUESDAY, MARCH 6TH

Appealing to all "interested" citizens of the State to go to the polls on March 6th and vote on the calling of a constitutional convention, Governor Darden today said: "There is only one question to be determined by this election and that question is what do we propose to do in reference to the soldier ballot?"

"I am confident that an overwhelming majority of our citizen wish to see a constitutional convention called for the purpose of providing machinery whereby those in the armed forces can vote in State elections", the Governor said. "On the other hand, I am equally sure that unless they take the trouble of going to the polls on March 6th, and voting for the proposal, that it will fail.

"For this reason I want to urge all who are interested to turn out and make your wishes known at the ballot box. It would be a tragedy for this effort to fail from lack of interest. Those who make up Virginia's contribution to the armed forces of the United States deserve far better treatment than that.

"The General Assembly, entertaining the view that Virginians in the armed services should be permitted to vote in time of war without registration or payment of poll tax, and at the same time believing the moment propitious for a general revision of the basic law of the Commonwealth, decided to propose, for the consideration of the voters, the suggestion that a convention be assembled for the sole purpose of making provision for those in the fighting forces. Just this is being done.

"The Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia, in a written opinion handed down last Monday (February 26th) supports the action taken by the General Assembly. If the people of Virginia indicate by an affirmative vote next Tuesday that they wish the soldiers to vote, then the constitutional convention assembled for the purpose of making the necessary revisions will be limited to this one action.

"Therefore," the Governor concluded, "we have before us on March 6th only one question —Do the people of Virginia want those in the fighting forces given the privilege of voting in State elections? I cannot believe there can be any doubt as to the decision."

ARMY OFFICER AND DAUGHTER

LT. ROBERT C. OSBORNE

CAROL SUE OSBORNE

Lt. Robert C. Osborne entered service June 9, 1944, and took aviation cadet training at several bases in the South. He received his commission and bombardier wings at the Army Air Base, Carlsbad, New Mexico. He has been training in the B-29 Superfortress since October 1, 1944, and is now in O.T.U. at the Army Air Base, Pratt, Kansas. His wife and daughter, Carol Sue, are residing at Pratt.

Lt. Osborne is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Elec Osborne, of Jonesville.

Carol Sue, daughter of Lt. and Mrs. Osborne, is 15 months old, and has traveled quite a bit. She has made two trips to New Mexico, one to Dalhart, Texas, and one to Pratt, Kansas. She is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee McConnell, of Jonesville, Va.

Drive In Several Areas Is Already Launched

IN RESEARCH WORK

CPL. WOODROW FLANARY

Tech. 5 Woodrow Flanary, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Flanary, of Jonesville, Va., has recently been transferred to headquarters, U. S. Army Forces, Pacific Ocean Area, in the Hawaiian Islands, to do research work.

He was previously with Division Headquarters of the 389th Infantry, and has been overseas for the past year. He reports that he likes his present duties better than any he has ever had, and feels that he is doing something which will really help his country.

Before entering the Army, Cpl. Flanary was a college professor, having taught at Alabama Polytechnic Institute, Auburn, Ala., and at Emory and Henry College, Emory, Va. His wife, the former Miss Anna Lee Boy, is making her home with her parents at Appalachia, Va.

Dr. Boyd and Student Group At Local Church

Dr. W. M. Boyd (colored), president of Morristown Industrial College, Morristown, Tenn., assisted by a colored young man pianist and singer, and a quartette of young women singers, had charge of the Sunday evening services at the Methodist Church last Sunday, honoring Inter-racial Day, observed once a year in all Methodist Churches.

Dr. Boyd is the successor of Dr. Heywood, former president of Morristown Industrial College, who for the past two years has been the guest speaker here on Inter-racial Sunday.

Dr. Boyd is a very eloquent speaker, and discussed in an interesting way the progress of Negro Christian Education since the emancipation of the race, and expressed deep appreciation for the helpful encouragement of the white race, and especially the church

"The problem of our race has been worked out," he said, "and a new day is coming.

"More and more a better understanding is being brought about in the South between the white and the negro.

"The education of the negro in America would be 25 years behind time were it not for the fact that the church has given him advantages he could not find elsewhere."

Dr. Boyd's entire discourse sounded the note of ambition and aspirations to better religious and educational future for his race.

The women's quartette delighted the audience with several numbers of negro spirituals.

FOOD SALE

Circle No. 2, of the W. S. C. S. (Woman's Society of Christian Service) will conduct a Food Sale at Pennington Hardware Store on Saturday, March 3, beginning at 10:00 o'clock in the morning.

They invite you to come and buy your cakes, pies, dressed chickens, fresh eggs, and other items of food.

Joseph Vincent Kelly, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Kelly, left the first of the week to begin his basic Naval training.

Quotas In Industrial Areas Now Assured

Lee County Chapter, American Red Cross, today launched its annual campaign to raise a quota of $10,000, its assigned share of the national quota of $200,000,000.

On opening day of the drive a complete organization for raising this $10,000 had been formulated by War Fund Chairman C. F. Connelly, and work will be begun in the different areas of the county, each area with a definite goal to reach, and all fully determined to exceed the quota set up for each area.

Even before opening date, most of the industrial areas, getting an early start, have either already exceeded, or are well along toward exceeding, their assigned quota. Benedict, even before opening date of the drive, reported their $1,500 quota exceeded by nearly $200.00.

Chairman Connelly asks that area chairmen and their workers get started on opening day of the drive, in order to complete the drive at the earliest date possible, and says he has no doubt of every section of the county far exceeding their goal.

From early reports the citizens of Lee County are supporting the Red Cross more liberally during this drive than any previous War Fund Drive.

Benedict In First Box Top In Red Cross Drive

The Benedict Coal Corporation and employees have an established record of succeeding in whatever they undertake, and it was thoroughly expected that they would meet their goal of $1,500 assigned the corporation and their employees in helping to raise the $10,000 quota assumed by Lee County in the Red Cross War Fund Drive, which officially begun today.

However, it came as a pleasant surprise when reports came early in the week that Benedict had already met their goal — and more. With their usual enthusiasm, as soon as War Fund organization plans were completed, and each area advised of the quota assigned them, Benedict at once got busy, and within a day or two had raised $1,600—$100 over the top.

This shows what can be done with complete cooperation. This enviable accomplishment was successful through the complete cooperation between the Local Union, U.M.W.A., and the management of Benedict Coal Corporation. Hats off to both!

All other industrial units in the county have assured Chairman Connelly that they are near their goal, and will reach or exceed their quota in the first few days of the campaign.

Cited For Good Conduct

PVT. WM. D. LIPPS

The commanding officer of the Second Infantry Division has awarded the Combat Infantryman Badge for superior conduct in action against the enemy in France and Germany to Pvt. William D. Lipps, 37, son of George M. Lipps, of Duffield, Va., Route 1.

Pvt. Lipps has been in the service two years. Before entering the Army he was employed at Charles J. Lyons, Carmel, Ind.

Local Man's Battalion Awarded Gulf Citation

With the Fifth Army, Italy.—Pfc. Thomas M. Cobb, son of Mrs. Grace Cobb, Ben Hur, Va., is a member of the Second Battalion, 168th "Rainbow" Regiment, recently awarded a Distinguished Service Citation. The award was formally presented to the battalion near Fifth Army front lines in Italy by Lieutenant General Mark W. Clark, commander-in-chief of the 15th Army Group.

The outfit, part of the 34th "Red Bull" Division, is currently sparring for an opening into the Po Valley.

The battalion was cited for having seized a hill dominating Cervaro, capturing the town, taking hills to the west, dominating German positions on Mt. Theechio, and repelling powerful German counterattacks mounted during an eight-day period.

The first hill was taken in a night attack and held against determined counterthrusts. Cervaro itself fell after a day-long running battle in which heavy casualties were sustained by the 2nd Battalion. Its depleted strength fought doggedly for the hills to the west.

A fresh battalion of the Herman Goering Division was thrown in to make a series of counter moves, but was awarded off. in each attempt to recapture the strategically important hill positions.

"While comparable units engaged in the operations were either delayed or were unable to reach their objectives," the citation stated, "the officers and men of the 2nd Battalion, 168th Infantry Regiment, successfully accomplished each mission with fighting aggressiveness, courage and devotion to duty, in a manner exemplary of the heroic traditions of the armed forces."

Pvt. Lipps Wins Right To Boots and Wings

Fort Benning, Ga.—Pvt. Ralph E. Lipps, son of Sam L. Lipps, of Ben Hur, Va., has won the right to wear "Boots and Wings" of the United States Army Paratroopers. He has completed four weeks of jump training, during which he made five jumps, the last a tactical jump at night involving a combat problem on landing.

Jumping at The Parachute School has been steadily developed to recognized war science. American paratroopers have been recognized throughout the world for their meritorious actions against the enemy.

In addition to producing jumpers, Parachute Specialist Training is given to qualified men in Communications, Demolition, Riggers and Parachute Maintenance, vital skills for Airborne Troops.

Wings - Commission For St. Charles Serviceman

Among the young men to receive their silver bombardier wings in the first graduation exercises of 1945 at the Central Flying Training Navigato.- School at Childress, Texas, was LeRoy E. Stapleton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Stapleton, of St. Charles. He graduated from the school January 20, with a commission as second lieutenant.

The newly-commissioned officers from this school have completed a thorough course of instruction in dead-reckoning navigation. Thus they will be capable of guiding big bombers over vast areas to enemy targets.

Additional training in aerial gunnery, aerial reconnaisance, photography, camouflage, and enemy aircraft identity, gives the graduates other talents to make them versatile members of the AAF's hard-hitting air crews. Now joining the greatest team in the world, these men will soon be shouting "Bombs away" over every battlefield in the world.

Thinking Of Us On New Year's Eve

Our boys on the battle fronts think of us at home, just the same as we of them. The following comes from a Lee County soldier in Belgium:

Mr. Sam Blackwell, Editor,
The Powell Valley News,
Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Dear Mr. Blackwell:

Probably you will be surprised to hear from me. I am Pvt. Thomas Sword, of Lee County. I have been receiving The Powell Valley News regularly until the last three or four months, and just about five minutes ago received a September issue, and was so glad to get it.

Belgium is not a bad place to be. I like it better than France or Holland. Well, this is New Year's Eve, and I am thinking of the people back home in Lee County, hoping all are well and enjoying themselves. I'm hoping to soon be coming back to be with you people.

Will say so long, now, and please keep The Powell Valley News coming.

Pvt. Thomas Sword,
Somewhere in Belgium.

In Group Awarded Department Citation

With the Twelfth Air Force.—Cpl. George E. Elkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Elkins, of Jonesville, Va., has recently been assigned to a veteran Troop Carrier Group of the Twelfth Air Force.

The organization, affectionately called "Cerny's Circus" after its colorful commanding officer, Colonel John Cerny, of Harrison, Idaho, has served overseas for more than 28 months.

For distinguished service in the China-Burma-India Theater of Operations, Elkins' group has been awarded the War Department Unit Citation. His group has also given outstanding performances in the invasions of North Africa, Sicily, Italy, and Southern France.

Before joining the Army Air Forces, Cpl. Elkins was employed by Pet Dairies, Big Stone Gap, Va. He is a ggraduate of Blackwater High School.

Former St. Charles Postmaster In Hawaii

Petty Officer (second class) Oswald M. Hall, who has been stationed in New York City at the Fleet Post Office, for the past year, is now in Hawaii. He had a pleasant surprise last week when Sgt. Clay Hale, with whom he had worked in the postoffice at St. Charles, came to see him at his base. Sgt. Hale has been overseas for the past two years, so naturally, they had quite a lot of home town gossip to catch up on.

To offset this pleasant surprise, there was the disappointment of not being able to visit with Petty Officer (first class) Lewis Tritt, of Woodway, who called that afternoon to say "hello" and "good-bye", as he was leaving. P.O. Tritt is a cousin by marriage and has been in Hawaii for the past eight months.

P.O. Hall has been very fortunate in meeting old friends away from home. During his last week in New York, he had a pleasant reunion with Ensign Forrest Orr, and on his last night there, he met Seaman Herman Britt, of St. Charles, walking down Broadway. He left the next day for San Francisco, and while walking down the street his first night there, he met Junior Foley, of Bonny Blue. Since his arrival in Hawaii, P.O. Hall has also met another St. Charles boy, whom he did not name.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 9th day of February, 1945.

H. Virgil Payne.....Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Mable Nordan Payne ..Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a Mensa et thoro. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Mable Nordan Payne, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address is Selma, North Carolina, it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

TESTE:

D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D. C.
p. q. Guy A. Kauffman.
Adv. No. 7-4t.

Jonesville Soldier Is Promoted to Sergeant

An Eighth Air Force Bomber Station, England. — Recently assigned to the 381st Bomb Group, with which he will fly combat against German targets on the Continent, Charles L. Boatwright, of Jonesville, Va., has been promoted from corporal to sergeant.

The 18-year-old airman is tail gunner of a B-17 Flying Fortress crew. He enlisted in the Army Air Forces last March 6th, won his gunner's wings August 20 at Kingman, Ariz., and arrived in England January 8 for squadron assignment.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Boatwright, of Jonesville, Sgt. Boatwright is a 1943 gradiate of Pennington High School, where he won his first-string letter in football. He was a student at Hiwassee College upon entering the service.

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PULPWOOD CUTTERS GIVEN TOP 'WAR WORKER' DEFERMENT IN DRAFT

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—The War Manpower Commission today issued a revised list of *critical* occupations for which Selective Service Boards may grant draft deferment. This new list raises *"the cutting of pulpwood"* as well as the *"production of pulp made from pulpwood and other substances"* from a merely "essential" to a "critical" rating.

WHAT THIS MEANS TO PULPWOOD CUTTERS

- If you are of draft age (26 or over) you may be deferred until all available men in both "essential" and non-essential occupations are inducted.
- If you are now cutting pulpwood and have been deferred *stick to your job full-time.*
- If you are now in a merely "essential" occupation and want to get into "critical" pulpwood production, *do so at once.* Then apply to your draft board for deferment.

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News From
HAGAN

(For Week of February 22)

Rev. and Mrs. Floyd Young and Mr. and Mrs. Brownie Wilder, of Middlesboro, Ky., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bay Cheek, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Depew and family, of Hubbard Springs, visited Mr. and Mrs. Steve Langley here Sunday.

Miss Betty Ingle spent Sunday with Misses Ruby and Ruth Ely.

John Farmer spent the week-end with relatives at Harlan, Ky.

Henry Irvin, who is employed at Oak Ridge, spent the week-end with his family here.

Miss Verna Langley spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Homer Depew, Hubbard Springs.

Andy and Will Ingle visited friends at Rose Hill, Wednesday.

Mrs. Joe Fee was a business visitor in Harlan, Ky., Saturday.

In January, Colorado distributed $3,600,00 to 41,000 persons on its old-age pension rolls.

Farm production increased 21 per cent from 1921 to 1944.

News From
JONESVILLE

Route Two

(For Week of February 22)

Pvt. Henry C. Quinley spent a few days last week with his parents here. He is at Clemson College in the A.C.E.R.

Wm. J. Quinley, A.M.M. 3-C., who recently completed Naval Air Gunnery School, is now somewhere in the South Pacific.

Mrs. Carson Ringley and daughter, Myrtle, who have been visiting her mother, Mrs. Alice Crutchfield, at Portsmouth, Va., have returned home.

Mrs. A. P. Pennington, who has been very sick, is slowly improving.

Mrs. Lizzie Quinley spent several days recently with her son, Ray, in Washington, D. C.

Henry Yeary is very sick at this writing.

Friends of O. T. Snodgrass are sorry to learn that he has lost two fine horses this week.

News From
BLACKWATER

(For Week of February 22)

Willie McPherson, of the U. S. Navy, is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Asbury McPherson.

Misses Mary Ruth and Esther Osborne, students of L. M. U., spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Osborne.

Marcell Livingstone, with the U. S. Navy, somewhere overseas, has been awarded the Purple Heart.

Misses Nell and Grace Anderson, of Knoxville, Tenn., visited their parents here recently.

Word has been received that Pfc. Ernest Livesay is somewhere in the Philippine Islands.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Johnson and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hagan Carter.

Misses Ruth and Nell Livesay, of Kingsport, Tenn., spent the week-end with their parents here.

Mrs. J. L. Perry has received word that her nephew, Pvt. Ralph E. Johnson, of the U. S. Army, has landed safely somewhere overseas.

Miss Pauline Delph spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Marion Livesay.

Several from here attended the funeral of Mrs. Emily Wallen last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Simpson Baker and daughter visited Mrs. John Russell and children, Sunday.

Crockett Osborne, who is employed at Knoxville, Tenn., spent the week-end at his home here.

News From
MILLER'S CHAPEL

(For Week of February 22)

Miss Cleo Quesenberry entertained a group of her friends with a hamburger fry at her home Friday night. Those present were: Reeda and Fred Terry, Lucille and Carl Sexton, Bradley and Omar Miles, Zulla, Bernice and Reeda Quesenberry, Sallie Bea and Delores Johnson, Mrs. Jack Childers, Gleese Williams, Henry DeValt, Melba and Mack Shelton, and Dan Wells, of Ben Hur. All report a good time.

Misses Jean and Nadine Davis visited their sister, Mrs. Jack Thompson, of Osaka, Sunday.

Mrs. Flora Shelton and daughters, Joyce and Joanne, visited Mrs. Howard Williams, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Shackleford, of Benedict, visited Mr. and Mrs. Rhea Hall, Sunday.

News From
BENEDICT

(For Week of February 22)

Mrs. George Turner, of Ohio, visited friends and relatives here last week.

Mrs. Cline Perry and daughter, of Pennington Gap, visited here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Roberts and family, of Pennington, were week-end visitors here.

Mrs. Bessie Noe and children, and Mrs. Beulah Terry, of Ben Hur, visited friends here Friday.

Sgt. Floyd Kennedy, of the U. S. Army, spent last week here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Kennedy, and family.

Mrs. Pearl Thompson and Mrs. Charlie Lawson spent Friday in Monarch.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thompson and daughter, Eva, of Dunbar, visited here last week.

Maynard Thompson, of Toms Creek, was here over the week-end.

Earl Tackett and son, of Big Stone Gap, and Rev. Bascom Dickinson and father, of Wise County, attended church services here Saturday night.

Elmer Scarborough and daughters, Rose Evelyn and Erma Jean, visited in Tennessee last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Katron spent the week-end with relatives in Bonny Blue.

Among the out-of-town visitors here last week were Mr. and Mrs. Willie Davis, of Oliver Springs, Tenn.

News From
OSCONITA

(For Week of February 22)

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Fleenor, Mr. and Mrs. Milford Fleenor and O. J. Fleenor, who are employed at Knoxville, Tenn., were visiting home folk over the week-end.

Rev. Kester Greene filled his regular appointment here Sunday afternoon.

Pfc. Legette Oaks, who recently returned from the Pacific area, has gone to Miami Beach, Fla., for a rest period and reassignment.

Mrs. W. S. Ingle and son, Luther, and daughter, Betty, of Loyall, Ky., were visiting Mrs. J. M. Oaks and other relatves here last week.

Miss Flossie Phipps, of Dryden, was visiting here Sunday.

Lester Burton, of the U. S. Navy, is spending a furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Burton.

Mrs. Willard Ledford and children were visiting friends in Pennington Gap last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Clark and family, of Pennington Gap, visited relatives here last Sunday.

Miss Bonnie Ingle is visiting relatives at Shawanee, Tenn.

Bernice Johnson, employed at Oak Ridge, Tenn., visited home folk here over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Shelburne Mullins, of Lebanon, Ohio, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Mullins and other relatives here.

Cornia Absher, of Kingsport, Tenn., visited here last week with her sister, Mrs. Blanche Fleenor, and family.

Everette Fleenor, of Dayton, Ohio, has been visiting his brothers, E. B. and C. F. Fleenor, and other relatives here.

Mrs. Clara Centers, a patient in Lee General Hospital, is improving and is expected to return to her home here soon

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TO THE BOY SCOUT MOVEMENT

"Be Prepared" has been not only our motto in Scouting, but to the Boy Scouts of America it has been the watchword that has been sounded throughout our movement during the past year as Scouters have gathered in their meetings. It has called us to a new appreciation of the things that are vital to Scouting.

Every Boy Scout is therefore urged that throughout the coming week there be a rededication to the fundamentals of Scouting. No other time has the Scout movement meant so much to so many young boys, who are being recognized all over the country as the boy who was prepared.

Scouting can be real and the boy who says "I want to be a Boy Scout" means that, but unless those responsible for that boy becoming a Scout does his or her part, the boy stops short of his goal. In all we do and in all we say of Scouting we fail to give the Scouting movement the rightful place in our homes. For better boys and for a greater year in Scouting, let us prepare ourselves so that we might give to our boys the things they need in becoming better Boy Scouts.

We have 42 boys in our troop who are going out this year for Scouting.

A new year has started—several new boys have come into our troop.

The troop meets every Tuesday night at 7:00 o'clock.

New officers will be elected at our next meeting.

Boy Scout Week was observed by our troop by wearing their uniforms.

We wish in the near future to have our troop fully uniformed and to have all the Scouting equipment.

The Boy Scout Troop 82 of Pennington Gap is planning a great year.

Fred Hilton, Scribe.

Silver Star Medal For Jonesville Serviceman

With the 45th Division of the Seventh Army, France.—In recognition of his gallantry in action near Aprilia, Italy, Sgt. James E. Diffenderfer, of Jonesville, Va., an infantryman of the 179th Infantry Regiment, has been awarded the Silver Star Medal by the commanding general of the 45th Division.

Sgt. Diffenderfer is the son of Mrs. Elizabeth Diffenderfer, of Route 2, Jonesville.

The citation authorizing the high award reads as follows:

". . . . for gallantry in action during the period 14 to 17 February, 1944, near Aprilia, Italy. As forward observer for his regiment, Sgt. Diffenderfer occupied a forward post affording observation over routes of approach used by the enemy in launching an all-out attack for the reduction of the Anzio beachhead. On 15 February the enemy attempted to eleminate this observation by bombing the position and on the following days harassed the area with continuous artillery and mortar fire.

"Although painfully wounded in the initial bombing, Sgt. Diffenderfer remained at his post during this critical period and continually furnished vital information of enemy movements. Not until 17 February, after three days of continuous duty, did he leave his post to receive medical attention. Sgt. Diffenderfer's gallant conduct and devotion to duty reflect high credit upon himself and his organization."

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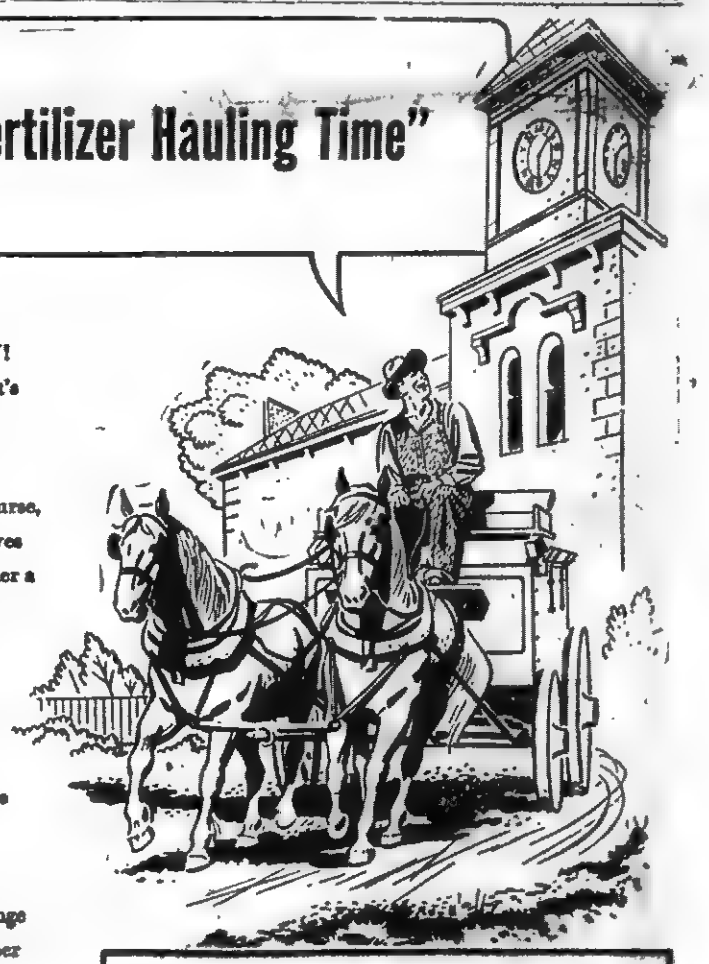

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Give it a little thought, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Countian, and let your heart write your check.

National Farm Loan Assn. Elects Officers

J. M. Weston, of Jonesville, was elected president, and P. C. James, of Jonesville, vice president, of the Lee County National Farm Loan Association, at a meeting of the board of directors held February 14, in Jonesville. Other members of the board are M. Wheeler Kesterson, Ewing; W. W. Jessee, Dryden; and R. S. Banner, Jonesville.

Frank E. Stewart, of Clinchport, is secretary-treasurer of the Lee County National Farm Loan Association and the Appalachia Production Credit Association, farm credit cooperative organizations, serving long-term and short-term credit needs of farmers in this locality. Association offices are in Big Stone Gap, with a field office in the postoffice building in Jonesville, open on Wednesdays.

Mr. Weston and J. N. Parkey, of Gibson Station, are members of the board of directors of the Appalachia Production Credit Association.

Flatwood Bows Out Of Top Spot In Cage Loop

Top Games Of Week Coming Up At Keokee And At St. Charles

The previously predicted upset of the first place Flatwood boys' team of the Lee County Conference came true over last weekend, when Coach "Salty" Foster's Pennington High Tommies threw them for a 38 to 21 loss at Pennington Gap in their second encounter of the year, the Flatwood lads having won the first one easily on their home court a few weeks ago.

This finally cracked the three-months-old tie between Flatwood, Jonesville and St. Charles for top place in their league, leaving St. Charles and Jonesville now to fight it out to decide who shall finally lay undisputed claim to the highly coveted throne.

The glitteirng rays of victory shone brightly at Pennington in their double affray with Flatwood, the PHS girls also winning their contest over the visiting Flatwood lassies 26 to 12, with Stanley leading the basket offensive for the winners with 16 points. Fletcher and Wynn scored six points each for the losers.

In the boys' triumph, Pete Williamson led Pennington to victory with 16 points, followed by Myers with 9 and Copeland with 8, the latter also playing an excellent defensive game.

The highly touted Keokee girls kept their three-year victory record clear by adding their 52nd consecutive win to a magnificent winning streak by defeating the second place St. Charles girls 43 to 27 on their home court at Keokee. Calton boosted her high scoring record with 19 points Arnett followed with 14, while Thomas looped 9. Theda Parsons kept in the first bracket race for high scoring honors of the league by scoring 21 points for St. Charles.

The Keokee boys, however, were unable to keep up their winning streak that had lasted over the past several weeks. They bowed to the St. Charles boys by the count of 45 to 29. Williams led the St. Charles basket parade with 16 points, followed by Kirk with 11. Hensley led Keokee with 12; Duncan looped 6.

Jonesville split with Blackwater, the Capitol Hill boys winning 45 to 17 to retain their claim on first place in the league, with the Jonesville girls being edged into the losing column by a close margin of 27 to 29.

The Dryden - Thomas Walker games were cancelled in favor of a journey to Lincoln Memorial University at Harrogate, Tenn., when the Thomas Walker teams entered the tri-state cage tournament. Jonesville and Flatwood also entered the tournament.

The top games of this week will be the encounter at St. Charles Friday night, when Foster's Pennington Gap boys will try for an upset of the league-leading St. Charles lads, as they did to Flatwood the past week. The Jonesville teams' visit to Keokee may produce an upset either way—the Jonesville girls, who almost upset the Keokee girls' applecart at Jonesville the last time they met, may succeed this time, while the Keokee boys are capable of bumping the Jonesville boys out of their first place standing.

Other games scheduled take Dryden to Flatwood and Thomas Walker to Blackwater.

THE OFFICIAL STANDING

Boys	W	L	Pct.
Jonesville	9	1	.900
St. Charles	9	1	.900
Flatwood	8	2	.800
Pennington	6	4	.600
Keokee	4	6	.400
Thomas Walker	2	7	.222
Blackwater	1	9	.100
Dryden	0	9	.000

Girls	W	L	Pct.
Keokee	9	0	1.000
St. Charles	8	2	.800
Thomas Walker	4	4	.500
Pennington	4	5	.445
Dryden	4	5	.445
Jonesville	4	6	.400
Blackwater	3	7	.300
Flatwood	1	8	.111

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L.M.U. Plans Summer Session; Starts June 6

The Summer Session of Lincoln Memorial University will begin Wednesday, June 6th, and end August 25th. The session will be divided into three periods of one month each: June 6 to 30; July 2 to 28; and June 28 to August 25.

Headed as director is Dr. T. A. Frick, dean of L.M.U., and with him is an excellent faculty drawn from the regular faculty and including Prof. LeRoy Johnson, chemistry; Prof. Herbert Y. Livesay, social science; Miss Jane Lotspeich, history; Miss Ellen Massingill, mathematics; Miss Lena Saine, French; Miss Mae Walker, typewriting; and Dr. Boyd A. Wise, English.

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C. & P. Telephone Co. Elects Officers

Lloyd B. Wilson was reelected president of the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company of Virginia by the board of directors at the regular monthly meeting held February 23.

Other officers reelected were Robert C. McCann and John A. Remon, vice president; Charles A. Robinson, vice president, secretary and treasurer; Ralph A. Van Orsdel, vice president and general counsel; Franklin A. Kenworthy, vice president and comptroller; Arthur L. Lambdin, vice president and general manager; R. W. Michie, auditor; G. I. Berkeley and Ivan C. Blickenstaff, assistant general managers; A. P. Gompf, chief engineer; A. W. Harrison, general commercial manager; V. B. Fitzpatrick, general plant manager; and William G. Morrell, general traffic manager.

TOWN TALK

(Continued from page 1)

gaining his intermediate grade certificate of the L. C. N., in pianoforte playing with first class honors.

"Credit is due Sgt. Hackney, as he has only received tutoring for a period of four months. Sgt. Hackney was complimented by the examiner, Phillip Dore, M.A., Mus. Bac., for his fine performance."

Sgt. Hackney is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hackney, of Pennington Gap. His wife resides at Tazewell, Tenn.

Wallace Stewart Grows Up

Events are happening fast to Wallace Stewart, employee of Lee Drug Company.

Wallace became 18 years of age on the 18th day of February, and on that day he registered with Local Board No. 2. Furthermore, on that night he was given a birthday party at Pennington Hotel by his sister, Miss Emmalou Stewart, and Mrs. Lewanna Hedrick. A large crowd of young folks were present, all report a wonderfully good time, and Wallace received lats of nice gifts.

Hero In Fire Catastrophe

Charles Rhea Seals, five-year-son of Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Seals, who live just across Skaggs Hill on Route 2, Pennington Gap, saved himself and two-year-old brother from the flames which completely destroyed the home Monday.

Charles Rhea, crippled and only recently beginning to walk by means of a brace, seized the baby and drugged him along to safety as soon as the flames were discovered, although the baby suffered minor burns before the two reached the open.

The father was at work and the mother had gone to the store for groceries.

Lucky Or Otherwise?

Greenberry Roberts, better known as "Porkey", is in Lee General Hospital, and his greatest problem is deciding whether or not the 16 years of his life have been lucky or unlucky. He's unlucky, he says, to have met with seven serious accidents during those 16 years, and lucky that through them all he has "come up smiling". In relating the accidents, Porkey says his closest call was when he came so near drowning that the pulmotor and artificial respiration were used to revive him.

Just now he is suffering a broken leg, deep gash in the head, and severe bruises, from being hit by an automobile last Sunday evening. He said he was in a hurry to get across the street to tell his mother something and "plum forgot" to watch for cars, running directly in front of one.

He is the son of Mrs. Hubert Leach.

Mr. Beeler Much Improved

News comes from the University Hospital at Charlottesville that R. E. Beeler, Sr., who has been a patient there for the last several weeks, is much improved and hopes to be coming home soon.

"Starkle, starkle, little twink,
Who the heck I are, you think?
I'm not under the affluence of incohol,
Although some thinkle peep I am;
I fool so feelish I don't know Who is me.
The drunker I sit here the longer I be!

Who's Been Spooning?

Steve Rasnic, of Oak Hill, was out in the field grubbing some sprouts and preparing his ground for planting when he saw something bright in a bunch of broom sedge. He picked it up; it was a stainless steel spoon, and on the handle were the letters "U. S." Where did it come from, is the question

Staff Sgt. Carl Green, who has just finished a four-year stretch in service with the U. S. Army in the far Pacific area, is at home for a 30-day furlough, visiting his mother, Mrs. Ellen Green, at St. Charles, also other relatives and friends. He is spending a few days in Kingsport, Tenn., at this time

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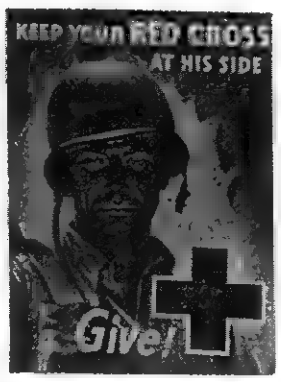

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Staff Sgt. Carroll Takes A Vacation

Staff Sgt. Wm. E. ("Billy") Carroll, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Carroll, of Pennington Gap, recently enjoyed a "recess" from aerial warfare at the Air Service Command Rest Center, an English seaside resort hotel where America's airmen who provide areial cover for the advancing Allied armies in Germany may relax between missions.

Here Sgt. Carroll lounged in the restful vacationland hostelry and was provided with every type of recreational facility. American atmosphere and all the touches of "home" are provided by the American Red Cross, copartners with the Air Service Command in the operation of the rest center. After seven days he went back to his combat station ready to play his part once again in the air battle supporting the Allied march across Germany.

Staff Sgt. Carroll has completed 22 missions over Nazi-dominated Europe. Before entering the Army he was employed as turret specialist by the Engineering and Research Corporation. He is a graduate of Pennington High School.

To Receive Bronze Star Medal Posthumously

Mr. James M. Flanary, who resides on Route 3, Jonesville, Va., is to receive the Bronze Star Medal awarded posthumously to his son. Announcement of the award was made by Brigadier General Don E. Scott, Commanding General, Virginia District, Third Service Command.

He is the father of Pfc. Ballard S. Flanary, who was killed in action while serving with the Second Infantry Division.

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To Whom It May Concern

By

W. I. Jones

ROSES TOO

Much is said about raising food. The war is on, as everyone knows, and all of us must eat. Also, we must feed millions of people in other lands. Every potato and tomato possible should be grown. We will need bread with butter on it and some bacon in the turnip greens. Maybe the tennis courts and fence corners should be cultivated. All this food growing is well and good.

"But "Man shall not live on bread alone". So what about roses, too?

Roses will grow along fences and corners where food cannot be planted. So do hollyhocks, sennias and cosmos. Now is the time to plan a yard of flowers.

These are days when hearts are sad. This tired old world needs all the cheer it can get. We don't need to live in a palace to grow flowers. They are just as beautiful in the yard of a cabin. It simply takes a little work and a love for flowers.

So, along with the cabbage and potatoes, let's grow some roses. Somebody will appreciate them.

Residential Property Changes Hands

The pretty seven-room residence located on South Morgan Street, just across from Pennington High School, and which for the past 13 years has been owned and occupied by Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hall, has been sold to Dr. D. E. McDaniel, prominent Pennington Gap dentist.

The Halls will move out and the McDaniel family in about the first of April, it is announced.

1945 Auto License Plates Will Go On Sale March 15

Virginia, along with forty-one other States, will use but one auto license plate for the year 1945, and that plate will be white, with blue-black numerals.

Virginia's new tags, which go on sale March 15th, and which must be placed on the rear of all cars no later than April 15th, will not have the name of the State abbreviated, but will have on them "19 Virginia 45".

March 31st is the actual expiration date of the 1944 license tag, and on this same day license tags will also expire in eleven other States and the District of Columbia.

Six States, including Virginia, will have white license plates this year with black numerals. These, in addition to Virginia, are Arizona, Iowa, Kansas, New Hampshire, and Wyoming.

Congress has authorized a $1,500,000,000 post-war project for rehabilitation of the nation's highway system and $100,000,000 has already been released for the purpose of making surveys to determine actual needs in each State.

CANNING SUGAR ALLOTMENT CUT

The allotment for sugar for home canning has been cut, the United Press Washington bureau announced February 21.

For the 1945 canning season, housewives will be able to obtain a maximum of 20 pounds for each member of the family up to eight, instead of last year's 25 pounds with no limit on the number receiving the allowance. And unlike last year, when five pounds of the 25-pound maximum for each member of the family could be obtained by merely presenting Sugar Stamp No. 40, all allotments must be obtained from local rationing boards.

This year 700,000 tons of sugar will be available for home canning, and the tightening up is intended to limit consumption to that amount, the press item stated, and quoted Price Administrator Chester Bowles as saying that sugar stocks for this time of year are the lowest since the war began, with Cuban production down from a year ago, plus a shipping shortage for bringing supplies into this country.

OPA district offices will announce when issuance of coupons for 1945 canning sugar will begin and end in each area. No application will be accepted in any area after October 31.

Farmers Requested To Burn Brush Early

Farmers and others planning on burning brush, new ground or other debris are urged to do so as early in March as possible, in an appeal released today by State Forester George W. Dean. "Burning and general clean-up which is done during the cold, wet winter weather while the ground is too wet to plow is good management as well as good fire prevention," the State Forester said.

It is unlawful, according to the State official, to burn brush, trash, sedge or other debris until after 4:00 p. m. daily during March, April, and the first fifteen days of May. These are the worst forest fire months of the year and every precaution must be used to avoid destructive blazes. In view of the scarcity of men to fight fires, tremendous destruction to Virginia forests may occur this spring unless fires can be prevented.

In the spring of 1939, the year previous to the enactment of the delayed brush burning legislation by the General Assembly and its adoption by counties, brush, sedge and debris fires caused 576 forest fires which burned an area of 25,632 acres, as compared with 1944, when there occurred from brush burning only 297 fires which burned over an estimated 5,438 acres. Fires caused by brush burning are particularly destructive, since most fires escaping from this origin do so on dry, windy spring days when a fire burns hot and fast. It is during this period while the sap is up in the trees that fires are most destructive. At this period of the year large quantities of potential game are destroyed through the destruction of eggs, and young birds and animals too small to escape the flames.

During 1944 in Lee County, there were 40 forest fires, which burned over a territory of more than 1,400 acres.

The State Forester appealed to all brush burners to follow the ABC's of prevention, which are as follows:

Build Fire Break. Rake or plow a clean strip wide enough to hold fire.

Have Tools and Help. Have rakes and water ready. Call in your neighbors to help control fire.

Burn After 4:00 P. M. when calm. Burn down hill and against air currents.

Put Smoldering Fires Out. Drown with water. Cover with earth. Be sure every spark is OUT.

Referendum Election To Be Held March 6

On March 6 a Constitutional Convention referendum will be held. On that day the people of Virginia, who are here at home, will decide whether or not over two hundred thousand of their fellow citizens, away from home, fighting on the far-flung battlefields of the world, will be given the right and privilege to vote for the state and local officers who will administer the affairs of the government they are sacrificing so much to preserve.

Federal legislation has been enacted which permits them to vote in national elections, but a constitutional amendment is necessary to provide similar privileges in State and local elections.

The fact that a much larger percentage of those in the armed forces from Virginia, who received ballots, voted in the presidential elections, than those at home who were eligible to vote and did not, is conclusive evidence that our soldiers want to participate in elections while [illegible] their homes in the armed forces.

Jonesville Girls Help To Operate College For Day

Barbourville, Ky.—The Misses Nanetta Ely and Rhea Long, both of Jonesville, Va., and both sophomores at Union College, were appointed Professors of Home Economics when the college was operated by an all-student staff.

The occasion was known as "Student Self-Government Day" and was carried out to give the students the opportunity to study the inner workings of the institution by guiding it through one day's operation.

Each member of the faculty, from President Boatman down, appointed a student to take his place for the day. The Misses Ely and Long were appointed by Miss Alice Smith, Professor of Home Economics.

The students entered into the plan in a serious way, and after the day's work the opinion of the faculty was unanimous that the plan should be made part of the college's annual program.

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ANNE LEE
Latest War News
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Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tipton were in Knoxville, Tenn., Saturday.

Elizabeth Wynn, of Baltimore, Md., spent last week-end with her parents and other relatives and friends.

Seaman Donald Shell returned to duty last Saturday, after spending several days at home. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gib Shell. Seaman Shell entered the Navy December 26th, and has just completed boot training.

Irene Russell, of Knoxville, spent last week-end with her mother and other relatives.

Be sure to see "Hail The Conquering Hero", coming to Lee Theatre on Monday and Tuesday, March 12 - 13.

Lloyd Smith, Newport News, Va., visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Forester, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Rhea and son, James, and Geneva Doss visited friends in Harlan, Ky., Sunday.

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Promoted To 1st Lieutenant

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph S. Payne have received a telegram from their son, Arnold, informing them he had been promoted to first lieutenant. Lt. Payne is stationed at the Aviation Cadet Center, San Antonio, Texas. He enlisted in the Army Air Corps three years ago.

Pfc. Lionel C. Brummitt has landed safely in the Philippines, is well and enjoying himself, he writes his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Brummitt. The Brummitts lost a son, who was drowned at sea in the early stages of the war.

Miss Ella Trantham, commercity teacher at Winston-Salem, N. C., accompanied Miss Sue Olinger, also a commercial teacher at that place, to her home here last week to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Olinger, and to be with Billy before his return to U. S. Navy service.

P.O. Robert A. Carroll, stationed at Miami, Fla., is here on furlough, visiting his mother, Mrs. W. N. Carroll, who is a patient in Lee General Hospital. Mrs. Carroll is reported much improved.

Mrs. A. C. Reasor, of Big Stone Gap, was a visitor in Lee County and Pennington Gap last Friday, accompanying her husband, the popular representative of Virginia Wholesale at Appalachia.

Mrs. Claude Crowell and her fiance, Earl Castle, of Bristol, were visiting friends and relatives in town last week-end.

Tech. Sgt. Frank M. Hawks returned Friday for a furlough through March 15 from Biltmore Hospital, in Miami, Fla., where he is undergoing treatment for injuries received in combat in the European theatre of operations.

Sgt. Benjamin Sherman Keel left Monday for Washington, D. C., where he will take up his new duties at the Washington Navy Yard, after spending a 30-day furlough with home folks and friends in Pennington Gap. He has been in different hospitals since being wounded last July 29 on Saipan. He was with the Second Marine Division, which invaded Tarawa, Saipan, Tunisia and Guam. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Keel.

Mrs. Pearl Rhea and family had as their guests for dinner Friday night, Mrs. Iva Williams, Mrs. Walter Keel, and Sgt. Benjamin S. Keel, Washington, D. C.

Dinner Party
For Billy Olinger

Mrs. T. H. Olinger entertained with a dinner party at her home for her son, Billy, seaman on a minesweeper for the U. S. Navy, and who has just completed a several days' furlough at home.

Those enjoying the party were: Virginia Green, Betty Rhea Stout, Arthur Lane Livesay, Kenneth David, Pete Williamson. Also included among the guests were Misses Sue Olinger and Ella Trantham, commercial teachers at Winston-Salem, N. C., who came home to help enjoy Billy's visit.

Seaman Billy Wallin is at home on furlough. Billy has been in the Navy several months, and is now stationed in Rhode Island.

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Masons Honor
New Grand Master

Miles Lodge No. 165, A. F. & A. M., held a special meeting Tuesday night, February 27, honoring their new Grand Master, Attorney Earl C. Laningham. More than a hundred members were present.

B. H. Wainscott made the welcome address, to which Mr. Laningham replied in an appropriate speech. Other speakers were Dr. G. B. Setzler and Tyler Parsons.

Seaman J. E. Skaggs, Past Master of the Lodge, at home from the Pacific theater of operations for a 30-day furlough, presented Mr. Laningham with honorary membership of the lodge on the island where he is stationed. Refreshments were enjoyed.

Marvin D. (Douglas) Lewis, member of the Merchant Marine, today ended his long journey from the African coast to spend a 30-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. McKinley Lewis, of Pennington Gap, Route 1. Douglas says he likes the Merchant Marine, and is really there to stay for the duration, for they can't oust him because of his age like they did from the Army.

Douglas enlisted in the Army just a little too soon, and was given an honorable discharge when it was learned he was only fifteen. Now, he says, he's old enough to be where he is.

Midshipman Cadet J. C. Brooks left today to return to Kingspoint Academy at Long Island, New York, after enjoying a week-end leave here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Brooks. Cadet Brooks hopes to finish his course at Kingspoint in two more months, when he will be commissioned as naval engineer officer.

J. E. Skaggs, E.M. 1-C., is at home with his family for a 30-day furlough, after spending 24 months in the Pacific theater of operations.

Miss Brooks In New York

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Brooks are in receipt of a telegram from their daughter, Virginia Lee, a cadet student nurse of the University of Virginia Hospital, advising them that she is in New York to take her last six months of training in public health nursing.

Pvt. Ralph Turner, of Fort Knox, Ky., spent the week-end with his family here.

Miss Mary Lynn Yeary, of Jonesville, spent the week-end with her aunt, Mrs. Minnie Kilbourne.

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CROWELL — DUNCAN

A wedding of much interest took place Sunday, February 18, when Miss Mary Isobel Crowell, on Pennington Gap, became the bride of Chief Yeoman Frank Duncan, of Calvin.

The ceremony took place in the Methodist Church at 12:30 p. m., in the presence of only a few close friends and relatives. The pastor, Rev. Charlie D. Mehaffey, officiated, using the double ring ceremony.

The bride wore a dress of soldier blue, with matching accessories, and her flowers was a corsage of red rose buds. Her attendants were her sister, Miss Ernestine Crowell, and Mrs. Audrey Hensley. Immediately following the ceremony the couple left on a honeymoon trip to Eastern points.

Mrs. Duncan is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Crowell, of Pennington Gap. She is a graduate of Pennington High School and of the Southern School of Beauty Culture, Knoxville. For some time she has been employed with Joy's Beauty Shoppe in Pennington Gap.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Duncan, of Calvin. He is a graduate of Keokee High School, and attended Lexington Business College. He entered service soon after the declaration of war, and for the past 18 months has served with the crew of the U.S.S. "Alabama", his station being Seattle, Wash.

At the expiration of his 29-day furlough, he will return to his post. Mrs. Duncan will continue her work here, making her home with her parents for the duration.

First Christian Church

Sunday, March 4th: Bible School at 10:00 a. m., F. M. Smalley, Supt. Worship with communion at 10:45. Sermon subject: "Using Christian Resources".

Christian Endeavor Societies meet at 6:15 p. m. Evening worship at 7:00 o'clock, conducted by the Men's Bible Class, J. E. Sword, Leader. Theme: "Christian Men At Work".

Wednesday, March 7: Choir rehearsal at 6:30 p. m. Mid-week prayer service at 7 o'clock. Regular monthly meting of elders and deacons at 8 o'clock.

W. B. Moore, Pastor.

First Baptist Church

Sunday, March 4th: Sunday School at 9:30 a. m., A. T. Burchette, Supt. Preaching at 10:45. Sermon subject: "The Conflict Within".

Sunday evening: Preaching at 7:30 o'clock. Sermon subject: "A Complete Saviour". Special music at both services.

The Training Union meets at 6:30 p. m. Last Sunday they had an encouraging attendance of 61. Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock.

An Associational Sunday School meeting will be held at the church Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. J. C. Hockett, of the Baptist Sunday School Board, Nashville, Tenn., will be the principal speaker.

On Monday, March 19, a revival will begin, conducted by the Rev. Henry B. Anderson, pastor of Grace Baptist Church, Durham, N. C.

P. R. Stubbs, Pastor.

Pennington Methodist Church

Sunday morning, March 4th: Church School, 9:30 a. m., Clyde M. Kirk, Supt. Morning worship with communion at 10:45. Sermon subject: "Making Use of Our Religion". Special music.

Evening: Intermediate and Young Peoples' Departments meet at 6:15. Evening worship at 7:00. Theme for sermon: "Steps".

Mid-week prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

Meeting of the Board of Stewards and Wesleyan Service Guild Monday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

Charlie D. Mehaffey, Pastor.

Bonny Blue Community Church

Sunday will be observed as The Day of Compassion. A special message will feature the morning service.

Sunday School, 10:00 a. m. Morning worship at 11:00. Young people's meeting at 6:30. Evening worship at 7:30. Sermon: "By What Authority?"

The St. Charles Choral Club is scheduled to be at this chruch Sunday evening, March 11th.

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Regional Meetings, Farm Bureau Units, Wytheville

Delegates from County Farm Bureau units in Northwest Virginia will gather at the George Wythe Hotel in Wytheville on Thursday, March 5, for one of a series of regional meetings to be held in place of the annual State Convention of the Virginia Farm Bureau Federation.

No more than 50 delegates from nearby counties are expected in order that compliance with ODT regulations may be made. Among the counties expected to be represented are Bland, Carroll, Grayson, Lee, Montgomery, Pulaski, Giles, Roanoke, Russell, Scott, Tazewell, Washington, and Wythe.

The sessions are to get under way at 10:00 a. m., with a group luncheon at 12:30 p. m., and the afternoon meeting adjourning at 4:00 p. m. The meeting will open with a presentation of the State program by N. B. Deiser, Federation secretary. Robert A. Wilson, director of information, will discuss the relationship of State Farm Insurance to the Farm Bureau in Virginia, and John N. Bast, of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration, will present facts on the AAA program for the following year. R. Flake Shaw, executive secretary of the North Carolina Federation, will discuss the work of the American Bureau Federation, and Mrs. R. L. Gordon, secretary of the Associated Women of the Virginia Federation, will talk on the work of Farm Bureau Women.

In the afternoon, President G. P. Holsinger will speak, and he will be followed by E. G. Arnold, Southern Regional Director of Organization for the American Farm Bureau Federation. Discussion of organization work will be led by T. E. Starnes, director of organization, and commodity conference will follow. Special topics to be discussed will include cooperative service and livestock problems. A summary of the session will be presented by L. M. Walker, Jr., Virginia Commissioner of Agriculture.

News From
DRY BRANCH

Ralph Cox is taking his boot training at Great Lakes, Ill., and is apprentice petty officer at the present time.

Mr. and Mrs. Chilton Edens visited Mrs. Edens' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Hyden, over the week-end.

Mrs. Molly Gibson is able to be out again after a recent illness.

Mrs. Virginia Merchant and Mrs. Edith Astrop were shopping in Big Stone Gap, Tuesday.

Pfc. J. W. Cox, of the U. S. Army, has been transferred to the Armored Division, and is attending Officers' Candidate School at Fort Knox, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Holly Astrop have recently purchased the tract of land formerly owned by R. L. Grace and son, Henry Grace.

Mrs. Hatcher Parsons, of Rose Hill, formerly of Poor Valley, is very ill in Lee General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Leffey Belcher are the proud parents of a baby boy. Mrs. Belcher was formerly Miss Ora Parsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Corbitt Astrop have gotten their spring cleaning and papering done early, due to the fact that they are expecting their son, Cpl. Billy Astrop, home on furlough. He has been in service 28 months.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bailey, of Short Town, Ky., are moving back to their home in Poor Valley this week.

News From
BENEDICT

Mrs. Edna Stidham and baby, of Woodway, visited relatives here last Friday.

Mrs. Sarah Holman and daughter, June, and Miss Geneva Shoupe visited Mrs. Holman's daughter, Mrs. Frank Jent, and family, at St. Charles, last week.

Mrs. John Farley, of Jonesville, visited relatives and friends here Saturday.

Mrs. Getta McElyea, of Sneedville, Tenn., spent Saturday here with relatives.

Mrs. Lucille Hall and son, Marion Walter, visited Mrs. Bessie Noe, at Ben Hur, last week.

Miss Helen Smith, of Knoxville, is visiting Miss Melba Ingle here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Worley Dean, of Stone Creek, spent Sunday here with relatives.

Mrs. Mable Sturgill and sons, Gene Autrey and Billy, of Duffield, visited relatives here over the week-end.

Miss Dora Ferne Tipton, of Oak Ridge, was a visitor here Sunday.

The revival which has been conducted here for some time by Rev. Jones Tittle, of Kingsport, came to a close Sunday night. A baptismal service will be held in the Gap of the Mountain near Pennington Gap, Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Among those from Monarch visiting here last week were Mrs. T. P. Scarborough and Mrs. Junior Belcher and little son.

Rev. Bascom Dixon, of Wise, and Rev. Jones Tittle, of Kingsport, will be at the Benedict Church, Saturday night, March 3. Everyone invited to attend the services.

Mrs. Mable Sutton, of Baltimore, Md., visited friends and relatives here last week

Mrs. Harry Holman and baby and Miss Murble Lawson visited relatives at Big Stone Gap last week.

News From
WALLENS CREEK

Mary Lue Russell, Cor

Mr. and Mrs. James Flanary and family spent last Sunday with Mr and Mrs. C. P. Horton, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Edwards were visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Watson and son, Fred, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Russell, of Blackwater, announce the birth of a daughter, to whom has been given the name Lorene.

Roe Parkey spent last Sunday at the home of Mr and Mrs. John Seabolt

Crockett, Claude and Billy Russell spent the week-end with their grandmother, Mrs. Mary Russell, of Blackwater

Miss Mary Lue Russell celebrated her 16th birthday anniversary last Monday

Mrs Mae Ola Edwards visited Mrs Anna Lee Horton, Sunday

R. C. Watson made a business trip to Jonesville, Saturday.

Oscar Russell visited his brother, Porter Russell, last Friday night.

Rufus Russell visited his brother, H. P. Russell, last week.

If you're between 20 and 50 years of age you're needed in a WAC Hospital Unit. Go to your nearest WAC recruiting office for details.

In the 18th century, Italy led all European countries in theatrical inventiveness.

Report of Children's Home Society of Virginia

The largest number of children accepted by the Children's Home Society of Virginia in any year since 1930 was reported by Frank D. Preston, general secretary, at the annual meeting of the Society held in Richmond on Wednesday, February 21, 1945.

The report of Mr. Preston showed that 121 new children were accepted for care and that of these children 113 were under one year of age, and that only one was more than two years old. During the year 127 children who had been in care an average of two years and eleven months were released by reason of legal adoption.

Mr. Preston's report showed that the average cost of care per child was $217.95, and that while the cost per child had increased over the past few years, a larger total number of children were being cared for with the same amount of money due to the fact that improved methods of care had made it possible to decrease considerably the length of time that most children remain in care.

A total of 545 children were cared for by the Society in 1944 at a cost of $118,785.75. The Society adopted a budget totaling $127,600.00 for 1945.

Following the report of officers of the Society and the election of the new Board of Directors, a meeting of the new Board was held and the following officers were elected for 1945: President, Edmund M. Preston; vice presidents, Mrs. George Scott Shackleford, J. W. Stuart Gilchrist, and Mrs. Frederic R. Scott; treasurer, W. A. Roper; assistant treasurer, T. J. Headlee; counsel, Archibald G. Robertson, and Sam. B. Witt, Jr.; secretary, Frank D. Preston; assistant secretary, Miss Julia Ann Bishop.

L. M. Robinette and Miss Saluda Sewell, Jonesville, and Dr. G. B. Setzler, Pennington Gap; are members of the Board of Sponsors of the Society.

NOTICE

Persons having claims against the estate of J. B. Cox, deceased, are hereby notified to present same to Maxie M. Cox, Administratrix of the estate of said J. B. Cox, and all persons indebted to said estate are required to settle said indebtedness at once.

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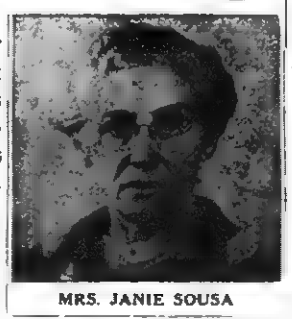

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INTEREST EARNING AND INTEREST PAYMENT MAINTAINED

★ Again in 1944, as in every year since 1907, Jefferson Standard maintained its national leadership in interest earned on invested assets. During the year 5% interest was paid on funds held in trust for policyholders and beneficiaries.

INCREASE IN ASSETS

★ Total assets are now $142,939,569 which represents an increase of $14,693,244 for 1944. For every $100 of liabilities there are $110.17 of assets.

SURPLUS FUNDS INCREASED

★ Surplus, capital, and contingency reserves total $13,200,000. This represents a high ratio of additional funds for policyholders' protection.

SUBSTANTIAL GAIN IN INSURANCE IN FORCE

★ In 1944 the insurance in force increased $40,032,074. The total is now $542,565,115 protection on more than 200,000 policyholders.

BENEFITS PAID

★ The Company paid policyholders and beneficiaries $6,377,351 in benefits in 1944. Total benefits since organization in 1907—$144,149,128.

WAR BOND PURCHASES

★ During 1944 the Jefferson Standard invested $9,640,000 in War Bonds, thus making a substantial contribution to the anti-inflation battle and toward final victory. Total U. S. Government Bond holdings—$25,237,015.

38th ANNUAL STATEMENT

FINANCIAL STATEMENT • DECEMBER 31, 1944

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
Cash	$ 3,128,207	Policy Reserves (This reserve is required by law to assure payment of policy obligations.)	$112,811,235
United States Government Bonds	25,237,015	Reserve for Policy Claims (Claims in course of settlement on which proofs have not been received.)	810,813
State, County and Municipal Bonds	4,091,192	Reserve for Taxes	642,617
All Other Bonds	12,231,105	Premiums and Interest Paid in Advance	1,619,919
Stocks (Listed securities carried at market, cost, or call value, whichever is lowest.)	8,835,827	Policy Proceeds Left With Company	10,500,746
First Mortgage Loans	62,937,355	Dividends for Policyholders	1,326,494
Real Estate	6,457,834	Reserve for All Other Liabilities	2,027,745
Loans to Our Policyholders (Secured by the cash values of policies.)	10,978,394	Liabilities	$129,739,569
Premium Loans and Liens (Secured by the cash values of policies.)	2,843,503	Contingency Reserve $2,200,000 (A fund for contingencies, depreciation on real estate and investment fluctuations.)	
Investment Income in Course of Collection	1,144,613	Capital 4,000,000	
Premiums in Course of Collection	3,195,383	Surplus Unassigned 7,000,000	
All Other Assets	157,141	Total Surplus Funds for Additional Protection of Policyholders	13,200,000
Total Admitted Assets	$142,939,569	Total	$142,939,569

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News From
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Mrs. G. W. Ball, Cor.

Route Four

Sir Robin is here,
I know it is he;
I heard him this morning
In the old spruce tree.

I saw his fair dame
With a straw in her mouth;
She chirped as if to say
"We're back from the South"

Both cheerful and happy
As robins can be,
At home to their friends
In the old spruce tree.

So here are our crumbs,
That hostess and host
May serve to their friends
On the old gate post.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Bledsoe and Mrs. Sam Keel were in Pennington, Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Roop are the proud parents of a son, born recently. We have not yet learned the baby's name.

Mrs. Sam Keel and daughter, Betty Jean, were guests of her mother, Mrs. Sallie Kinzer, and family, on Route 4 during the week-end.

J. W. Roberts was able to return to work in the mines Monday morning.

There have been only a few light cases of flu in this community as yet.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Harris and family and Miss Elizabeth Harris visited Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ball and family and Mr. and Mrs. Loren Roop, Sunday afternoon.

News From
OAK HILL

Mrs. Peggy Rash was visiting Mrs. Hiram Bledsoe, Sunday.

Miss Mary Gilley, of Stickleyville, visited Miss Katherine Minor, Sunday.

Mrs. A. P. Gillenwater spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Alma Rasnic, who is very ill.

Miss Jackie Mullins spent Monday night with Miss Mabel Gillenwater.

Mrs. Jake Lambert visited Mrs. Daner Munsey, Sunday.

Gwene Ruth, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Millard Sage, is very sick at this writing.

Mrs. Curtis Newberry visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Rasnic, Sunday.

James Earl Gillenwater has been visiting his aunt, Mrs. Dollie Head, the past week.

Special WAC Hospital Units are now being formed. Join the WAC and help the wounded at McGuire and Woodrow Wilson hospitals.

MORE YANKS FIGHTING

Eighty per cent of the fighters on the Western front are reported to be Americans.

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DEATHS AND FUNERALS

Mrs. Mary E. Holden

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Holden, of Bristol, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Mae Crowell, on West State Street, Saturday morning, February 17. Funeral services were held at the daughter's home on Monday, February 19, at 2:00 p. m., conducted by the Rev. Harry Cutz. Interment was in the Susong Cemetery.

Both Mrs. Holden and her husband, the late Edward F. Holden, were residents of Pennington Gap several years ago, and Mrs. Holden was a member of the Silver Leaf Baptist Church of Rose Hill.

Surviving Mrs. Holden are the daughter, Mrs. Mae Crowell, of Bristol; one sister, Mrs. Blanche Hale, of Red House, Ky.; and one brother, Thurman Minton, of Pennington Gap.

Irvin Gilbert

Irvin Gilbert, 58, of Dryden, died Friday, February 23, and was buried in the Gilbert Cemetery at Dryden, Sunday afternoon, February 25. Funeral services were conducted at the Dryden Methodist Church by the pastor, Rev. Joe Peebles, and Rev. Charlie D. Mehaffey, pastor of the Pennington Gap Methodist Church.

Mr. Gilbert is survived by his widow, Mrs. Emma Gilbert, of Dryden, and four sons, Tom, Willard, Charles, and Gale, the latter serving with the U. S. Army overseas.

Handling Of Price And Posting Violations Told

A step-by-step explanation of how the price panel of the local War Price and Rationing Board shall handle price and posting violations was given by representatives from the Roanoke OPA District Office at a meeting held in the office of the War Price and Rationing Board, Jonesville, Va., at 10:00 a. m., Wednesday.

The meeting was a part of a district-wide move to establish a uniform procedure for price panels in the disposition and settlement of retail violations and to bring about closer cooperation between price panels and the District Office Enforcement Division.

A major responsibility for controlling prices at the retail level rests upon the price panel, Mr. Raymond J. Boyd, field enforcement attorney, stated in opening the meting, adding that where the panel does not fully perform its duties, price violations are more prevalent.

Observing that it is now commonly accepted that the country would be in a chaotic condition without price control, and that the price line must be held at all costs, Mr. Boyd said it is necessary that the price panel understand its future responsibilities. He cautioned against the "tendency to relax in our vigilance" as victory approaches in the European theatre of war.

A general discussion of Price Panel Operating Instruction No. 1, issued by the District Director, followed Mr. Boyd's remarks. This directive sets forth the steps to be taken by the price panel in handling violations. It also outlines the part the District Office will take in enforcement surveys, drives and investigations.

Following are the chief provisions of the new procedure:

For the first non-wilful price violation: a price panel hearing, signing of a non-compliance agreement, and a written warning notice. If the violations cover a period of time, refunds where the names of purchasers are known, or $25 for each overcharge or for as many overcharges as the panel thinks proper; or where the overcharge amounts to more than $5, payment to the U. S. Treasurer. If a single overcharge of less than $5 . . . if the purchaser is known . . . refund should be made. If not, panel may demand payment of $25 or dispose of the case by compliance agreement and warning letter.

For the second non-wilful price violation: a price panel conference and demand for refunds to overcharged persons. If unknown, settlemen by payment to U. S. Treasurer of $25 for each violation, or exact amount of overcharge, whichever is greater. The seller shall again be required to sign a compliance agreement.

First offense posting violations may be disposed of by verbal agreemnt or summons before panel for instructions on posting requirements, warning letter and signing of compliance agreement. For second violation, a conference with panel, a warning letter and signing of compliance agreement. For further offenses the panel will recommend District Office action.

Wilful or flagrant price or posting violations must be referred to the District Office.

"FROM WHERE HE SITS"

Observation Of A Soldier In Belgium

Somewhere in Belgium,
January 21, 1945.

Sam C. Blackwell, Editor,
The Powell Valley News,
Pennington Gap, Va.
Dear Mr. Blackwell:

I saw a piece in your paper that was called "From Where I Sit". It was in the Town Talk column. I liked it very much, for I have made similar trips up through the mountains there on the bus. I thought I would write and tell you what you can see and hear over here.

I am in an artillery outfit, and have just come off guard. Over everything there is snow about ten inches deep. There are a lot of pine trees with snow and ice on them. They look very pretty until you get closer and see how the shrapnel has cut them up

It is a rolling country around here, with a lot of timber. In the distance you can see some small fields, now white You can also see many pines, and they have Germans in them. You can see the flash of artillery pieces as they send shell into and behind the German lines. Once in awhile you can see flares light up the horizon, and see our time shells burst above the tree tops.

And the worst of it is the German shells that you hear and see as they come toward you and burst; then you think they are trying to kill you, too.

You people keep working and praying that we can get back home and ride the bus up to the mines.

Sincerely yours,
Tech. Sgt. Edw. J. Minks.

IS HELPING BOMB AXIS

Although Staff Sgt. William A. Garrett, formerly of Ben Hur, is very busy with his job of helping to bomb Germany, he finds time to read and to appreciate the home town paper, as is evidenced by the following letter:

Italy, '45.

Editor, The Powell Valley News,
Pennington Gap, Virginia.
Dear Editor:

I just want to express our thanks for the fine paper which The Powell Valley News has grown to be. I value this paper next to my letters from home.

Over here we don't appreciate the larger papers, like the Chicago Sun or New York Times, to the extent that we do the home town paper. Keep up the good work of more news about the people of Lee County.

I have been away from Lee County for more than two years, and I'm sure it has changed a lot. At present I am on a Liberator crew that is bombing Germany.

Again, thanks from the crew and myself.

Wm. A. Garrett.

Friendship Church Completes Organizations

Friendship Church, near Jonesville, of which the Rev. E. C. Knicely is pastor, has recently completed the following organizations under the leadership of Rev. and Mrs. Knicely:

The Woman's Missionary Society was organized January 31, 1945, at the home of the Knicelys, with the following officers: President, Mrs. C. D. Cody; first vice president, Mrs. Clint Matlock; second vice president, Mrs. J. A. Rosenbaum; third vice president, Mrs. E. C. Knicely; recording secretary, Mrs. Walter Spangler; treasurer, Mrs. Frank Willis.

Girls' Auxiliary was organized February 10 at the parsonage, with Mrs. Knicely as leader; president, Mary Sumpter; secretary-treasurer, Fayle Laforce.

Royal Ambassodars was organized February 17 at the parsonage, with Rev. Knicely as leader. Ambassador-in-chief, Norris Lawson; first assitsant ambassador, Otis Cody; second assistant ambassador, Walter Ingle; scribe, Dickey Yates.

The Y.W.C.A. was organized February 24, 1945, as follows: Counselor, Mrs. Walter Spangler; president, Ada Marie McCauley; vice president, Treva Quinley; secretary, Irene Matlock; treasurer, Della McCauley. This organization will be called the Mary Headen Y.W.C.A., in honor of our only Lee County missionary, Miss Mary Headen.

The Sunbeams were organized February 5, 1945, with Mrs. Ruth Snodgrass as leader.

The W. M. S. will meet the first Wednesday of each month. The Y.W.A. will meet the last Saturday of each month. The G. A. will meet the first and third Saturdays of each Month; the Sunbeams will meet the first and third Sundays of each month.

B. T. U. was organized with the following officers: Director, Mrs. Ann Yates; president, Mrs. C. D. Cody; group leader, Mrs. Maudie Greer; Bible quiz leader, Mrs. Walter Spangler; secretary-treasurer, Ada Marie McCauley.

Junior B.T.U. organized as follows: Directors, Mrs. E. C. Knicely and Mrs. Glenn Willis; president, Faye Ledford; vice president, Louise Lawson; secretary, Norma Spangler; quiz leader, Lowell Spangler.

Sunday School every Sunday morning, and church service on the first and third Sunday mornings and nights.

Rev. Knicely is teaching a study course at the church this week, using the study book entitled "The Way Made Plain".

Mrs. Walter Spangler, Reporter.

KEEP YOUR RED CROSS AT HIS SIDE

No amount of praise is too great for the deeds rendered by YOUR RED CROSS. Mrs. Smith hadn't heard from Johnny in three months—the RED CROSS located her son. Peter was dying from loss of blood—the RED CROSS supplied the plasma that helped him live. In a prison camp Jack's spirit was all but broken—the RED CROSS helped to restore his courage. And the RED CROSS does even more than this. It gives our soldiers overseas peace of mind, for no matter how far they may be from their families, they know that should an emergency arise the RED CROSS is standing by. Could you ask for more proof of the merciful way your dollars are spent when once they are put in the hands of the RED CROSS? Mr. Smith, Mr. Jones, Mr. Miller—this is your RED CROSS. Every act of mercy they perform is made possible by your generous contributions. Surely you will help them to continue their wonderful work by giving now.

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RATION CALENDAR

PROCESSED FOODS: Blue Stamps . . . . X5, Y5 Z5, A2, B2, now valid; expire March 31. C2, D2, E2, F2, G2, now valid; expire April 28. H2, J2, K2, L2, M2, now valid; expire June 2.

MEATS AND FATS: Red Stamps . . . . Q5, R5, S5, now valid; expire March 31. T5, U5, V5, W5, X5, now valid; expire April 28. Y5, Z5, A2, B2, C2, D2, now valid; expire June 2.

SUGAR: Sugar Stamp No. 34, good for five pounds; expires Feb. 28. Sugar Stamp No. 35, good for five pounds; expires June 2.

SHOES: Airplane Stamps Nos. 1, 2 and 3 now good.

FUEL OIL: Periods 1, 2, 3, and 4 (this season), 10 gallons each. Period 5 coupon (this season) becomes good March 1.

GASOLINE: A-14 coupons valid through March 21. Your mileage rationing record must be presented to the board when applying for supplemental B and C gasoline rations.

Home Canning Sugar

Home canning sugar this year, while not as much as in 1944, should still be enough for all legitimate needs, the OPA announced this week.

Contrasted with last season's maximum allowance of 25 pounds of canning sugar per person, this year's maximum allotment will be 20 pounds per person, with no family receiving more than 160 pounds, regardless of the number of members.

There will be no stamp in Ration Book Four good for canning sugar this year, OPA pointed out, as experience proved the 1944 plan impractical. The canning sugar stamp was misused by millions, OPA added, who used the sugar thus obtained for table or baking purposes rather than canning.

The reason for tightening up, the OPA said, is that our sugar stocks at this time of year are lower than in years, while military needs are greater. Cuban production is down, and domestic production cannot be increased because of manpower and machinery shortages.

OPA explained that applications for canning sugar would have to be made through local War Price and Rationing Boards on forms provided by OPA for the purpose. Dates for receiving such applications will be announced later, as canning season nears.

The applicant will be required to state the amount of home canning she did last year, and the number of quarts she expects to can this season. The Board will then issue coupons for 1- and 5-pound purchases of canning sugar.

In making application, the housewife will attach "Spare Stamp 13" from War Ration Book Four for each member of the family named in the application, as evidence that such persons are actual holders of Book Four.

Clothing

Good news for America's millions of families in the medium- and low-income groups was OPA's announcement this week of new ceiling prices on cotton clothing manufactured under WPB's textile-priority system.

Latest step in the Joint OPA-WPB program to slash the retail clothing costs five to seven per cent, and at the same time restore lower-priced clothing to the shelves and counters of the nation's stores, the new regulations set prices back in the same brackets as each manufacturer featured from June, 1942, to June, 1943. All cotton garments covered by the new regulations will be pre-ticketed by the manufacturer with official OPA ceiling prices printed on the tickets.

There will still be varied price ranges, depending on the quality of material and workmanship, with retail prices also determined by whether the retailer bought direct from the maker or through a wholesaler.

Under the new regulations, prices for girls' school dresses will range from $1.65 to $3.45; men's shirts, $1.80 to $3.70; women's house dresses, regular sizes, $1.95 to $3.70; with extra sizes runnig to $4.10; little boys' wash suits, $1.30 to $2.70; infants' rompers, $1.05 to $2.40, and so on through a long list of essential clothing needs for all the family.

OPA explained that this new merchandise in the low and medium-price brackets should be on sale in retail stores by early summer. It cautioned all buyers to look for the official OPA ceiling price tags, and never pay more

News From
WHITE SHOALS

Folks in this community are looking forward to the revival which is scheduled to start Sunday night, March 4, at the White Shoals Church.

The women have been meeting to get the church in readiness, wax the floors, etc., while the men have been working on the road from the highway to the church.

Campbell Hopkins was given a surprise birthday dinner February 22, honoring his 69th birthday. All his children were present, and all his grandchildren but one. The guests also included the great-grandson, little Paul Snodgrass, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Snodgrass. Mr. Hopkins also enjoyed blowing out the 69 candles on the large birthday cake. This is the first time the family have all been together on his birthday, and all report a nice time.

Friends of Zeora Thomas are sorry to learn she is not feeling well.

News From
HAGAN

Mrs. Sanders Grable and children spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gill Hensley.

Homer and Will Ingle spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Martha Wolfe, at Rose Hill.

Miss Verna Langley spent the week-end with her aunt, Mrs. Martha Ely.

Mrs. Mary Watkins spent Sunday with her daughters, Mrs. Arney Ramsey and Mrs. Dorothy Gilliam, at Flatwood.

Mrs. Hack Saine and Miss Gladys Myers visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Myers, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Barker and family, of Beech Springs, visited relatives here Sunday.

Glenn Hensley is ill of pneumonia this week.

Pvt. Herman Hall, who was recently wounded in Belgium, is spending a 30-day furlough here with his parents.

News From
ROBBINS CHAPEL

Misses Lois and Virginia Ely, of Cincinnati, Ohio, were week-end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ely.

Hansford Cooney made a business trip to Marion, Va., Sunday.

Cecil Robbins, Newport News, Va., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Robbins, Jr.

Jenelle King, Bess Thomas and Misses Reeda Thomas and Anna Lee Robbins were shopping in Pennington Gap, Saturday.

Claude Ely and family and Carl Ely and family, of Dry Branch, were visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs J. M. Ely, here Sunday.

Mrs. Fern Robinson, of Ewing, spent the past few days with relatives here.

Mr and Mrs. Chester Robbins and family spent Sunday with relatives at Holmes Mill, Ky.

Mrs. Campbell, of Rose Hill, spent Sunday here with her sister, Mrs. Clint Carter.

Rosa Pennington had as her guests over the week-end the Willis children, of St. Charles.

Ralph Parsons, who was injured in a mine accident last September, is able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Moore spent the week-end at St. Charles.

IF YOU WANT OUR SOLDIERS TO HAVE A VOTE IN OUR STATE ELECTIONS . . . .

VOTE YES ON THIS QUESTION

ELECTION TUESDAY, MARCH 6, 1945

SAMPLE BALLOT

Commonwealth of Virginia

CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION BALLOT

INFORMATORY STATEMENT

The Act of the General Assembly submitting to the people the question below provides that the elector is voting for or against a convention to which will be delegated by the people only the limited power of revising and amending the Constitution to the extent that is necessary to accomplish the following purposes, and no other powers:

1. To eliminate registration and payment of poll taxes by members of the armed forces while in active service in time of war as a prerequisite to the right of said members to vote in any and all elections while in such service, but not to eliminate same with respect to any other persons.

2. To cancel and annul all poll taxes heretofore assessed or assessable against members of the armed forces for the years 1942, 1943, and 1944, and every year during all or a part of which said members were in active service in time of war, and also for the three years next preceding any such member's discharge, provided such discharge is not dishonorable, though not then in service, and to exempt said members from future assessments of poll taxes for all years, during a part of which they are hereafter engaged in such active service in time of war.

The Act also provides that the legal effect of a majority vote for a convention will be that the people will delegate to it only the foregoing powers, except that the convention will be empowered to ordain and proclaim said revisions and amendments adopted by it within the scope of said powers without submitting same to the electors for approval, but the convention will not have the power to either consider, adopt or propose any other amendments or revisions.

In the light of the foregoing information, the question to be voted on is as follows:

SHALL THERE BE A CONVENTION TO REVISE THE CONSTITUTION AND AMEND THE SAME:

☒ FOR THE CONVENTION
☐ AGAINST THE CONVENTION

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and

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with

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FIRST SHOW FRIDAY AT 11:00 A. M.

REACH OUT AND HELP THIS BOY *now*

FRIENDS—These lines are written just to remind you that the time has come for us all to pitch in and raise the 1945 WAR FUND for our American Red Cross. The money is required to enable the Red Cross to keep up for another year its magnificent work in caring for our service men and women in every part of the world, and in aiding their families here at home.

The Red Cross is supplying our boys in enemy prison camps with food, clothing and other necessities. It is securing whole blood and plasma in great quantities and flying it to the various war theaters to save the lives of the wounded. It is providing hospital workers, medical kits, beachhead canteens, first aid wherever needed, and emergency relief.

You and other members of your family probably are helping in some way with this work. So there's no need to tell you in great detail how important it is today and how it must be continued.

The President of the United States has designated March as Red Cross Month . . . the period for raising the 1945 War Fund. It is surely up to every one of us to give as generously as possible. No patriotic American will do less. Then we can feel that we're reaching out a steadying hand to the boys who are fighting and bleeding and dying to keep safe our kind of civilization.

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- NEVER THROW a burning match, cigarette, cigar or pipe tobacco in brush or grass.

CAMPERS

- DROWN your campfire, then stir and add more water before you leave.

BRUSH BURNERS

- BUILD FIRE BREAK. Rake or plow a clean strip wide enough to hold fire.
- HAVE TOOLS AND HELP. Have rakes and water ready. Call in your neighbors to help control fire.
- BURN AFTER 4:00 P. M. when calm. Burn down hill and against air currents.
- PUT SMOLDERING FIRES OUT. Drown with water. Cover with earth. Be SURE every spark is out.

An Appeal to the Citizens of Virginia

OUR FORESTS are also Fighting for Democracy. For every man sent overseas 300 board feet of lumber is required to box and crate his initial supplies—50 board feet a month thereafter. There are 1,200 different items of military and naval equipment, all or part of which are made of wood.

Wood is a critical war material. It is a vital peacetime material. We must protect our forests to provide wood for present and future military purposes and to sustain wood-using industries, vital to war and peace.

There are fewer men to watch for and fight wood-consuming forest fires. Great conflagrations may occur unless we stop fires from starting.

LET'S FIGHT FOREST FIRES THIS YEAR BY PREVENTING THEM — BY NOT BEING CARELESS.

I URGE ALL OF OUR CITIZENS TO BE MOST CAREFUL IN THE OBSERVANCE OF THE FOREST FIRE PREVENTION RULES APPROVED BY THE VIRGINIA FOREST SERVICE.

(Signed) COLGATE W. DARDEN, Jr.
Governor of Virginia

Let's Heed Our Governor's Appeal

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Town Talk

About This, That, And The Other

The first day of spring is one thing and the first spring day is another. The difference between them is sometimes as great as a month.

Family Figures

Put down on a piece of paper the number of brothers you have; double the number; add three; multiply by five; add the number of sisters; multiply the result by ten; add the number of living grandparents; and subtract 150. The right hand figure in each answer should be the number of living grandparents, the middle figure the number of sisters, and the left hand figure the number of brothers.

Romance?

Our War Price and Rationing Board received the following application for gasoline:

"I have been a widower now for six months. I have been courting so far as I could go walking or riding a mule. Someone told me about a widow close to Pennington Gap. I am sure that ten gallons of gas to make three trips will be all I need to wind up this business.

Some people might say they wanted this gas to deliver milk or something, but I want it to court on."

Jimmy Lewis Meets The "Big Three"

Seaman Jimmy Lewis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cam J. Lewis, is numbered among our youngest boys in the Navy, but he's getting just plenty of thrills out of it. Following is an excerpt from a letter recently written his parents.

"I had a most interesting trip to Russia. At Yalta we stood guard while the Big Three were having their conference. I got to see a lot of the high military

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Heavy Rainfall For February Recorded

The heaviest February rainfall recorded for several years fell in Lee County during the 28 days of the past month, according to Cam. J. Lewis, official weather observer for the U. S. Department of Agriculture. A total of 7.41 inches of rainfall was recorded by the local weather station, which is classed as heavy for this section.

St. Charles Soldier Killed in Germany

A telegram from the War Department to Mrs. Maude Sprinkle, of St. Charles, announced the death of her son, Staff Sgt. Buck R. Hale, who was killed in action in Germany, February 25, while serving with the U. S. Army.

Sgt. Hale was 24 years old, and had been in service a little more than two years. Besides his mother he is survived by two sisters, a half-sister and brother, and step-father, Clyde Sprinkle, serving in the U. S. Navy.

Court Opens, Adjourns At Jonesville Monday

Lee County Circuit Court convened at Jonesville on Monday, March 5. However, for reasons not ascertained, Judge Morton adjourned the court for this term without any cases being tried. without any cases being tried, all cases scheduled for this term being carried over to the June term of court.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Weather Bureau report for week ending March 4th, 1945, for Lee County, furnished by Cam J. Lewis, official observer:

Date February March	Temperature Highest	Temperature Lowest	Rainfall Inches
26	59	38	.00
27	65	37	.90
28	46	37	.26
1	55	31	.02
2	57	31	.00
3	59	43	.29
4	59	50	.25

Week-end Brings End To Two Prominent Men

Dr. G. W. Young Died Friday; W. E. Thompson Sunday Morning

Since our press time last week death has claimed two prominent and useful citizens of Pennington Gap. They are: Dr. G. W. Young, who died at his home Friday morning, March 2, at the age of 79; and W. E. (Elbert) Thompson, 78, who died at his home early Sunday morning, March 4.

Dr. Young was born and reared in Lee County, being the son of the late Harvey Young and Ellen Young, who lived in the Dryden community.

Dr. Young took his medical training at the University of Louisville, and has for more than thirty years been a practicing physician, most of this time residing in Pennington Gap, with offices in the Shelburne building, formerly known as the Roller building. He was a member of the Masonic Order.

Funeral services were held at the home Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, conducted by the Revs. C. D. Mehaffey and W. B. Moore. Burial followed in Cecil Cemetery.

Dr. Young is survived by his widow and the following children: G. W. Young, Jr., Sheffield, Ala.; Miss Marguerite Young, of Pennington Gap; Mrs. W. H. Thomas, of Beston Lake, N. Y.; Mrs. George Glick, of Mt. Sidney, Va.; two brothers, J. V. Young, of Dryden, and B. G. Young, Isleta, N. M.; two sisters, Mrs. W. E. Horton, Arlington, Texas, and Mrs. R. E. Mann, Hedley, Texas.

Mr. Thompson's death came as the result of a cerebral hemorrhage suffered four weeks ago. He, too, was a life-long resident of Lee County, his parents being the late B. F. Thompson and Elizabeth Thompson, of near Dryden.

He had made his home in Pennington Gap for more than 30 years, and was a civil engineer by trade.

Funeral services were held at the First Baptist Church on Tuesday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, in charge of the pastor, Rev. P. R. Stubbs, assisted by the other local pastors. Burial was in Cecil Cemetery.

Mr. Thompson is survived by his widow, Mrs. Alma Lloyd Thompson; one daughter, Mrs. Stella Grabeel, Pennington Gap; and two sons, Howard, of Pennington Gap, and Leonard, of Fremont, Ohio.

Six grandchildren, three of whom are in military service, also survive.

Lenten Lectures Being Given At St. Charles

Through the courtesy of the Methodist Church of St. Charles, a series of Lenten lectures are being held there by the Rev. George T. Welsch, rector of Christ's Episcopal Church of Big Stone Gap. The meetings are on Monday nights at 7:30 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend.

PROMOTED TO CAPTAIN

CAPT. CARL L. ARNOLD

Captain Arnold has recently been promoted to his present rank from that of first lieutenant. He has been overseas since June, 1942, and is stationed somewhere in Italy.

Captain Arnold is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Arnold, of Pennington Gap, Route 2.

IN PHILIPPINE INVASION

CPL. ALFRED LANGLEY

Cpl. Alfred Langley, who is the son of Mrs. Lucy J. Langley, of Hagan, Va., has just recently been promoted to his present rank. Before entering service he graduated from Rose Hill High School and was a senior at Cumberland College, Williamsburg, Ky.

Cpl. Langley has been in the service for 37 months, of which 34 have been spent overseas. He was with the invasion group that invaded the Philippines.

He writes that he is getting along all right, and is looking forward to the day when he can come home.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO MEET IN SPECIAL SESSION MARCH 19TH

The State-wide referendum held Tuesday, March 6, for the purpose of giving the people a chance to vote on the calling of a constitutional convention, carried by the overwhelming majority of two to one.

Governor Darden issued a call Wednesday for the Virginia General Assembly to meet in special session March 19, at Richmond, to arrange for the constitutional convention, which was voted upon as a means of removing registration and poll tax requirements for Virginians in the armed forces.

The Assembly will decide upon the number of delegates to the convention, provide for their salaries and traveling expenses, select a date for the election of delegates, and choose a date for the convention itself. The convention will probably be held in May.

Governor Darden said the Assembly session will consider and probably enact the necessary legislation to carry out the purpose of the proposed constitutional changes in advance of the convention's action.

Lee County's vote on the referendum was as follows:

	For	Against
Dixie	30	0
Bales Mill	57	0
Rose Hill	121	3
Bales Forge	8	3
Morgan's Store	21	0
Bishop's Store	7	5
North Jonesville	111	4
South Jonesville	51	4
Blackwater	28	1
Hunter's Gap	10	0
St. Charles	45	3
Manes	17	5
East Pennington	61	1
West Pennington	(No election)	
Hurst's Store	35	1
Stickleyville	38	1
Keokee	24	1
Robbins Chapel	11	6
Dryden	40	3
Seminary	104	8
Total	725	49

Majority — 680.

LOCAL BOARD No. 1 LISTS FIRST MARCH INDUCTION CALL

Selective Service Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va., lists the following registrants to fill the first induction call for March, 1945. Two other induction calls for March will follow.

Prior Jess Miller, R 1, Kyles Ford, Tenn.; Prince Ball, Gibson Station; Anderson Jess Osborne, R. 1, Jonesville; Walter Burton Parks, R 1, Ewing; Hubert Vastine Parked, R 1, Gibson Station; Billy Kenneth Leedy, R 1, Jonesville; Jack Houston Brooks, Ewing.

"SAILORS THREE" — ALL SEAMEN FIRST CLASS

Standing, Clarence Napier; left, Tunis Napier; right, Lawrence Napier.

The above sailor boys are brothers, two of them twins, and sons of Mrs. Lizzie Napier, of Pennington Gap, Route 1. All have the rating of seaman, first class.

They are: Right, Lawrence; standing, his twin brother, Clarence; left, Tunis. The twins left for service in May, 1944, and are now stationed at Camp Peary, Virginia.

Tunis entered service in October, 1943, and has been "across the pond" and return eight times, the last trip being to Guam, in the South Pacific. He is now in New York, awaiting reassignment to a ship. All three have enjoyed recent furlough visits home.

—Tunis is 27, is married to the former Miss Anna Lee Garrett, and they have a two-year-old daughter, Doris Molethea. The twins are 18 years old and single.

Former Lee Doughboy Killed in Action Jan. 13

Word has been received by Mrs. Ella Warner, of Ravenwood, Mo., that her son, Pfc. Gerald D. Warner, 21, was killed in action in Belgium January 13, 1945.

Pfc. Warner, who has been in service overseas since October of last year with the Third Army, enlisted March 30, 1943.

The parents were formerly citizens of Lee County, the father being the late O. R. Warner, of Wallens Creek, who met death in an automobile accident four years ago. The mother was formerly Miss Ella Chandler, of Lee County, and is a sister of Mrs. B. B. Wolfe, of Pennington Gap.

Besides the mother, Pfc. Warner is survived by two brothers, William and Richard Warner, of Ravenwood, Mo.

Magazine Has National Feature on V. Q. Wacks

"Newspaperman", a national journal depicting unusual feats of news correspondents from every corner of the globe, carried a feature article in its March issue on Virgil Q. Wacks, under the title "Wacks of the Lonesome Pine". The story was written by Warner Ogden, State editor of the News-Sentinel, of Knoxville, Tenn., and was released from the editorial offices of Newspaperman in Boston, Mass., to news stands throughout the nation.

The story carried a full page headline accompanied by photographs of Wacks, from St. Charles to Hollywood, one in particular showing him on a movie set in Hollywood with Gene Autry.

Mr. Ogren portrayed the story behind the many stories that Wacks had written which had attracted editors throughout America and many foreign lands. Many illustrations and comparisons were given by Ogden, among which he stated: "News of Southwest Virginia became BIG TIME, often finding its place on Page 1 throughout the nation as a result of Wacks' reporting".

PASTRY SALE

Circle No. 4, W.S.C.S. (Woman's Society of Christian Service), will hold a pastry sale, along with other items, at Pennington Hardware Store on Saturday, March 31, beginning at 10:00 a. m. Friends are invited to come and buy.

PRE-INDUCTION CALL FOR MARCH IS LISTED BY LOCAL BOARD 2

The following registrants have been selected for the first March pre-induction call by Selective Service Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, Va.:

Henderson Martin Davis, Olinger; Hubert Thomas Young, Duffield; Elmer Hale, St. Charles; Chalmer R. Bailey, Route 1, Pennington Gap; Edgar Paul Gilliam, Pennington Gap; Frank Nicely Gibson, Pennington Gap; James Gray Williams, Route 2, Pennington Gap; George Morefield, Route 1, Dryden; Robert Elro Carroll, Pennington Gap; Clyde Smith, Route 1, Pennington Gap; Arthur Grizzle, Pennington Gap; Fred Keith Wallen, Route 1, St. Charles; Charles Bascom Reeves, Route 2, Pennington Gap; Harold Litton Jessee, Route 1, Dryden; George Milton Napier, Jr., Route 1, Keokee.

Lee Couple Enjoys Birthday Dinner

Frank J. Wilson, one of our county's most progressive farmers and business men, was 80 years young on the second day of March, and Mrs. Wilson was 79 on the sixth day.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson paused in the usual busy routine of farm life to go to the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Shelburne, where a bounteous dinner was served them, including turkey and all the "trimmings".

Among the other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Wilson's son, Paul, and their granddaughter-in-law, Mrs. Frank Shelburne, whose husband is serving in the armed forces.

The P. V. N. staff join in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Wilson "many happy returns".

Card of Thanks

We desire to thank our many friends and relatives for the kindness and sympathy shown us during the illness and death of our dear wife, mother and grandmother, Mrs. Cora Rutledge, who departed from us this February 24. Also we thank the friends for the nice flowers they gave.

Mrs. C. T. Rutledge and Family.

Red Cross Fund Drive To Date Is Gratifying

PRISONER OF WAR

W. I. JONES, JR.

Word has been received by his parents that W. I. (Billy) Jones Jr., is a prisoner of war in Germany. He is the son of Capt. and Mrs. W. I. Jones, of Middlesboro, Ky., and was reported missing in action as of November 14. A letter was received by his parents on February 28th, stating that he was well and had attended church in the camp and was looking forward to coming home.

Before entering the service in December, 1942, he was a student in chemical engineering at the University of Tennessee. He was assigned to ASTP and sent to the University of Maine for six months, after which he was assigned to the 26th Division as a machine gunner. He saw service in France with the Third Army.

Capt. Jones is a veteran of the first World War and is Administrative Secretary of Lincoln Memorial University.

FINAL REPORT FOR POLIO DRIVE IN LEE COUNTY GRATIFYING

Despite Late Start Of Solicitation, $1,076.42 Has Been Contributed

The 1945 drive in Lee County to raise funds to carry on the fight against Infantile Paralysis, although getting started at almost the end of the time set for the national campaign, due to the late appointment of a director, reached a figure of more than twice the amount contributed in any previous year since the organization of the chapter.

A complete summary of contributions made to this worthy and humanitarian cause, also workers responsible for the success of the drive, as reported by County Director, Sam C. Blackwell, follows:

Pennington Gap business section; sponsor, Pennington Lions Club. Solicitors: R. G. Pugh and Charlie Berry; amount collected, $87.75: Dr. M. H. Robbins, Jack Pearce; amount collected, $129.00: Dr. J. H. Dellinger; amount, $23.00.

Pennington Boy Scout Troop: Solicitors: Jimmy Fletcher, Billy Gordon Howard, Charles Culbertson, Gentry Scroggs, Gene Phillip Reasor, and Jay Graham; amount, $16.77.

Collections made by the following girls, with thanks for the support and cooperation of Perle Stewart, manager of Lee Theatre: Blanche Grace, Eleanor Manning, Emma Province, Wilma Bowman, Charlsie Province, and Sally Manning. Amount collected, $58.31.

Miscellaneous contributions; Lee Choral Club, $2.00; Mrs. S. G. Hill, $2.00; Mrs. W. D. Harr, $1.00; Mrs. J. V. Graham, $1.00; Mrs. E. M. Moore, $2.00; Mrs. Mabel Gilbert, $3.00; T. C. Cox, $5.00.

Collections, Jonesville Boy Scout Troop. Solicitors: Glen Wells, Hastings Cook, Wallace Edens, Bobby Ely, C. R. Livesay, Billy Ray Garrett, and Jack Collins. Amount, $39.26.

St. Charles, Dillard Ball, chairman. Collections made by St. Charles Boy Scout Troop at Virginian Theatre, $109.23. Personal solicitations by Mr. Ball, $39.50.

Kemmerer Gem Coal Company, C. F. Connelly, chairman. Amount, $50.00.

Bonny Blue, Ernest Barker, chairman. Collections at Bonny

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Most Industrial Areas Have Reached Quotas But Keep Working

C. F. Connelly, chairman, Lee County Red Cross War Fund Drive, today made a very gratifying report of work done in the county since the War Fund Drive started on March 1.

Many of the industrial areas have met and even exceeded their quotas, but, eager to go the "second mile", are still working.

Benedict, the first to report, has raised $1,600, while the amount assigned them was only $1,500. V. I. C. has met their quota of $1,000 and still working. Kemmerer Gem has more than doubled their allotment, having raised $1,100 against the $500 assigned them, and are still working. Bonny Blue has raised [illegible] of their $2,000 quota, and [illegible] of raising the balance. Virginia Lee is over the top by $70, having raised $570 and only asked for $500. Calvin has met their quota of $400, and are still working. Other areas in the industrial field are well on their way toward their goal, and fully expect to raise or exceed their allotments.

Reports from the towns and rural areas in the county are incomplete, but Chairman Connelly and workers are fully confident of a complete victory in not only meeting, but far exceeding the county's part in the War Fund Drive, which is $10,000.

Activities Among Pennington Odd Fellows

The Patriarchal Militant Council was instituted at St. Charles, Va., on March 3, with 19 members present. T. P. Scarborough was elected Captain; J. M. Carroll, Lieutenant; Ellis Roberts, Ensign; Ross Collier, Clerk; and W. M. Williams, Treasurer.

There will be a District Meeting of Odd Fellows and Rebekahs at Oak Grove Lodge No. 19, Blackwater, on April 14, 1945, and a good time is expected. The program is being arranged by their committee.

ELLIS ROBERTS, D.D.G.M.

NEW SON FOR NEW FIGHTER

S. SGT. LAWRENCE MUSICK

Staff Sgt. Lawrence A. Musick, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Musick, of Pennington Gap, is serving with Gen. Patton's Third Army, in the 17th Airborne Division.

On the same day and hour that he went into action January 1st, his wife gave birth to a son at Los Angeles, Calif. The new baby bears the name McKinzie Kirk Musick.

Other members of the Musick family in service are:

Pvt. E. J. Musick, stationed at Fort Lewis, Wash. He is recovering from an accident in which he suffered a broken jaw. He writes of a recent fishing trip he enjoyed out on a bay. "Best time I have had since I went fishing at Shaffer's Ford," he said.

Cpl. Holly F. Musick, with the AAA Gun Bn., stationed on Saipan. He sends word to the editor and staff of The Powell Valley News that he enjoys the home paper, and to "keep the good work going".

Pvt. Warren G. Musick, who fought with the Airborne Divisions in Sicily, Italy, and finally Normandy, where he was wounded. He is now in a West Virginia hospital, where he has undergone his third operation.

To Whom It May Concern

By

W. I. Jones

"The Greatest Mother"

The time has come again when we are asked to give to the American Red Cross. No, not TO but THROUGH the Red Cross. Let's give—not until it hurts, but until it helps.

Today the American Red Cross is second only to the armed forces. It's ministrations reach every battlefield, every fox hole on every island and continent. With one hand, it reaches across oceans to bring comfort to the lonely, the wounded, the prisoners of war; and with the other hand it brings comfort and aid to anxious and grief-stricken parents at home anywhere in America. Shall we speak of blood plasma? Or surgical dressings? Or nurse enrollment Of nurses aides? Of recreation at home and abroad? These are but a few of the many services Red Cross is rendering in this war. These services will continue as long as there is need.

Storms and floods continue in war and peace, and Red Cross finds ways of doing its accustomed duty even though it has a war on its hands. Other regular activities are continued, including First Aid, Water Safety, Accident Prevention and a dozen other important services. Any one of these services is important enough for a national campaign for funds. Put them all together into one great, consecrated and coordinated agency and we have the American Red Cross, affectionately known as "The Greatest Mother".

Let's dig deep in our pockets and give abundantly this year. Somebody will need it Through the Red Cross.

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News From DRY BRANCH

Charles Cox, of the U. S. Marine Corps, has been promoted to private first class, according to information received here. Pfc. Cox has been in service for the past twelve months and is stationed at El Centro, Calif.

Sgt. Lester Parsons was granted a 21-day furlough in order to be with his mother, who has been very ill and who has been a patient in Lee General Hospital for some time.

Mrs. James M. Huff, of Green Hill, has been seriously ill for the past week.

Mrs. Vernell Edens, Virginia Merchant, Margaret Bailey, Edith Astrop and children were shopping in Pennington, Saturday.

Blaine Bailey, who is employed at Bailey's Creek, Ky., spent the week-end with home folk on Big Hill.

Mrs. Nettie Mae Shufflebarger was shopping in Pennington Gap last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Auburn Edens were in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leffler Belcher of Poor Valley, have christened their baby George Edward.

Mrs. A. P. Cox and son, Danny, spent Sunday with Miss Eura Cox.

Mrs. Mae Gibson and daughter, Patsy Anne, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Millard Gibson, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Ely and daughter, Geraldine, were in Pennington Gap, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Miser are visiting relatives in Coeburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. "Butch" Oakley have moved back to Dry Branch.

News From BENEDICT

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Roberts announce the birth of a daughter, Shirley Ann, on February 26, 1945.

Bill Thomas, of the U. S.Navy, accompanied by his wife and son, visited friends here last week.

S. 1-C. Thomas Smith spent last week here with friends.

Mrs. Helen Johnson, of Allison, Pa., visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Yates and family here last week.

Mrs. T. P. Scarborough, of Monarch, visited among relatives here last week.

Mrs. Bonnie Sturgill recently visited her sister, who is a nurse in Lynchburg Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Rhea Hall and daughter, of Miller's Chapel, visited friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thompson and daughter, of Dunbar, and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cheek and family, of Stone Creek, visited relatives and friends here last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Coffman, Pennington Gap, visited among friends here last week.

Friends here regretted to see Mr. and Mrs. White Wolfenbarger ahd family move from Benedict last week.

News From POOR VALLEY

Miss Jean Parsons has accepted a position and is now working in Bristol.

Mr. and Mrs. James Early are now housekeeping and live in the house where Mr. and Mrs. John Early formerly resided.

Mrs. Polly Haynes and Flora Parsons attended church services at Valley View Church, Sunday.

Mac McLemore has accepted a position as forest ranger and will be working in the lookout tower on Stone Mountain in a few days.

Mrs. Ellen Johnson has been visiting relatives at Wilhoit, Ky., and Ben Hur, Va., the past week.

Morgan, Rastus and Walter "Big Jack" Derry were trading in Pennington Gap, Saturday.

FOR SALE

By

CAM J. LEWIS
PHONE 54
Pennington Gap, Va.

The six-room home of Brown Shufflebarger Heirs, located near Baptist Church. Six rooms and bath. Price $3,500.00; $2,000.00 down, balance 6 and 12 months. Possession 30 days.

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90-Acre farm at Hagan, Va. The Isaac Napier place, facing good road; 5-room home, barn, plenty of timber and water; 60 acres of bluegrass. Possession at once—now empty. The price now $5,000.00, cash or terms.

Five acres of John Kirk's part of Skaggs land, located on top of hill near Kemp Wynn's. Price $500.00, cash or terms.

News From JONESVILLE

Mrs. G. W. Ball, Cor.

Route Four

Mrs. Georgia Tritt and small daughter are at home with her mother, Mrs. Sallie Hall.

Pete James was assessing the farmers on Route 4 last week. Mr. James informs us that his son, Tip P. James, is now serving as military police in the Philippines. His friends here will be glad to learn he is getting along fine.

Lynvil Roberts, son of J. W. Roberts, left last week to enlist in the Navy. Mr. Roberts has another son, J. P., in the Philippine Islands.

Miss Ollie Bledsoe, who has been with her brother, D. C. Bledsoe, and family, here for the past several weeks, visited homefolk on Wallens Creek over the week-end.

Mrs. J. W. Newman spent Monday night with her daughter, Mrs. Marshall Byington, and family.

Mrs. Mary Havens has purchased the store building where her brother, Loran Roop, recently closed out his mercantile business here.

The York Sunday School continues to increase in membership since the weather is better.

Rev. and Mrs. L. D. Perkins and daughter, Rebecca, visited Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ball, Sunday afternoon.

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News From EWING

Mrs. Pearlie Wolfenbarger, of Harrogate, Tenn., spent the week-end with her brother, W. F. Rowlette.

Mrs. Hazel Jones was visiting in Ewing, Saturday.

W. F. Rowlett and L. M. Rowlett were in Jonesville on business, Saturday.

Mr. Thacker remains very ill at his home here.

A week of prayer services are being conducted this week in the home of Mrs. L. D. Fugate on Monday, Mrs. R. D. Fugate on Wednesday, and Mrs. L. M. Rowlett on Friday. All the ladies are invited to attend these meetings.

A revival will begin at the First Baptist Church on Sunday, March 11. The guest speaker will be Rev. W. L. Walters, of Clintwood, Va. Everyone in the community is urged to attend. We need to go to God in prayer for our boys in service.

Ryland Grace is able to be out again after a few days' illness.

Mrs. Rufus Chadwell is ill at her home here.

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Rev. Mehaffey Discusses United China Relief

Rev. Charlie D. Mehaffey, local chairman of United China Relief, announced today that the American people sent more than $9,500,000 to the air of the people in China in 1944.

The 1944 figure represents an increase of $912,586.15 over 1943, and bring to a grand total of $24,855,341.27 the amount sent through United China Relief since its organization in 1941. Since June, 1943, United China Relief has been a member agency of the National War Fund, Inc.

Mr. Mehaffey said that the report from national U. C. R. headquarters revealed that administrative costs were the lowest in the organization's history—3.7%.

These funds, administered in China by participating agencies, make possible the successful operation of a wide variety of projects, including medical aid, orphan care, child welfare, maintenance of hospitals and schools, refugee relief, industrial cooperatives, transportation of drugs and medical supplies,and training of medical workers.

The renewed Japanese offensive in 1944 created a repetition of mass migration of refugees, as well as of schools, hospitals, orphanages and industrial cooperatives, and all available funds were drawn to help meet this new disaster.

Mr. Mehaffey quoted the following observations made by Dr. James L. McConaughy, president of U. C. R., who visited China last summer and fall:

"I wish all friends of China could have shared with me the first-hand view of what American help means to the civilians of China. Over there it is not a matter of statistics, but of actual saving of human lives and alleviation of widespread and terrible suffering. An observer cannot escape the powerful impression of how our help strengthens the strong ties of sympathy and understanding between our two peoples.

"The need for continuing and greater aid for our Chinese friends as they approach their ninth year of bitter war is obvious to all. It should also be obvious that we in turn will have need of China's friendship and cooperation in the effort to build a sane and peaceful world for the future.

"Realizing the drastic needs of China, the National War Fund allocated an additional one million dollars for emergency relief in 1944."

1945 Starts Off With Increased Marriage Rate

Records in the office of the County Court Clerk at Jonesville show that Lee County has a better start in the marriage rate this year than in the leap year of 1944, which proves one of two theories, namely: that men are better at proposing or at saying "no" than the ladies.

January, 1945, ended with ten marriage licenses issued, against that of five last year; and February with ten, against that of six last year. They are as follows:

January:

Wm. L. Hinton, 25, Tuscaloosa, Ala., and Alla Mae Stapleton, 18, Lee County.

Willard Maggard, 31, and Mabel Speers, 20, both of Keokee.

Logan Bowen, 45, and Myrtle Oxford, 19, both of Big Stone Gap.

Jessee Woodard, 35, and Gladys Hayne, 25, both of St. Charles.

Charles Junior Parks, 23, and Madge Asbury, both of St. Charles.

Leslie Evans, 55, and Mollie Morgan, 57, both of St. Charles.

Jody Benton Hounshell, 22, and Ganelle Penley, 22, both of Jonesville.

Lee Jones, 45, and Ethel Stone, 38, both of Pennington Gap.

James J. Williams, 27, and Wanda L. Hedrick, 22, both of Jonesville.

Alonzo Lambert, 28, and Eleta Gibson Huff, 22, of Pennington.

February:

Forest Osborne, 25, and Venice Scalf, 19, both of Blackwater.

H. C. Bledsoe, 21, and Carnell Lambert, 17, both of Duffield.

M. F. Collins, 54, Pennington Gap, and Antonia Wells, 35, Big Stone Gap.

Robert Bishop, 27, and Bonnie Gilliam, 21, both of Duffield.

Elbert Franklin Duncan, 24, Keokee, and Mary Isobel Crowell, 24, Pennington Gap.

Howard Kirk, 29, Jonesville, and Florence N. King, 24, Keokee

Milford Litton (col.), 17, Pennington Gap, and Ruby Sue Crockett (col.), 17, of Pennington Gap.

Winferd Dotson, 17, and Lena Belle Pennington, 19, both of Pennington Gap.

Hobert Garrett, 29, and Arleen Crusenberry, 16, both of Pennington Gap.

Luster Delph, 35, and Elizabeth Spivey, 23, both of Jonesville.

News From
ROBBINS CHAPEL

Mr. and Mrs. Fay Marcum, of Kingsport, Tenn., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clint Carter.

Nell, Jane and Ruth Carter, Chester Smith and E. I. Stewart were shopping in Bristol, Saturday.

Chester Robbins spent the week-end in Bristol.

Mrs. Hayes Parsons was shopping in Pennington Gap, Saturday.

A large number from this place attended the ball games at Keokee, Friday night.

Mrs. Coy Robbins was shopping at Slab Town, Saturday.

Everyone is invited to attend Sunday School.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Pennington, of Monarch, were guests of Mrs. Ervin Thomas, Sunday.

News From
LONG HOLLOW

Mr. and Mrs. Cornice Woliver, Billy and J. C. Woliver, Mrs. Clayton Carroll and Mrs. D. W. Haynes visited Mrs. Mary McElyea, Sunday. Mrs. McElyea is the former Miss Mary Woliver.

Mrs. Cephus Russell and children, Reta and Keith, have returned home after a three weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. Loren Roop.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Roop announce the birth of a son on Feb. 18, to whom has been given the name Dwight Stanley.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sally visited Mrs. Minnie Williams, Sunday.

Silas Witt visited his daughter, Mrs. Harve Pendergraft, and family, Sunday.

Mrs. Silas Witt visited Mr. and Mrs. Ora Cheek, of Olinger, over the week-end.

Misses Delza and Lena Haynes, of Miller's Chapel, were visiting Misses Hattie Mae and Thelma Haynes, Sunday.

Mrs. Maxie Hedricks, of Ben Hur, visited her sisters, Mrs. Dannie Clawson and Mrs. Silas Witt, last Sunday.

Pfc. Ernest Haynes has recently returned to camp after spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Haynes.

Pvt. J. W. Dowell, stationed at Camp Lee, Va., is at home on week-end leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Keiner Dowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornice Woliver visited his sister, Mrs. Mary Bollen, at Norton, Saturday. Mrs. Bollen is very ill.

Miss Hattie Mae Haynes visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Haynes, here last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Woliver and litle son, Billy Wayne, visited Mrs. Woliver's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Haynes, of Dominion, Saturday.

Mrs. Clayton Carroll visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cornice Woliver, Sunday.

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A POEM

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WHAT THIS MEANS TO PULPWOOD CUTTERS
- If you are of draft age (26 or over) you may be deferred until all available men in both "essential" and non-essential occupations are inducted.
- If you are now cutting pulpwood and have been deferred *stick to your job full-time.*
- If you are now in a merely "essential" occupation and want to get into "critical" pulpwood production, do so at once. Then apply to your draft board for deferment.

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DEATHS AND FUNERALS

Mrs. Harve Sexton

Mrs. Harve Sexton, of the Friendship community, west of Jonesville, died Wednesday, February 28, and was buried Thursday afternoon in the McClure Cemetery.

She is survived by her husband, one son, George; two daughters, Mrs. Dave Connally and Mrs. Gale Lawson; also a number of grandchildren.

Mrs. Reva Conyer

Reva Conyer (colored) wife of Shafter Conyer (colored), died at her home here last Friday, and was buried Sunday, March 4. She was 31 years of age.

Surviving are the husband and several children; also a sister, Mrs. Hattie Hamblin, and other relatives.

Baseball is not a sport, according to the laws of Missouri, New Mexico and Tennessee, while in Oklahoma it is considered a "public sport" and all who engage in it on Sunday are liable to prosecution.

Baptist Work in Southwest Virginia Recognized

The following article is written by H. W. Connelly, Director of Evangelism and Enlistment for the Virginia Baptist Board of Missions and Education. The article appeared in the March 1 issue of the Religious Herald, state organ of Virginia Baptists, and is as follows:

The week of February 11th I spent in the Powell River, Clinch Valley, Lebanon, Wise, and New Lebanon Conferences, holding some twelve conferences and preaching several times. I found a most cordial reception and keen interest in the crusade objectives.

Sunday morning I preached at the Pennington Gap church, where Brother Perry R. Stubbs is the honored pastor. He has a loyal flock who appreciate their pastor and thoroughly enjoy their new commodious building and excellent Sunday School equipment.

That night I enjoyed preaching to a splendid congregation at Appalachia, where Dr. W. L. Brock is the beloved pastor. Dr. Brock is held in high esteem by all his brethren in the great Southwest. He has done a fine work in leading his church to pay off their indebtedness.

During that Sunday afternoon it was my privilege to speak to the congregation of the Darby Baptist Church, who held their first service in the new $8,100.00 building. Several pastors took part in the service and greatly enjoyed two special numbers by a choral choir trained by Mrs. Hill, the wife of one of the superintendents of the mines. They rendered two special numbers that evidenmed unusual talent and excellent training. We also enjoyed two numbers by a male quartette.

The congregation of some 75 people have a neat and attractive building, well planned and beautifully equipped, which was erected under the guidance of Pastor Hugh Boyd, a college and seminary trained man. He is working under our Board of Missions and Education, and is doing a fine piece of Kingdom work. At the close of the service an offering was taken, amounting to $1,505.66 in cash and $40.00 in pledges to be paid the following week. This section does not need money ,but more trained leadership.

Much credit for the success of this work goes to Misses Nonie Gravett and Gladys Parker for getting it started through their Goodwill Center, sponsored by the W.M.U. of Virginia.

I enjoyed contacts and conferences with workers in the following areas—Bristol, Gate City, Big Stone ,Clintwood, Trammel, Richlands, Grundy, and Bluefield. At Richlands, Pastor Barker is planning to pay off the debt on their splendid new Building at Easter. This church was organized in 1932, and they now have a strong organization and an excellent building.

Brother Grant Gibbons is to be congratulated upon erecting a new building costing about $4,500 at Trammel. Mr. Byrd, the owner of the homes in this section, is cooperating with Brother Gibbons and the congregation in carrying through a splendid building project in that mining camp.

Brother W. L. Walters, pastor at Clintwood and worker in the Wise Association, is getting splendid cooperation from his church and the leaders of the Association. He is organizing a soul-winning band and plans to lead his people in a soul-winning effort throughout the year.

I met with a group of workers in a conference Friday afternoon in Bluefield, and spoke to a group of about fifty men in the First Baptist Church and a similar number of men and women in the College Avenue Church that night.

They are eagerly planning for definite soul winning efforts this year. The Gate City Church is offering a good salary, comfortable pastorium and a neat church building to some minister to come and be their pastor.

The Grundy congregation has $12,900 in cash to pay on a new building and is looking for a man to come as pastor to help them erect a house of worship as soon as the building ban is lifted. May each soon find God's man to lead them.

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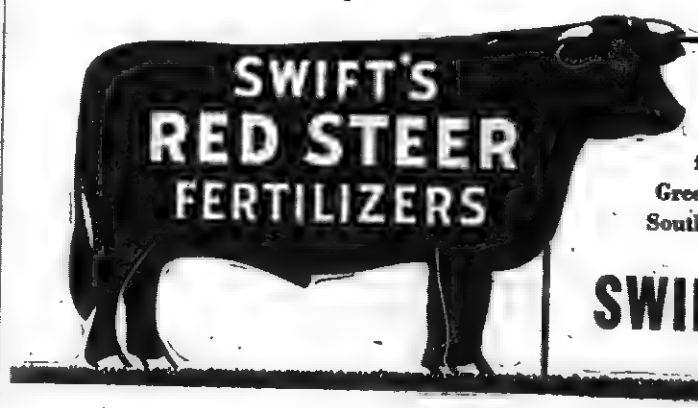

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SWIFT & COMPANY

Keokee Upsets J-ville Boys, St. Charles Leads

Flatwood, Blackwater Win Double Bills On Home Courts Friday

Another predicted upset in the boys' division of the Lee County Conference became a reality over last week-end, with Keokee nosing out Jonesville 23 to 22, and new the conference finally has an undisputed league leader.

The boys' league rocked along since early December with Flatwood, Jonesville and St. Charles trying desperately to struggle out of a three-way tie for first place, which was never done, with the exception of one week-end, when Jonesville moved into first place ,only to hav e company move back on short notice, resuming the tie.

The knotty affair began to unravel the last week-end of February, when Pennington Gap upset Flatwood, moving them out into rented property. Keokee staged a beachhead and rather unexpectedly gave Jonesville a notice to move out of the palace Friday night in an upset which befell Jonesville when Robbins looped a free goal to untie a 22-22 deadlock with only 13 seconds left to play. The winning point came on a double foul, the Jonesville player missing his chance.

Not all the fun was enjoyed by Keokee. The Jonesville girls, playing a bang-up game, came very near making the "upset attack" work both ways. The Keokee girls were able to nose them out by only four points to retain their unbeaten record for the 53rd win, by the close margin of 34 to 30.

Scoring honors in these two top notchers of the conference, and which drew the largest attendance of the year at Keokee, went to Hensley with 11 points, followed by Robbins with 5 and Duncan with 4 for the winning Keokee boys. Garrett led Jonesville with 10. Arnett again led Keokee girls with 18; Calton scored 8, Thomas 7. For Jonesville, Johnson led with 14; Bellamy and Myers looped 8 each.

St. Charles had rough sailing to finally defeat the up-and-coming Pennington boys, who are under the tutorship of "Salty" Foster, finally emerging with a 35 to 28 victory to anchor them safely and individually in first place in the boys' league for the first time. Their cellmates, Jonesville and Flatwood, who had shared this slot with them since the start of the season, departed by way of the upset route.

Pennington had the lead at the half, 19-18; St. Charles picked up to 26-20 in the third period, then retained a fairly safe lead until the final whistle Kirk led the St. Charles scoring with 9 points. Williams and Grayson followed with 8 each. Williamson and Myers led Pennington with 11 each.

The Pennington girls came near upsetting the St. Charles lassies as Theda Parsons again led the coal field sextette to a 43 to 42 victory by looping 23 points, including the final field goal that netted the necessary margin for victory. Jones followed with 14 points. Wooliver led Pennington with 20; Stanley had 16.

Flatwood made it full measure with a double win over Dryden, the boys winning by the wide margin of 49 to 14, and the girls finding their way into the win column for the second time this season with a 35 to 34 win over the hard fighting Dryden sextette. Russell led the Flatwood boys' scoring with 18 points, followed by Myers with 8. Wade led Dryden with 7. Fletcher and Wynn led the Flatwood girls with 14 points each. Reasor looped 25 for Dryden.

Blackwater made it a double bill for the victory column over Thomas Walker for the first time this year. The boys won 19 to 18, and the girls emerged safely on the top side of a 26-22 game.

Games Friday: Pennington at Jonesville; Flatwood at St. Charles, Keokee at Thomas Walker, Blackwater at Dryden.

THE OFFICIAL STANDING

Girls	W	L.	Pct.
Keokee	10	0	1.000
St. Charles	9	2	.819
Thomas Walker	4	5	.445
Pennington	4	6	.400
Dryden	4	6	.400
Jonesville	4	7	.364
Blackwater	4	7	.364
Flatwood	2	8	.200
Boys	**W**	**L**	**Pct.**
St. Charles	10	1	.909
Jonesville	9	2	.819
Flatwood	9	2	.819
Pennington	6	5	.546
Keokee	5	6	.455
Thomas Walker	2	8	.200
Blackwater	2	9	.182
Dryden	0	10	.000

WILL HOLD REVIVAL

REV. JOHN C. BLALOCK

On Sunday night, March 11, a revival will start at the First Baptist Church of St. Charles, in charge of the Rev. John C. Blalock, pastor of the Glenwood Baptist Church of Kingsport, Tenn. Rev. C. Drummonds, from Tazewell, Tenn., will be in charge of the singing.

We cordially invite you to attend the services throughout the two weeks.

Rev. Clinton Greene, Pastor.

Lt. LeRoy E. Stapleton, son of Wm. J. Stapleton, of Jonesville, Va., has been transferred from Childress, Texas, to Amarillo, Texas. He is still in training school. His assignment is connected with the B-29 bombers.

The American slang word "thug" comes from a confederacy of professional assassins who traveled in gangs through India in the early 19th century, strangling and robbing wayfarers.

PENNINGTON BEATS KING FROSH, 37 - 28

Lee Countians, Paced By Williams and Myers, Win in 4th Quarter Of Tilt

Pennington Gap came out of the Lee County Conference with a fast moving ball club Tuesday night to hand the King College Freshmen a 37-28 licking on the Tornado court in an interesting game.

Ahead all the way, Pennington nevertheless had plenty trouble with King before they pulled into their winning margin late in the fourth period.

With Williams and Myers setting the pace, Pennington moved into a 10 - 8 lead at the quarter and was out in front 19-14 at the half. King pulled up in the third quarter, which ended with Pennington leading 25-24, and then tied the score at 27-27 early in the fourth period. A field goal by Williams again shot the visitors ahead, 29-27; they were never headed from this point.

The entire King quint played steady ball against Pennington, which proved one of the best clubs they have met, with Blessing and Harkrader leading the scoring.

The Bristol freshmen will play in Pennington Saturday, March 17. The line-ups:

Pennington	Pos.	King
Williams 18	F	Harkrader 6
Copeland 4	F	Blessing 15
Myers 12	C	McNiel 2
Kelly 2	G	Baldwin 2
Graham	G	Mumpower

Substitutes: Pennington—Reasor, Flanary, 1; King—none. Referee, Fleming.

FINAL REPORT FOR 1945 POLIO DRIVE

(Continued from page 1)

Blue Theatre, with thanks to the cooperation of Mr. Dixon, manager, amounted to $21.76. Personal solicitations by Mr. Barker, amount, $33.00 .

Leona Mines, W. G. Frazier, chairman. Solicitors: Mrs. Ross Collier and Mrs. E. W. Copeland. Amount, $49.71.

Benedict Coal Corporation. The outstanding and commendable job done at Benedict was handled by their Local U.M.W. of A., Ellis Roberts, chairman, total amount collected being $245.00. A real outstanding job at Benedict!

Lee County Schools, John Richmond, chairman. Total contributions, $158.13. Contributions of $1.00 or more as shown by lists carried by solicitors follows:

Pennington Gap: $5—Cuma's Shoppe, D. Cury's Department Store, A. & P. Tea Co., Guy A. Kauffman, Dr. C. C. Carr, Collier Furniture Corporation, Jessee Chevrolet Sales Co., P. & P. Grocery Co., Dr. D. B. McDaniel, Employees of C. & P. Telephone Office, Pennington Milling Co., M. E. Vanoy, M. H. Robbins, Jack Pearce, Sam C. Blackwell, Fletcher Dry Cleaners; $10.00—Economy Store, Pennington Hardware & Furniture Co., Novelty Clothing Co., Dr. G. B. Setzler, Dr. J. H. Dellinger; $25.00—Old Dominion Power Co., J. O. Gibson; $4.00—May & Co., Personnel of Postoffice; $3.00—Kings Store, Service Grocery; $3.50 — Employees of depot; $2.50 — Booneway Inn; $2.00—Creech Tire & Supply Co., Flanary Brothers, Jack King, Mac's 5c&10c Store, Pennington Pharmacy, Frank Gibson, C. & G. Garage, R. E. Orr, W. D. Harr, Roy King's Store, Standard Service Station, Fay's Beauty Shoppe; $1.00—Virginian Cafe, M. E. Teague, Evelyn Kirk, J. G. Willis, Pennington Hotel, Pennington Wallpaper & Paint Store, G. B. Carter, Brown's Store, B. H. Wainscott; $1.50—John B. Goins.

St. Charles: $5.00 — Modern Cleaners, Novelty Clothing Co., Shoun Drug Co., Tepper's Dept. Store, Lee Bank & Trust Co., M. E. Flanary, St. Charles [illegible] Home; $2.50—Jake's Place; $1—Arthur Rogers, (A Friend).

Bonny Blue: $5.00—Dr. C. H. Henderson; $2.00—M. C. Kelly, Ernest Barker, H. M. Mahoney; $1.00—C. R. Pate, J. Corbett Brown, R. T. Richards, H. R. Stallard, H. L. Tiller, Toby Phipps, Bill Fleenor, Ben Cunningham, John W. Galbraith, D. W. Dixon, Frank Bacon, Alice Dew, Howard Thompson, Robert Brock, Daphene Ramey, Buford Lindsey, Morrison, Jr., Kelly Grigsby, Pauline Tiller, Gladys Myers, H. R. Gravely; $0.50—J. W. Ousley, Haskell Denton.

Lee County Schools:

Jonesville, $41.32; Flatwood, $7.96; Keokee, $6.59; St. Charles, $1.77. Four high schools, namely, Pennington, Blackwater, Dryden, and Thomas Walker, did not participate in the drive. Sorry. Brown's School, $2.00; High Top, $1.68; Pleasant View, $1.50; Leona Mines, $2.00; Rock Lick, $5.00; Mt. Washington, $3.50; Pennington (colored) $2; Lone Branch, $2.25; Hamblin, $1; Larimer, $2.15; Butchers Gap, $1; Gibson Station, $2; Ewing, $6.36; Bonny Blue (colored) $1; Smith's Chapel, $3; Rose Hill, $12.20; Maple Hill, $4.10; Evergreen (colored) $2; Mayflower, $1; Stone Creek, $4; Ely Dale, $2; Dean's $1; Calvin, $6; Walnut Hill, $1.75.

County Director Blackwell wishes to express his sincere thanks to every contributor and the workers who helped to make this drive a success.

Farm Plans For 1945 Completed, ACA Says

At this time we have 1945 Farm Plans ready to be signed for all Lee County farmers. About 40% have already signed, and it is very important that we interview each farmer during the month of March.

We are planning to schedule meetings in each community at a later date, and will notify farmers by letter. It will be appreciated if farmers will make plans to meet us at these community meetings and give us the information needed to complete our farm schedule.

Lee County ACA.

The button they sewed on Tom's shirt 9 times

YOU know Tom, although perhaps you call him by another name. A shy, quiet boy who has suddenly become a man in the midst of war. Until he went into the Army Tom had never been away from home. But now he's three thousand miles from Mom and Dad...and a boy can become mighty lonely, even in an army of millions.

But here in the jungle, as though by some miracle, a Red Cross club has been established. And inside are girls...smiling, wholesome American girls who speak your language and are so much like sis...or the girl next door.

Tom knows that among a score of heart-warming jobs these Red Cross girls perform is the simple, homey act of helping a GI sew on buttons. So Tom has torn a button from his shirt and a Red Cross girl is sewing it on. And a little later Tom will tear off that same button again. In all (and this is an actual case), that button was sewed on a total of nine times!

The girls know, and smile indulgently. A little thing, yes, but such little, friendly services can give a big lift to the spirits of a lonely service man far away from home.

This is the only appeal the Red Cross will make to you this year. How much pain and suffering and loneliness the Red Cross will alleviate *depends on you*. For the Red Cross is entirely dependent upon *your* contributions. The task is greater today than ever. Won't you give as much as you can in this great humanitarian cause?

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With Our Service Men

Pvt. Jerry Harber, son of Mrs. Cornie Cottrell Harber, of Rose Hill, is serving with the Fifth Army in Italy. He is a member of the 701st Tank Destroyer Battalion, which has been in combat almost 500 days as it fights on in the Apennine Mountains in Italy. Part of the First Armored Division, the 701st, in the 10-day period from May 25 to June 4, 1944, destroyed 29 tanks, a battery of 210-millimeter howitzers, 30 vehicles and two self-propelled guns between the Anzio beachhead and Rome.

Eugene Belcher, Signalman Third Class, USNR, a resident of Pennington Gap, and the third member of his family serving with the armed forces, is now stationed at the Amphibious Training Base at Little Creek, Va., where he is training for duty aboard a new LSM (Landing Ship Medium).

LSM's are powerful, 208-foot tank carriers which can speed through the vast stretches of the Pacific and roll their war machines directly onto the enemy's shore.

Eugene is the son of Mrs. Edith Belcher, of Route 1, and prior to entering service in March, 1943, was employed at an aircraft manufacturing concern. His brothers now serving with the armed forces are: Pfc. Charles, U. S. Army, and Quartermaster Z. Belcher, USNR.

LOST

Key ring with two large keys and one small. Has plastic tab with four-leaf clover design. Return to Powell Valley News office and received reward.
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From where I sit ... *by* Joe Marsh

Definition of a Great Man

At Bill Webster's the other evening, we were kidding Bill about his children always saying that their pop's "a great man."

"Well, the kids are right," chuckles Bill. "Everybody in America's a great man. You just can't be part of greatness and not share in it."

In America (argues Bill) things that used to belong only to the great are common property: a share in government through the right to vote; individual liberties guaranteed by constitution; freedom to speak one's mind; to work at what one pleases; to choose what one likes to eat or drink ... whether beer or buttermilk.

But from where I sit, there's one important point to add ... to make Bill's definition ring true. We must be worthy of this greatness. We must have the humility to appreciate these blessings ... never abuse them with intolerance, intemperance or indifference.

Joe Marsh

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Man's Best Friend Was Aid For The Enemy

A man's best friend is his dog, but doggone if hounds almost didn't cause "Lost Patrol" of the 410th Infantry Regiment, of the Seventh Army in France, to be nabbed.

Serving with the "Lost Patrol" is Lt. Hugh C. Chance, of Jonesville, and from the Headquarters Public Relations Office comes the following story:

The enemy had used many tricks that night, wearing civilian clothes, FFI bands and GI uniforms in their attack. Lt. Chance quickly organized cut-off units of his 103rd Division company. He started off at double time, so the men would not be bunched up, as the Germans were everywhere.

The officer headed for a nearby town, and it seemed that every dog in Alsace was out to bring his group to the attention of the enemy. The woods were infested with the foe, but they evidently thought the dogs were barking over German activities.

The next town proved to be enemy-occupied, so the "Lost Patrol" retreated, still to the tune of barking. Then Lt. Chance decided to head straight into territory he knew definitely was hostile, and flank around to a sector he knew was friendly. So off they went, double time, with barking and barking and barking ringing in their ears.

Finally Lt. Chance brought his men back to friendly territory, and a lieutenant from Rockville, Md., reorganized the company and the Americans swung back into the attack. But even with the "Lost Patrol" now on the offensive, the hounds still howled.

Itinerant Service for Wise And Lee Is Announced

Announcement has been made by Ben Miller, manager of the Bristol Social Security Field Office, that monthly itinerant service has been reestablished in Pennington Gap for the convenience of Lee County residents, and at Appalachia for Wise County residents.

A representative of the Social Security Field Office will be at the postoffice lobby in Pennington Gap on the first Wednesday of each Month, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. (CWT), and at the U. S. Exployment Service Office, Appalachian Hotel Building, Appalachia, on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month, at 9:00 o'clock A. M. (CWT).

Residents of these respective counties wishing to file claims for old-age and survivors insurance, or applications for account numbers, may contact their respective representatives at the above mentioned places and dates. Both services have been definitely established through June, 1945, and will probably continue thereafter.

Mr. Miller stresses the fact that all assistance possible will be given absolutely without charge, and urges the public to avail itself of the services offered.

Receives Posthumous Awards For Dead Son

J. M. Flanary, of Jonesville, Va., has received the Purple Heart and Bronze Star Medal which have been posthumously awarded to his son, Pfc. Ballard S. Flanary, with the following citation:

Bronze Star Medal

"For exceptionally meritorious achievements in performance of outstanding service against the enemy in —— on 7 June, 1944 to 13 June, 1944."

Pfc. Flanary was first reported missing in action, but later reported killed on June 13, 1944, in France.

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Persons having claims against the estate of J. B. Cox, deceased, are hereby notified to present same to Maxie M. Cox, Administratrix of the estate of said J. B. Cox, and all persons indebted to said estate are required to settle said indebtedness at once.

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News From ELK KNOB

Rufus Dougherty and Junior Ball left for the Army, Feb. 27.

Those who were visiting Mrs. Mary L. Ball and family Sunday were: James Ball and family, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Woliver and children, Mr. and Mrs. Beverly Ball and children, Mr. and Mrs. Loen Newman, Mrs. John Ball and children, Velma, Johnnie, Whittmore and Edith; and Pardee Wolfe, of Kingsport, Tenn.

Mrs. W. G. Stanley is spending this week with relatives.

People here were sorry to learn of Mrs. Napoleon Collins' illness.

Turner Foster was at home from Knoxville over the weekend.

NOTICE

Persons having claims against the estate of E. R. King, deceased, are hereby notified to present same to Murphy and Roy King, executors of the estate of said E. R. King, and all persons indebted to said estate are required to settle said indebtedness at once.

Murphy and Roy King,
Executors of the Estate of E. R. King, Dec'd.
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LARGE AMERICAN FLAG; Was $2.29, reduced to - - $1.95
LARGE ASH TRAY; 25c value; for 19c
GLASS SKILLETS, from $1.69 to $1.29
CARTER WATER PRESSURE DRAIN CLEANER; was 2.50, reduced to $1.65
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Social and Personal

"Irish Eyes Are Smiling" is coming to Lee Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, March 19-20. Be sure to see it!

Among those from out-of-town coming here for the W. E. Thompson funeral Tuesday were: Leonard Thompson and family, of Fremont ,Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. White Marcum, Mrs. Sanders Grabeel and T. B. Grabeel, of Rose Hill; C. W. Lloyd of Huntington, W. Va., and Mrs. Walter Willis, of Ewing.

Staff Sgt. Ronald Elkins, son of Mr.a nd Mrs. S. J. Elkins, of Wallens Creek, arrived hove very unexpectedly on furlough recently.

John Herbert Housley, Fountain City, Tenn., spent last week-end with friends here.

Norman Campbell, of the U. S. Navy, is home from the Pacific area, with his parents and friends at St. Charles. Seaman Campbell enlisted in the Navy soon after his graduation from St. Charles High School in 1943. He has been in the Pacific area for the past several months.

Mrs. Grace Burgan and daughter, Imogene, were in Bristol last Saturday, shopping.

Mrs. Buster Crowley and children, Mary Anne and Johnnie, of Black Star, Ky., visited her parents ,Mr. and Mrs. John Stout, of Ben Hur, last week.

Betty Rhea Stout spent last week-end with her sister, Mrs. Harry Litton, and cousin, Jenelle Anne Howard, in Dayton, Ohio. Also her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Gibson.

Among the service boys home at present are: Billy Olinger, of the Navy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Olinger; Billy Walden, of the Navy; Billy (Lard) King, of the Navy, son of Mrs. Frank Smalley; and Lawrence (Dizzy) Dean, of the Army.

W. N. Beverly, a student of Hiwassee College. spent last week-end with his parents.

June Bledsoe, a student of L. M. U., visited friends here Sunday.

Arthur Lane Livesay visited friends at L.M.U. last week-end.

Dave Gibson, a student of Penn State, is at home for a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gibson.

Mrs. Emmett Stanley, of Stickleyville, was celebrating the new spring weather by shopping in town the other day.

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St. Patrick's Party

Mrs. Ed Stuot entertained the Ladies' Bible Class, Methodist Church School, at their regular monthly class meeting, Tuesday, March 6.

After the devotional and business periods, an hour of recreation was given to the St. Patrick's motif, using games ,songs and contests in keeping with St. Patrick's Day. More than twenty guests were present.

Sgt. Lawrence Parsons, son of Mrs .Minerva Parsons, who has been in the European theater of war with the 319th Bomb. Sqdn., has just returned to camp after spending 30 days with his mother and two brothers, Jack T. and Billy Parsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brummitt have received word that their son, Pfc. Lionel C. Brummitt, has been transferred from the S. W. Pacific area to the Philippines.

Pfc. Brummitt, known to his friends here as "Cobe", has been in service since April, 1940. He was sent to Hawaii three months after his enlistment, and was stationed at Pearl Harbor at the time it was bombed by the Japs, and was wounded.

He has served in several major battles in the Southwest Pacific, including the Guadalcanal battle, the Solomons and others. He has never had a furlough home.

J. C. Wolfenbarger is back home from a visit with his daughter, Mrs. Treva Saylor, at New Market, Va.

Mrs. E. E. Fry has returned to her home here after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Thomas R. Ford, and Seaman Ford, at Cherry Point, N. C. Mrs. Ford was formerly Miss Hope Denny.

Among those from out-of-town attending the funeral of Dr. G. W. Young here Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Young, Jr., of Sheffield, Ala.; Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Young, of Dryden; Mr. and Mrs. George Turner and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Greynolds, of Loyall, Ky., and many others.

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Miss Emma Fletcher, student cadet nurse at Fort Sanders Hospital, Knoxville, visited homefolk and relatives here over the week-end.

Arthur Lane Livesay visited Mr. and Mrs. George Shuler and family at Louisville, Ky., last week-end.

Mrs. C. E. Legg, Mrs. J. M. Fry and Mrs. W. D. Harr are among the guests who enjoyed a spaghetti supper given by Mrs. W. R. Pennington and mother, Mrs. Robinson, at Mrs. Pennington's home last Thursday evening.

Misses Vera Litton and Laura Jean Fugate, of Oak Ridge, spent the week-end at their homes here.

Mrs. J. C. Wolfenbarger and grandson, Jimmie, and Ruby Satterfield and son, of St. Charles, visited Mrs. Wolfenbarger's daughter, Mrs. Treva Saylor, at New Marker, Va., the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Howard have word that their son, Sgt. Arthur M. Howard, is somewhere in New Guinea, where he has been since the beginning of January, 1944. He has been in service since December 7, 1942, and took his training at Jefferson Barracks, Mo., and Booking, S. D. The other son, Seaman 1-C. Keith B. Howard, is stationed at Terminal Island, San Pedro, Cal.

Pvt. Lester J. Robbins, husband of Mrs. Ella Robbins, of Keokee, has recently completed his basic training and is ready for combat duty with an armored unit, according to a press release from Public Relations Office.

R. P. Johnson, 91-year-old Wytheville business man and well known in Lee County, remains a patient at Pulaski Hospital, but is recovering satisfactorily, it is reported. Mr. Johnson was hurt in a fall while attending a funeral at Wytheville.

First Baptist Church

Sunday, March 11: Sunday School, 9:45 a. m., A. T. Burchette, Supt. Preaching at 10:45. Sermon subject: "Before the Boys Come Home."

Evening, the Training Union meets at 6:30 o'clock. Preaching at 7:30. Subject: "Who Is to Blame?"

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening. Also there will be cottage prayer meetings in the different communities of the town on Tuesday and Thursday evenings of this coming week, at 7:30 o'clock. Plan to attend the meeting in your community.

P. R. Stubbs, Pastor.

Bonny Blue Community Church

Sermon theme Sunday morning: "If Any Man Would Come After Me . . ." Sunday evening: "Who Are the Lost?"

The St. Charles High School chorus will furnish special music for the evening service, which will begin at 7:30 o'clock.

A welcome to all of our services.

T. H. Roach, Pastor.

Pennington Methodist Church

Sunday morning, March 11th: Church School; 9:30 a. m., Clyde Kirk, Supt. Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon theme: "Casting Bread Upon the Waters."

Evening: Meeting of young people's groups at 6:15. Preaching at 7:00. The topic of the evening will be "In His Steps", based on the famous book under that title written by Charles M. Sheldon. Special music at both services.

On Easter Sunday a revival will begin, by the Rev. George J. Creswell, Knoxville, Tenn. Dr. Creswell has for the past 24 years been pastor of the Second Methodist Church in Knoxville, which is sometimes known as "The Red Cross Church", and in that time has taken more than 2,400 people into the membership of his church.

Mid-week prayer meeting on Wednesday evening.

The WPB announces that war factories costing $200,000,000 will be built in 1945.

The Federal payroll now has approximately 3,255,000 names.

Revival Announced At Ewing Baptist Church

On Sunday, March 11, a revival will begin at the Ewing Baptist Church, the guest minister being the Rev. W. L. Walters, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Clintwood, Va.

Group prayer meetings will begin at 7:15 and song service at 7:30 o'clock each evening.

We extend to all a cordial welcome to be with us in these services.

J. N. Brister, Pastor.

First Christian Church

Sunday, March 11: Bible School at 10:00 a.m., F. M. Smalley, Supt. Worship with communion at 10:45. Sermon subject: "Greater Works Than These."

Christian Endeavor Societies meet at 6:15 p. m. No preaching as the pastor goes to Union Church for evening service.

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday at 7:00 p. m.

Lone Branch Church

Sunday, March 11: Sunday School at 10:30 a. m. Preaching at 11:30 a. m. B. T. U., 6:45 p. m. Preaching, 7:30 p. m.

E. C. Knicely, Pastor.

Former Pennington Gap Resident Dies In Kansas

Friends here have been advised of the death of Jessee A. Tubbs, at Hutchinson, Kansas, on February 22, 1945. He was 89 years of age.

Mr. Tubbs was among Pennington Gap's earliest citizens. A native of Somerset, Ky., Mr. Tubbs came here when the town was in its early making.

Having considerable means, Mr. Tubbs devoted himself to aiding the religious and economic development of Pennington Gap. He built and for a time occupied the house where Dr. C. C. Carr now lives; also other residential property here. He was the founder of the Pennington Milling Co.

Mr. Tubbs was an active member of the Baptist Church, and one of the charter members. He was chairman of the committee appointed to have charge of the building of the original Baptist Church, which was completed in 1900 at a cost of $4,000, and located on the lot opposite where the present church stands.

Mrs. Tubbs survives her husband. The couple had no children.

TOWN TALK

(Continued from page 1)

leaders, including Roosevelt, Stalin, Churchill, Admiral King and General Marshall. The Russian people were so nice to us while we were there. Gave us dances and other parties. There are lots of pretty girls there, too!"

Song For C. W.

C. W. Adams, Jr., S. 1-C., is serving as gunner's mate somewhere in the Pacific, but much of his thoughts are right here at home, and in the Methodist Church, where he used to sing and make himself useful in various ways.

Last Sunday morning the choir sank C. W.'s favorite song in his honor, "Jesus Is Always There".

Hitler Goes To Church

Mrs. J. S. Howard is all-American, but last Sunday she was responsible for Hitler's presence in the First Baptist Church—in miniature. It was this way:

Mrs. Howard has a lovely silver vase sent her from across the sea with Hitler's picture embossed upon it. Mrs. Howard filled the vase with jonquils and took it to church, Hitler and all.

Mrs. Young Has A Birthday

Folks are congratulating Mrs. Elizabeth Young, widow of the late Bradford Young, on reaching another milepost in the March of Time on Saturday, March 3.

One of the very prettiest birthday cakes that can be imagined was presented her by her sister, Mrs. M. V. Barker, prepared by Mrs. J. W. Quinley.

Mrs. C. W. Adams had a birthday Monday, March 5. No report yet as to how she spent it.

Enjoying His Visit Here

Staff Sgt. Carl R. Green is very busy these days having a good time and telling everyone how glad he is to be back home. He arrived here more than two weeks ago from the Asiatic Pacific area, where he has served four and a half years, for a 30-day furlough with his mother, Mrs. Ellen Green, of St. Charles, and other relatives and friends in this community.

Carl says he is enjoying his visit to the utmost, and deeply appreciates the warm welcome everyone has given him ,although he feels that he has been very fortunate in his four and a half years of service, and says he has had some good times along with the bad.

He has two major battles, as well as several minor ones to his credit, and wears the Good Conduct Medal, the American Defense, Asiatic Pacific and American Theatre Badges. The one of which he is the most proud is the Good Conduct medallion, he says.

In civilian life he was employed by Pennington Hardware Co., at Pennington Gap, and W. B. Green Hardware and Furniture Co., at Kingsport.

Brother of Local Citizens Dies in Indiana, March 4

H. B. Russell, about 49 years of age, died suddenly from a heart attack at his home in Michigan City, Ind., Sunday, March 4.

The body was brought here for funeral and burial. Services were held from the home of his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Kelly, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Burial followed in the Russell Cemetery near the Kelly home.

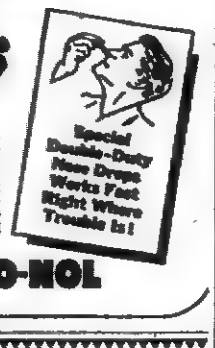
Mr. Russell was a resident of Pennington Gap several years ago. He was the son of the late Harve Russell, and of the late Evalena Russell Snavely. He was a brother of Mrs. J. V. Kelly and Mrs. J. E. Sword, of Pennington Gap, and Mrs. O. M. Howard, of Harlan, Ky.; a half-brother of Mrs. W. C. Williams, of Charlottesville, Va.; Mrs. J. J. Smith, Birmingham, Ala.; S. Sgt. T. J. Snavely, Greensboro, N. C., and Rader Snavely, Pennington Gap.

He is survived by three children, H. B., Jr., of Harlan, Ky.; Clyde Edward, with the U. S. Army Air Corps; and Eloise, employed in the Revenue Office at Frankfort, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Teague visited in Appalachia last week-end.

Mrs. T. H. Olinger is on the sick list.

Good News! FOR POLICE WITH SNIFFLY Head Colds



Quick relief from the sneezy, stuffy distress of head colds is what you want. So try Va-tro-nol—a few drops up each nostril—to soothe irritation, reduce congestion. You'll welcome the relief that comes! Va-tro-nol also helps prevent many colds from developing if used in time. Try it! Follow directions in folder.

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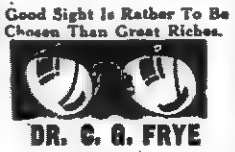

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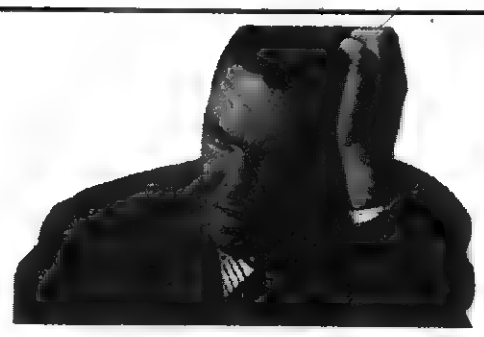

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Kockum Soldier Wins Bronze Star Medal

Cpl. John Moore, Jr., serving with an Engineer Combat Battalion in France, was recently awarded the Bronze Star for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy in France, it was announced from headquarters of communications.

The citation read in part: "Serving as a radio operator, Cpl. volunteered to assist a wire party in laying and maintaining wire over unfamiliar enemy-patrolled, shell-swept terrain.

"He helped lay 14 miles of telephone communication in five hours, and while assuming this duty in addition to his own, he waded through mud and water day and night, ignoring the German firing, to repair breaks and keep communications from being interrupted. Cpl. Moore contributed greatly to the success of the operation through his aggressiveness, skill and devotion to duty."

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:
In the Clerk's Office of the County of Lee, March Term, 1945.

Irene Wuerdeman....Complainant
Vs. Order of Publication
Paul Wuerdeman .....Defendant

The object of the above styled suit is to obtain a divorce a mensa et thoro by the complainant, Irene Wuerdeman, from the defendant, Paul Wuerdeman, upon grounds of wilful desertion of the complainant by the defendant for a period of less than two years.

And it appearing by affidavit filed according to law that Paul Wuerdeman, the above defendant, is not a resident of this State; it is therefore ordered that the said Paul Wuerdeman do appear within ten days after due publication of this order, in the Clerk's Office of our said Circuit Court, and do what is necessary to protect his interests. It is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a newspaper published in Lee County, Virginia. It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, on or before the next succeeding rule day, and another copy hereof be mailed to the defendant at the Post Office address given in the affidavit.

CHARLES N. HAWS,
Deputy Clerk.

Robt. B. Ely, p. q.
Adv. No. 10-4t.

News From JONESVILLE

(For Week of March 1)

Rev. Tip Parkey filled his regular appointment Saturday night and Sunday morning. A large crowd was in attendance at each service.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Johnson, of Kentucky, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Johnson

A birthday dinner was given Sunday for Ballard Bledsoe. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Johnson and family, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Johnson, Mrs. and Mrs. Glenn Terry and family.

Mrs. Mary Gilbert and Mrs. Pearl Gilbert visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Terry, Sunday.

Sgt. and Mrs. Doyle Terry spent a week-end leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Terry.

Will Bledsoe is very ill at this writing.

Miss Ruth Fannon, of Alabama, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Fannon.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Flannagan a daughter, to whom has been given the name Opal Clydia.

Daner Clawson, Misses Sallie Bea and Deloise Johnson and Reeda Terry visited in Ben Hur, Sunday.

Miss Sallie Bea Johnson is spending a few days with her brother, M. B. Johnson, and Mrs. Johnson, at Verda, Ky.

Rev. Tip Parkey spent Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Terry visited Mrs. Mary Gilbert at Woodway, the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Williams have received word that their son, Marshall, has landed safely in England.

Miss Graham Becomes Member Of Sorority

Miss Jane Graham, senior student of Madison College, Harrisonburg, Va., was pledged last week to Kappa Delta Pi at Madison College, it was announced by the college news service.

Kappa Delta Pi is a national honorary scholastic organization for juniors and seniors in the education curricula.

Miss Graham is a daughter of Bradley P. Graham, of Pennington Gap, R.F.D.

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Warning To Kite Flying Enthusiasts

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1. For a kite string use only a stout, dry cord. Never use wire, wet cord or cord with wire threads in it, since these conduct electricity should the string come in contact with electric wires or should there be an electrical storm.

2. Choose a level, open space free from all wires, large trees, large stones, ditches and fences.

3. Do not fly a kite from the roof of a building or other elevated structure. Risk of fall is too great.

4. Do not fly a kite on a street or highway, where there is danger of being hit by a car.

5. Do not climb poles to retrieve a kite lodged in wire or trees. LEAVE IT THERE. Do not throw a stone attached to a string over wires for electric shock might result.

"In other words," Mr. Teague commented, "it is better to lose a kite than a life. Every parent should impress on his children the danger of flying kites in the vicinity of electric lines, as well as the other safety rules outlined."

News From ST. CHARLES

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Gilliam and Mildred visited homefolk in Norton last Sunday.

Lt. and Mrs. James Roop are visiting their parents and friends here for a few days.

Hazel Creekmore, a former employee of the St. Charles Pharmacy, has recently gone to Cincinnati to work.

Mildred Oliver, of Knoxville, Tenn., visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Griffith, last week-end. Miss Oliver will report to Norfolk for service with the WAVES.

Mrs. Ralph Pope received a telegram Tuesday from the War Department, stating that her brother, Ravel Hale, was killed in action in Germany, February 25.

Johnnie Audia, of the U. S. Navy, has been visiting his parents and former classmates here. Audia has two brothers in service: Joe, serving with the U. S. Navy ,and Samuel, with the U. S. Army.

Mrs. Kline Culbertson continues ill at her home here.

Mrs. Lee Gilliam, of Norton, and Olin Gilliam, of Camp Atterbury, Ind., visited Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Gilliam, Tuesday. Olin has returned to the States after serving several months with the Army in Germany, France and England.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas have received word that their son, George, has arrived from overseas and is now in a hospital in Colorado.

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And remember, YOU . . . and you alone . . . keep the Red Cross alive. For without your help there could be no Red Cross. There are no special funds to keep up its great humanitarian work. The money must come, as always, from the heart of America – you!

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A letter at every mail call is the dream of the servicemen overseas. The folks at home can help that dream come true by sending him short, frequent letters.

This is the consensus of opinion of chaplains and Red Cross workers, accordnig to reports received by the Fifth Naval District at Norfolk. It upholds the V-Mail as a means of regularity in correspondence.

A chaplain reports: "Too much of our work involves trying to find out for G. I. Joe why his relatives and friends don't write oftener. No matter how many men are around him, he is still lonesome for home. There comes a yell 'Mail Call' and he joins the rush. If there is no letter, he walks off by himself, thinking: 'Why don't they write'?"

The chaplain advises: "Write often. Spare the serviceman your worries; he has plenty of his own. Don't mutter about civilian hardships; his are worse. Be happy and newsy. It does him good to know the family is well and planning for his safe return. Tell him what his friends are doing and what changes there have been in the old home town."

That's how to make his mail-call dream come true.

The latest monthly figures on Navy mail are for January, as follows: FPO, New York, 40,069,847; FPO, San Francisco, 75,996,948 — including letters, parcels, newspapers, and registered mail. The December peak was greater, but only because it included Yuletide parcels and greetings.

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Examination Announced For Rural Mail Carrier

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced an examination to fill the position of rural carrier at St. Charles, Virginia. Receipt of applications will close on March 29, 1945. The examination will be open only to citizens who are residing in the territory of the Post Office mentioned above.

Form 1977 and application blanks can be obtained from the Postmaster at St. Charles or from the United States Civil Service Commission at Washington 25, D. C. Applications are not desired from persons engaged in war work unless the position applied for requires the use of higher skills than the worker is using in his present employment.

R. P. DAVID, Secy,
United States Civil Service Board Examiners.

Rites Held For Mrs. Sprinkle At McAllister

From a McAllister, Texas, newspaper comes the following obituary notice of a former Pennington Gap lady, who, with her family, went to Texas more than thirty years ago to make their home.

"Martha Susan Sprinkle passed away during the afternoon hours at her home in the McAllister Post Office, December 27.

"She was 89 years old and had been a resident of the community since coming there 35 years ago with her husband and constructing the first house in the community.

"Survivors include one son, A. L. Sprinkle ,of Hailey Switch, Ky.; three daughters, Mrs. Etta J. Young, of McAllister; Mrs. Dora F. Dotson, of Melrose; and Mrs. Bertha Terry, of House. One brother, A. T. Zion, of Amarillo, Texas, and fifteen grandchildren, 35 great-grandchildren, and one great-great-grandchild also survive.

"The Rev. L. D. Mitchell of the First Baptist Church of Tucumcari, officiated at the final rites conducted for Mrs. Sprinkle in the Baptist Church at McAllister, and interment was in the McAllister Cemetery, with Doughty's Funeral Home in charge.

THE W.O.P.'s

The W. O. P.'s have been organized by the girls of Pennington to provide them with recreation.

Even in the short time we have been together, we have had loads of fun through comical initiations and penalties. At the meeting held March 3 the following officers were elected:

Gusta Bailey, president; James Alice Laningham, treasurer; Betty Smith, secretary; Virginia Green ,legal advisor; and Floravista McKinnon, reporter.

The members are as follows: Virginia Green, Gusta Bailey, Betty Stout, Myrtle P. Smalley, Peggy Sue King, Amy Jo Pennington, Halene Goins, Margaret Bailey, Mary Helen Payne, Ruby Hyden, Irene Williams, Jewell Lucas, Vada Payne, Betty Jean Smith, Floravista McKinnon, James Alice Laningham, Eloise Rogers, and Helen Middleton.

We hope to prove ourselves worthy of the respect of the citizens of Pennington.

Floravista McKinnon,
Reporter.

Card of Thanks

Sincerest thanks to all our friends for the kindness and sympathy shown us in the illness and death of our husband and father, W. E .Thompson.

We especially appreciate the beautiful floral offerings, the donations of cars for the funeral, and the comforting words of the ministers who officiated, also those who sang in the choir.

Mrs. W. E. Thompson
and Children.

Ambulance originally meant a movable hospital and during the Crimean War it came to mean a vehicle for conveyance of the sick.

Back From The Jungle

A Navy Catalina recently terminated a dramatic chapter in the liberation of the Philippines when it removed nine members of an American guerilla organization that had terrorized the Japs for nearly three years.

Known as the "Scorpions", the band was organized shortly after the fall of the islands and from the jungle struck the enemy again and again. Also evacuated were two American Army airmen rescued by the guerillas, one of them being Sgt. John Kirk, of Big Stone Gap.

In the February 28 issue of The Evening Star, Washington, D. C., is pictured a group of the guerilla or "Scorpion" band, among them being Lt. James Haburne, son of one of our town's citizens, Charles Haburne. Mr. Haburne has five sons in service, namely: Staff Sgt. E. L. Haburne, Staff Sgt. Randolph Haburne, Tech. Sgt. Orlie Haburne, Pvt. Merlin Haburne, a young minister; and Lt. James Haburne, for three years a war prisoner of the Japs, but now free .

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 9th day of February, 1945.

H. Virgil Payne.....Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Mable Nordan Payne . Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a Mensa et thoro. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Mable Nordan Payne, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address is Selma, North Carolina, it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

TESTE:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D. C.
p q. Guy A. Kauffman.
Adv. No. 7-4t.

Careless Smokers
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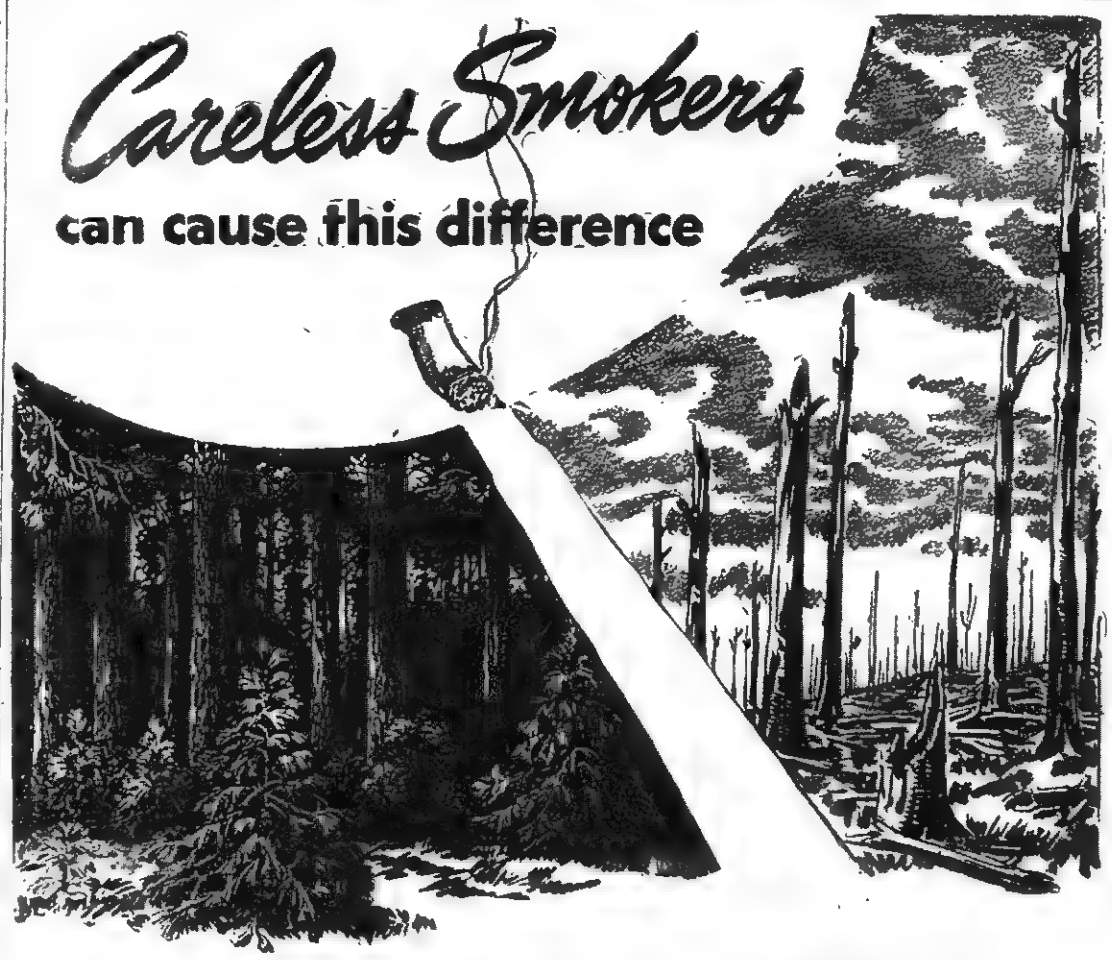

The forest at the left is at your mercy. Toss a burning cigarette out your car window, and you may reduce this land to the unproductive waste at the right.

Careless smokers cause a quarter of our forest fires. They are responsible for approximately 20,000 forest fires a year. Such thoughtlessness can easily nullify long years of effort to produce new forests.

America's very security depends upon the productive capacity of our forest lands. Keeping America green means more than keeping America beautiful. For the products of forests are as essential in war as guns, as necessary in peace as bread. Help keep America's forests growing by remembering to *put out your cigarettes* before you throw them away.

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With Our Service Men

Cpl. Beauford B. Kirk, of St. Charles, assistant squad leader, is a member of the 19th Combat Engineer Regiment, Mediterranean theater veterans now maintaining roads, bridges and trails for the Fifth Army in rugged mountain terrain before the Po Valley in Italy. The 19th has maintained or rebuilt more than 4,000 miles of road and built or replaced more than 200 bridges in the Italian campaign, and has served in combat more than 550 days, including action at Kasserine Pass, Tunisia, and Cassino, Italy.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Shell, of Bonny Blue, have received word that their son, Cpl. Harold W. Shell, has arrived safely in England; that he enjoyed the trip over, and thinks the country very beautiful, even in wartime.

Sgt. Claude H. Poteet, Jonesville ,Route 4, is a member of a Signal Corps unit which has recently been awarded the Meritorious Service Plaque. The plaque was awarded for exceptionally fine performance of duty providing vital communications for American engineers engaged in the construction of a pipeline through India, Assam and Northern Burma during the height of the tropical monsoon season.

Prior to his entry into the service in November, 1942, Poteet was employed as an oiler in Bristol, Va. He has been in the IBT over eleven months.

Pfc. James R. Reynolds, son of Mrs. Flossie Reynolds, Jonesville, Va., has been awarded the Silver Star for his part in a courageous two-man assault on a Japanese gun position during recent fighting on Leyte. Pfc. Reynolds and his companion were seriously injured when they braved a hail of enemy fire to knock out the enemy machine gun. Their courageous attack made it possible for elements of the famed 32nd "Red Arrow" Division to move ahead in a key sector.

In service since December, 1942, Pfc. Reynolds has served in the Southwest Pacific for the past two years. He fought at Aitape, New Guinea, and emerged with the Combat Infantry Badge. In addition, he holds the Good Conduct Medal and the Purple Heart.

Eugene D. Bales, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Bales, of Rose Hill, was recently promoted to the rank of corporal at the Infantry Replacement Center, at Camp Blanding, Fla.

Cpl. Bales is a graduate of V.P.I., and before entering the service was employed by Glenn L. Martin plant at Baltimore.

Staff Sgt. James I. Williams, 28, of Jonesville, has arrived at Army Air Forces Redistribution Station No. 2, in Miami Beach, Fla., for reassignment processing, after completing a tour of duty outside the continental United States.

Sgt. Williams, an airplane parts specialist, returned to the States January 19, 1945, from service in the Southwest Pacific theater. His father, Elmer V. Williams, and wife, Mrs. Wanda L. Williams, are residents of Jonesville.

Ralph P. Cox, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Cox, of Dryden, Route 1, is receiving his initial Naval indoctrination at the U. S. Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill. When his recruit training is completed he will receive a period of leave.

Joe Johnson, of Jonesville, serving with the Ninth Armored Division on the Western Front, has recently been promoted to the rank of staff sergeant, it is announced.

Sgt. Johnson is the husband of Mrs. Joe Johnson, Route 1, Jonesville.

Pfc. Ewing H. Walton, machine gunner, of Blackwater, is fighting in Italy's Apennines before the Po Valley with the 362nd Infantry Regiment, which broke through the Gothic Line in one of its highest and best defended sectors. The 362nd is part of the 91st "Powder River" Division with the Fifth Army.

News From JONESVILLE

Route Two

Mrs. Cynthia Huskey is very ill at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bascom Smith and family, of Harlan, Ky., spent Friday night with his sister, Mrs. James E. Huskey. He also visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Smith, before returning to his home in Harlan.

Mrs. Alpha Huskey was a business visitor in Harlan, Ky., Friday.

Mrs. Hubert Sutphin, who has been employed at Willow Run, Ypsilanti, Mich., has returned home for a visit.

Mrs. Leonard Smith is spending this week with her son, Bascom Smith, of Harlan, Ky.

News From FRIENDSHIP

J. C. Hockett, Jr., of the Baptist Sunday School Board, Nashville, Tenn., gave an interesting talk here at the church on Sunday morning. He was the first man from the State Mission Board to come to Lee County in the interest of Sunday School workers, 30 years ago.

Rev. E. C. Knicely attended the Associational Sunday School meeting Sunday afternoon at the First Baptist Church in Pennington Gap.

Mrs. Walter Spangler and family visited her mother, Mrs. N. W. Gregory, at Cedar Hill, Sunday.

Little Joe Yates is on the sick list this week.

The Missionary Society will met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Clint Matlock.

The Week of Prayer will be observed with an all-day meeting Friday, March 9, at the home of Rev. and Mrs. E. C. Knicely. All the ladies in the community are urged to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Noe moved into the house recently occupied by Jim Lawson. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Kinder recently purchased the farm from Ada Laforce.

Mrs. Herbert Couk is in Norton Hospital, where she has undergone an operation.

Mrs. Wesley Spangler went to Knoxville, Tenn., Monday, to be with her daughter, Jean, who is undergoing an appendectomy at St. Mary's Hospital.

Mrs. Bonnie Gibson and Lucille Collins, of Ellicott City, Md., spent the week-end with their uncle, Mr. W. E. Kinder, and Mrs. Kinder and family.

Miss Stella Kirk, employed at Richmond, Va., and Cpl. Vernon Kirk, of the U. S. Army, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Kirk, and family. Cpl. Kirk was wounded on the island of Guam in July, 1944, and until recently has been in the hospital.

Cpl. Daniel T. Young is spending a 30-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Starling Young. He has been in Australia, Dutch New Guinea, and East Indies. He was seriously wounded and had been in the hospital a long time before coming home.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Snodgrass spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Rosenbaum.

T. J. Willis, Roy Anderson, and Harold Willis, of the U. S. Naval Training Center, at Bainbridge, Md., came home Tuesday, March 6, to spend a few days here with their parents.

News From HAGAN

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Depew and family, of Hubbard Springs, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Langley.

Miss Mary Helen Hensley spent the week-end with Miss Julia Fletcher, of Rose Hill.

Allan Oaks made a business trip to Knoxville, Tenn., last week.

Sam and Gill Hensley, of Sampson, Ky., visited their sister, Mrs. Martha Hensley, and family, over the week-end.

Miss Gladys Ely is visiting her sisters at Knoxville, Tenn.

Those visiting Betty Ingle Sunday were Gill Hensley, of Sampson, Ky.; Misses Ruby, Ruth and Flora Ely, and Marie Hensley, of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ingle, of Hubbard Springs, visited relatives here Sunday.

News From WALLENS CREEK

Mrs. Mae Ola Edwards was visiting Mrs. C. P. Horton, Jr., Sunday.

Miss Charlene Ramsey was a guest of Miss Patsy Horton, Sunday.

H. P. Russell made a business trip to Pennington, Monday.

Ben Richmond has been honorably discharged from the U. S. Navy.

George Horton visited his nephew, C. P. Horton, Monday.

Hubert Elkins and daughter, Anna Mae, were in Pennington Gap the first of the week.

Wayman Gibson and Ottie Collins were visiting Porter Russell and family Saturday night.

Luther Collingsworth, employed at Kingsport, Tenn., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Collingsworth, over the week-end.

Roy Johnson, of Blackwater, was visiting friends on Wallens Creek, Sunday.

In the medieval theater actors were expected to suffer for their parts and actually were beaten so violently on stage that they occasionally fainted.

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I know! I saw!

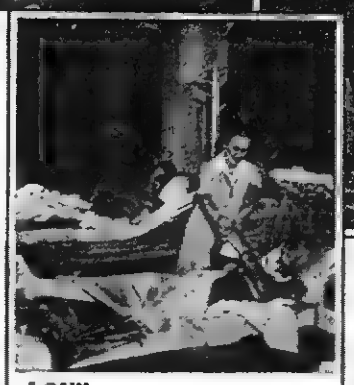
BOB HOPE reports on the Red Cross in action

Bob Hope should know. He saw. For two years he has devoted most of his spare time to entertaining G.I.'s on the "Foxhole Circuit" of USO-Camp Shows. Hope has made 'em laugh in Panama; Alaska; British Isles; North Africa; Sicily, and most recently through the captured islands of the South Pacific. His audiences were men relaxing just behind the front lines. He knows how they appreciate a friendly service from home.

I SAW the Red Cross blood plasma bring a man back to life! I watched a miracle. A miracle that could not have happened without you . . . and your Red Cross. In 1944 the Red Cross was asked to provide 5,000,000 pints of blood for the armed forces in addition to the 5,600,000 pints previously obtained. This project requiring 100,000 pints a week was carried on through fixed centers located in 35 major cities and by 60 mobile units attached to the centers which visited nearby towns.

I SAW the Red Cross bring news from home to a worried son! Not all the worries are at home. A soldier in a distant Pacific Station was worrying why a letter to his mother had been returned to him marked "unknown." Was she sick? Alive? What has happened? Through his Red Cross Field Director and National Headquarters came a request to investigate and report. The mother was found to be all right and her address correct. But just after she had moved to her new location about 6 months previously, the mail man "thought he had returned a letter." A small matter perhaps, but terribly important to a dear one so far away.

I SAW the Red Cross playing mother to homesick, war-weary fighters! There are more than 700 Red Cross Clubs overseas. Some of them are like big hotels. They're headquarters for meals, snacks, tours, dances, games, books, home newspapers.



I SAW the Red Cross handing out kits to the wounded in a hospital! When a man has lost everything but his dirty, blood-stained uniform—these comfort kits are worth their weight in gold. They contain toilet articles, cigarettes, candy.

I SAW the Red Cross greet fliers just back from a mission! I saw a Fort come in—with dazed, haggard men crawling out of her. A Red Cross clubmobile pulled up beside the plane. And the fliers' strained nerves relaxed over American doughnuts, American coffee, American girls' smiles.

I SAW a Red Cross ship taking food to our men in prison camps! Thousands of our men in enemy hands would be near starvation were it not for the food, clothing and medical supplies sent by and through the Red Cross.

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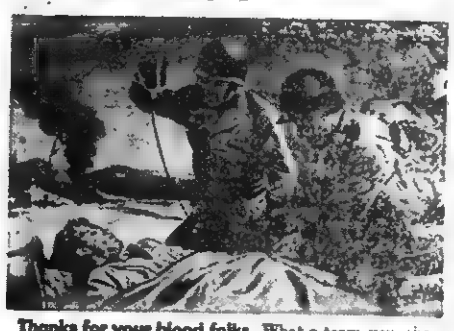
LET PVT. JOE JENKS TELL YOU WHERE YOUR *Red Cross Money* GOES

When pop got sick the Red Cross was asked to verify. And, thanks to their report, I got home!

The second day out. We sure felt bucked up when we got those Red Cross ditty bags.

The wife's doing fine after her operation. N. Y. Red Cross Field Director brought the good news.

A home overseas. Just stepping inside a Red Cross club does a guy good. Home seems nearer!



Thanks for your blood folks. What a team you, the medical corps, and the Red Cross make!

Back to civilian life. The wise veteran goes to the Red Cross! There they know the answers and are eager to help an ex-service man with his problems.

GIVE *NOW*— GIVE *MORE*

IF you've got a man in service—if you *know* a man in service—give for his sake. Give so that the Red Cross can give to him!

Your money may help to get a message home to you. It may pay the cost of collecting blood plasma for him! It may pay the cost of delivering a Red Cross package to an American prisoner of war. It will help pay for the thousand and one services the Red Cross performs—to keep up the spirits of our fighting men—to help save their lives. The more you give—the more the Red Cross can give! Let your *heart* be your guide! Don't delay—give *today!*

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TOWN TALK

About This, That, And The Other

Wings

A mystic worm, one summer day,
A worm that crawled mid creeping things,
Was known to pause upon its way
And say, "I wish that I had wings".

Then all the worms that nearby lay
Laughed loud and long—poor silly things—
"You're just a worm, you'll ne'er have wings."

And one grave worm, more wise [illegible] all,
Doctor of worm philisophy,
Shook his head and said, "I call
This talk of wings rank heresy."

But still the dreamer dreamed his dream;
Whene'er he looked at flying things,
He crept more fast, and said, "It seems
That I shall fly, when I have wings."

Today I saw on wings of fire
This occult dreamer of the dust;
And as he circled glad in air,
There came to me this living trust:

That all our hopes and fond desires—
These longings strange for better things,
Are not in vain—sometime, sometime, somewhere,
These dreams of ours shall end in WINGS!

Enjoys 95th Birthday

G. W. (Uncle George) Russell sat upright in his bed Tuesday and welcomed the friends who called to greet him on his 95th birthday anniversary. Until within the last few weeks Mr. Russell had been unusually strong and active, but now he's just recover-

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DOWN on the FARM

By: ROY E. WOODWARD,
Assistant County Agent.

Hybrid Corn:

The production of hybrid corn in the United States has increased the yield by approximately 400 million bushels. In this land last year four out of every seven acres of corn were planted to hybrids.

Several growers produced hybrid corn in Lee County last year, with very satisfactory results. The past crop season was the worst in many years, due to the extreme drought conditions. The yield from hybrids, however, proved their values by yielding from fair to good averages per acre, whereas the yield from open pollinated varieties was, in most cases, very poor. In one instance, a farmer in the Flatwood section had a 7-acre field in corn, one-half of which was planted to U. S. 13 hybrid, and the other half was planted to open-pollinated white dent. The hybrid yielded 45 bushels per acre, and the native white dent only averaged 15 bushels.

Hybrid corn has a larger root system than ordinary corn and can therefore obtain moisture from deeper in the ground. Because of this, it should be planted one-fourth thicker than open-pollinated corn.

As to the use of fertilizer, it is recommended that at least 300 pounds of 4-12-4 or 3-12-6 be placed in the row, but not in direct contact with the seed. If manure is available, it is recom-

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WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Weather Bureau report for week ending March 11th, 1945, for Lee County, furnished by Cam J. Lewis, official observer:

Date	Temperature		Rainfall
	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
5	68	46	.39
6	65	51	.10
7	70	40	.00
8	47	29	.00
9	55	26	.00
10	56	25	.00
11	59	25	.00

Second Pre-Induction Call From Board No. 2

Second March Call Is Largest Than First

The number of registrants selected for the second pre-induction call for March by Selective Service Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, is much larger than that of the first call, listed in our last week's issue. The men are as follows:

Louie Vaney, St. Charles; Elbert Tunis Wolfe, R 1, Pennington Gap; Houston Lee Baldwin, Leona Mines; James Thomas Benton, St. Charles; Walter Percy Matthews, Bonny Blue; Henry Jerome Farmer, R 1, Keokee; Cortez Caesar Lindon, Bonny Blue; Olin Roscoe Gibson, Pennington Gap; Ulis Sydney Clark, R 1, Keokee; Samuel Henry Miles, Bonny Blue; Curtis Wynn, Calvin; Holly Thompson, Duffield; Ernest Tee Barker, Bonny Blue; Cecil Locke Evans, R 1, Pennington Gap; William Mickie Campbell, St. Charles; William Ewing Statzer, Pennington Gap; Evart Cothern, St. Charles; Baccom Kirk, R 1, Pennington Gap; Barney Willard Barker, Bonny Blue; Charles Alfred Currier, Leona Mines.

Clyde Fred Tritt, Toms Creek; Leonard Edwards, Rhoda; Troy Cigle Lambert, R 1, Keokee; Dexter Talmadge Flanary, R 1, Keokee; Wright Cecil Kirk, R 1, Pennington Gap; Raymond Curtis Thomas, R 1, Keokee; Johnnie Ransom Woodard, Keokee; Henry Barnett, R 1, Pennington Gap; Farce Peters, Bonny Blue; John David Wyatt, Jr., Bonny Blue; Ira Paul Pleasant, Pennington Gap; Elmer Bowling, Dryden; Earl Herschel Stapleton, R 1, Keokee; John Carter, St. Charles; Jesse Ledford, Oak Ridge, Tenn.; John Morson Pugh, Kingsport, Tenn.; Raymond Ellis Gibson, Duffield; Beard Elmer Edens, R 1, Dryden; Andrew Herbert Stapleton, R 1, Pennington Gap; Arnold Willie Robinette, Bristol.

Eckel Satterfield, Bonny Blue; Moran Rosbert Lewis, Woodway; Starling Boyd West, St. Charles; Newton Nichols, Woodway; Sam William Davis, R 2, Pennington Gap; Ralph Tagger Moore, St. Charles; Claude Elmer Benfield, Pennington Gap; Newell Nickles Sturgill, Oak Ridge, Tenn.; Ernest Robert Morris, R 1, Pennington Gap; Walter James Carter, Oak Ridge, Tenn.; Eugene H. Elliott, R 1, Pennington Gap; Bradley Rhea Scott, R 2, Duffield, James William Toomey, St. Charles; John Milford McClain, Pennington Gap; Clyde Samuel Redwine, R 1, St. Charles; Milford Randolph Litton, Pennington Gap; Hobart Sutton, Leona Mines; Eugene Townsend, Keokee; Clyde L. Orr, R 1, Pennington Gap; William Bryant, St. Charles.

Raymond Sutton, Pennington Gap; Glen Earl Biggs, Pennington Gap; George Wallace Stewart, Pennington Gap; Kenneth Carter Goins, Pennington Gap; Harvey Bird Bergan, Jr., St. Charles; John Walter Gilbert, Dryden; Glen Stewart, St. Charles; George Washington Gibson, Leona Mines; Roosevelt Garrett, R 1, Pennington Gap; Edward Casetty Bryson, St. Charles.

FORMER LUMBERMAN

PVT. C. T. PENDERGRAFT

Pvt. Charles T. Pendergraft, son of Mrs. Jim Haynes, Jonesville, Va., is now serving somewhere in Italy.

He was inducted into Army service August 7, 1944; took his basic training at Camp Blanding, Fla., and has been overseas a little more than two months.

Pvt. Pendergraft [illegible] school at Long Hollow, and prior to entering the service helped his father in the lumber business.

RECOVERING FROM BATTLE WOUNDS

PFC. JAY R. PENNINGTON

Pfc. Jay Richard Pennington, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Pennington, of Keokee, Route 1, was wounded in action in France on January 6, 1945, according to word received by his parents.

He is reported wounded in the right shoulder, and also suffered a fracture of the right arm. He is now in a hospital in England, making normal recovery.

Pfc. Pennington has been in service two years, and overseas since last September.

Pennington Gap Soldier Awarded Purple Heart

With the 66th Infantry Division in France.—Private Clarence Napier, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Napier, Pennington Gap, Va., has been awarded the Purple Heart for wounds received in action against the enemy.

Pvt. Napier, who has since returned to duty, is with the Black Panther Division in France. He was inducted May 9, 1944, at Fore George G. Meade, Md.

Son Of Jonesville Resident Killed In Action

The following news item was taken from the Louisville Courier-Journal:

"Sgt. Vaughn N. Carrier, 24, son of Yulee Carrier, of Jonesville, Va., Route 2, was killed in France January 27, 1945. Wearer of the Purple Heart for wounds received in December, he had been in the infantry over three years.

"He was formerly employed by the Hoosier Ordnance Plant of Louisville. He is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Ray Hancock, 1905 Second St., Louisville, and Vinita Dean Carrier, Evansville, Ind.; three brothers, Jack Carrier, with the Marines in the South Pacific; Charles Carrier, 1530 S. Third, Louisville,; and Lee Carrier, 2723, W. Jefferson, Louisville."

Tech. Sgt. Robt. Crowell Is Back In United States

Tech. Sgt. Robert P. Crowell, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Crowell, of Pennington Gap, landed in New York City on March 5, and is now in an Army hospital at Greensboro, N. C.

R. P., as he is known here, finished a long term of overseas service with the Army Air Force, during which time he made an outstanding record in the performance of military duty. He has completed 35 mission and has been awarded the Air Medal and several Oak Leaf Clusters. He also has the Purple Heart for wounds received in action, and for which he is being treated in the Greensboro hospital.

Card of Thanks

We extend our sincerest thanks to our friends for the kindness and sympathy shown us in the death of our dear brother, Harvey B. Russell. We appreciate the beautiful floral offerings, the comforting words of the ministers and friends, those rendering music and songs, and the fine way in which the funeral was directed.

Mrs. J. V. Kelly,
Mrs. J. E. Sword,
Mrs. O. M. Howard.

WOUNDED IN ACTION

PVT. PAUL OAKS

AWARDED CITATIONS

PFC. CHARLES B. OAKS

The above soldiers are sons of Mrs. Charles Gibson, of Pennington Gap, and each are sharing a lot in common to fighting men, yet in a widely different way.

Paul was wounded in action on February 2, 1945, while serving with the Ninth Army in Germany. He enlisted in the Army June 13, 1944, and has been overseas only three months. Before going into the service he was employed by the Holston Ordnance Company of Kingsport. He is the husband of Mrs. Birdie Oaks.

Pfc. Charles B. Oaks, with the 109th Engineer Combat Battalion, U. S. Army, has recently been awarded the Bronze Star Medal for heroic service in connection with military operations [illegible] the enemy in Germany, November 30, 1944. In the citation accompanying the award, A. R. Bolling, Brigadier General, U. S. Army, commanding, said:

"Observing a wounded soldier in area exposed to enemy fire, Pfc. Oaks, together with three other soldiers, though subjected to intense enemy artillery and mortar fire, improvised a stretcher and carried the injured man to a medical aid station, a distance of approximately one and one-half miles. The courage, unselfishness and commendable conduct displayed by Pfc. Oaks present an excellent example of those soldierly qualities which are in accordance with the highest traditions of the military service."

Pfc. Oak entered the service about six months after the outbreak of the war. Prior to this he was employed by the C. & G. Auto Sales Company of Pennington Gap.

REVIVAL TO BEGIN AT BAPTIST CHURCH HERE ON MARCH 19

Guest Evangelist

REV. HENRY B. ANDERSON

A pre-Easter revival meeting begins Monday, March 19th, at the First Baptist Church. Rev. Henry B. Anderson, pastor of the Grace Baptist Church of Durham, N. C., will assist the pastor. Rev. Anderson is one of the outstanding ministers among Southern Baptists and is in much demand as an evangelist. He has conducted a number of successful revivals throughout Virginia and comes highly recommended. He will bring to Pennington Gap a series of warm and heart-searching messages.

The services will begin at 7:30 o'clock each evening, preceded by prayer services conducted by the several departments of the Sunday School.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend and it is hoped that a large congregation will be present to greet Bro. Anderson at the first service.

The churches of the Southern Baptist Convention are celebrating this year their Centennial Anniversary, the Convention being organized at Augusta, Georgia, in 1845. Many challenging goals have been set by the denomination for this important year, and not least among them is 1,000,000 souls for Christ, which represents about twice the number won last year.

Collier Furniture Corp'n. Sponsoring 4-H Contest

The M. D. Collier Furniture Corporation is sponsoring a contest for Lee County 4-H Club members, complete details of which will be found on page 9.

Birth Announcement

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Wainscott, of Jonesville, announce the birth of a daughter, Phyllis Darlene, February 18, 1945.

Music Club Meets

The Pennington Gap Juvenile Musicians met at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon in the music studio, Pennington High School.

After the business session, a great surprise was in store for the members. Mrs. C. D. Mehaffey invited the club to spend their social hour in her home. She took the members in her car.

After a program of solos and duets, Mrs. Mehaffey, assisted by the president, Nancy Lee Anderson, and the secretary, Davene Wainscott served delicious refreshments to the guests, while Miss Cora Lewis played "The Moon Rocket", by Rolfe.

The club then adjourned until their next meeting, which will be held the first Tuesday afternoon in April.

Stretch Drive Is Urged For Red Cross Fund

Reports to Date Indicate That County's Quota Will Be Far Exceeded

When the final reports come in for the National Red Cross War Fund Drive, which officially opened March 1, Lee Countians will proudly say—"We did it" meaning they raised their $10,000 allotment of the national $200,000,000 quota.

County War Fund Chairman Connelly stated today that while all the areas have not yet reported, those who have indicate such fine work done that there can be no doubt but that the quota will be raised, and in all probability exceeded.

Many of the industrial areas have already raised their quotas, but many are not quite satisfied with having done so and are still working. Kemmerer Gem, for example, has a little more than doubled their quota of $500.00.

Chairman Connelly urges all workers to keep behind the drive in the home stretch, and endeavor to exceed the assigned quota in every area of the county, finishing the drive within the coming week. It is hoped that all reports will be in so that a complete tabulation of every area in the county can be given in next week's issue of this paper.

Fire Destroys Elk Knob County School Building

SEAMAN IS OVERSEAS

SEAMAN FRED E. MARTIN

Fred E. Martin, seaman second class, is now serving in New Guinea. He took his boot training at Camp Peary, Va., entered active service May 29, 1944, came home on his first furlough September 5, 1944, and left for overseas duty October 24, 1944.

Seaman Martin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Martin, of St. Charles. He has a wife and three children.

LEST YOU FORGET

Please remember that garbage in your back yard must be removed. It must be done soon. Don't put it off from time to time, and don't allow it to be scattered to and fro over your yards and lawns. Gather it up in some kind of container and place it where the town truck can get to it and we will carry it away. Do your part to help us have a cleaner town. Rubbish and filth breeds disease, to say nothing of the ungodly sight of having your place littered with all kinds of discarded material.

There are also many outdoor closets that must have attention. Don't neglect or put off having your closet put in a sanitary condition. Have new pits made when necessary, and other repairs made to meet the requirements of the State sanitation law. I am having a State inspector visit our town in the near future, and if you are not cooperating with us in this matter you may be subject to penalties by the Virginia health authorities.

Let's all cooperate together and have a general clean-up for once for our town. And let us do this at once. Spring is here and we all want our premises to look nice, so let's paint up and clean up, and be nice folks, and keep being nice folks. Please don't neglect doing this—it's important—it goes for better sanitary conditions—it goes for better citizenship, better and cleaner people.

E. E. PARSONS, Mayor.

Wholesale Vegetable Market For Pennington

A meeting was held Wednesday afternoon in the Mayor's office at Pennington Gap, by vegetable growers and farm leaders, with the assistance of H. L. Morgan, cooperative analyst of the T.V.A., Knoxville, Tenn., and Dr. Gordon H. Ward, marketing specialist, V.P.I., Blacksburg, for the purpose of considering a wholesale vegetable auction market as an activity of Lee Farmers Cooperative, a marketing cooperative of Lee County farmers.

This vegetable market is proposed to be established in Pennington Gap, to serve as an outlet for Lee County vegetable growers, and to meet the convenience of local stores, truckers, and wholesale vegetable markets in Lee County, Virginia, and in Harlan, Bell and Letcher counties in Kentucky.

A series of meetings in each community producing commercial vegetables will be held by the county agent and vocational agricultural teachers within the next two weeks to further consider the establishment of this market.

Josephine Williams, of St. Charles, and June Bledsoe, of Pattonville, who are students at L. M. U., were at home last week-end.

Blaze Discovered At 1:00 A. M., Saturday; Books, Equipment Lost

The Elk Knob elementary school building, located near Woodway, was destroyed by fire of unknown origin early Saturday morning, March 10. The blaze was discovered by Green Sprinkle, a farmer of that community, who said the flames had already gained great headway when he first saw the fire.

The building was a frame structure, containing six rooms and auditorium, modern equipment and well equipped library. Six teachers were employed, with a total enrollment of 250 students. Joseph Orr was the principal. The students' books were included in the loss.

Those enrolled will finish the term as follows: The two rooms of intermediates will attend Pennington High School; the fifth, sixth and seventh grades will attend at Stickleyville; and the two rooms of primary grades will have the use of the Woodway church, according to unofficial information.

The value of the building was approximately $25,000, partially covered by insurance. Dr. C. H. Henderson, chairman, Lee County Board of Supervisors, states that he will lend his best support toward the erection of a bigger and better school building, and to have it ready for use next fall.

J. E. Lanigham Is Getting Along Well

Pennington Gap folk will be glad to know that J. E. (Jim) Lanigham is getting along well at the Community Hospital in Baltimore, and seemingly on his way to recovery. Mr. Lanigham recently underwent a major operation.

Girl Scouts To Observe Their Anniversary Week

Monday, March 12, was the anniversary of Girl Scouting, and the birth date of Juliette Lowe, who founded the Scout organization for girls.

All over America, Girl Scouts are observing this week as "Anniversary Week" and are giving special programs to commemorate the birthday of their beloved founder. Steady growth has marked the organization since its beginning.

THANKS

To all our friends who gave us such helpful assistance when our home and all our belongings were burned a little more than two weeks ago. We shall always remember your kindness.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Seals and Family.

SOMEWHERE IN FRANCE

PVT. ZENIS R. YEARY

Mrs. Zenis Yeary, of Hubbard Springs, has received word that her husband, Pvt. Zenis R. Yeary, has landed safely somewhere in France.

Pvt. Yeary is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Yeary, Jonesville, Route 4. He was inducted into the Army September 6, 1944, taking his basic training at Fort McClelland, Ala.

Before going into service, Pvt. Yeary was an employee of the Virginia Electric Power Company of Portsmouth. After the war he expects to return to his job.

News From
DRY BRANCH

Mesdames Mildred Davis and Vernie Shufflebarger were shopping in Pennington, Thursday.

Mrs. Blaine Bailey, Virginia Merchant and Edith Astrop were visiting Mrs. Edna Parsons, at Lee General Hospital, Thursday.

Mrs. Verneil Edens and Sue Ely were shopping in Harlan, Ky., Saturday.

Mrs. Slatha Cox, of Dryden, and Mrs. Hattie Holt, of Sweetwater, Texas, spent Tuesday night with Mrs. A. P. Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jones, of Purcell, were visiting relatives on Dry Branch and Big Hill over the week-end.

Mrs. Mary Ledford, of Oconita, spent Friday night with her sister, Mrs. Chas. Astrop.

Due to a heavy rainfall this spring, everyone seems to be late getting "that" potato crop planted.

Sgt. Lester Parsons spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Shufflebarger.

Cpl. Wm. Roy Davis, formerly of Rose Hill, Va., is now somewhere in India. He urges all of his Lee County friends to write him at the following address: Cpl. Wm. R. Davis, 6994704, 269th M.P. Co., A.P.O. 886, c-o P.M., New York, N. Y.

Miss Mary Ruth Cox was shopping in Pennington last week.

Mr. Lee Grace and daughter-in-law, Arcee Grace, made a business trip to Pennington, Thursday.

Mrs. Mollie Earley and children, Merble and Larry, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ely, in Poor Valley, Sunday.

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News From
MILLER'S CHAPEL

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hall and children, of Ben Hur, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bailey, Sunday.

Mrs. Glenn Terry and Miss Reeda Terry were visiting at Mt. Hope, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Grace Roop and children, of Jonesville, were visiting her sister, Mrs. Ethel Russell, and children, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hughie Saddler were visiting Mrs. Saddler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Davis, Sunday.

Omer and Bradley Miller, of Jonesville, were visiting here Sunday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Allen, March 5, a son, Kenneth Herman.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Flannagan and daughter were visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tyde Haynes, last week.

Guests of Mrs. A. J. Johnson on Monday were: Mrs. Minnie Williams and daughter, Una; Mrs. Lou Fannon, Mrs. Ballard Bledsoe and son, Garland Ehas; Mrs. Glenn. Terry and children, Joyce Ann, Lowell and Winston; Reeda Terry; and Cleo Cusenberry.

Misses Sally Bea Johnson and Cleo Cusenberry were shopping in Jonesville, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luster Rogers and children, Mr. arnd Mrs. Ballard Bledsoe and son were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Olin Parsons, at Stone Creek, Saturday night.

Rev. Mack Butler will preach at the Baptist Church here Saturday night and Sunday.

The first appearance of gypsies in Europe cannot be traced back further than the beginning of the 14th century.

GET IT AT
LEE'S
Middlesboro, Ky.

News From
POOR VALLEY

Paul Gilbert, A.S., of the Navy, has completed his boot training at Bainbridge, Md., and is spending his furlough with his wife and children.

Word has been received that George Parsons, of the U. S. Army, has landed safely in Belgium.

A. J. Ely, Jr., or the U. S. Navy, is spending a few days with home folk.

Mrs. Maye Johnson and daughter, Mary, were visiting Mrs. Molly Gibson, on Dry Branch, Friday.

Mrs. Mary Alice Parsons was visiting her daughter, Mrs. Georgia Edens, Sunday.

Mrs. Sally Howard was shopping in Pennington, Thursday.

Mrs. Mary Ledford, of Oconita, was visiting her daughter, Mrs. Eliza McNamara, the past week.

News From
FRIENDSHIP

Rev. E. C. Knicely will preach here Sunday morning at 11:00 o'clock. B.T.U. at 6:45, and preaching services again at 7:00 o'clock Sunday evening.

The Y.W.A. girls will meet the fourth Saturday afternoon, March 24th, at the parsonage, with Mrs. Walter Spangler as counselor.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Carroll, of Harlan; Lee Carroll, of Cedar Hill, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Willis recently.

Several people from Wesley Chapel attended B.T.U. here Sunday night.

Messrs. Roy and Ross McClure of Bristol, were dinner guests of their father, D. C. McClure, Monday.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:
In the Clerk's Office of Lee County, Virginia, In Vacation, the 10th day of March, 1945.

Joe Ayers ..... Complainant
Vs. Order of Publication
Loretta Ayers .....Defendant

The object of the above styled suit is to obtain a divorce on behalf of the complainant, Joe Ayers, from the defendant, Loretta Ayers, on the grounds of adultery, which it is alleged the defendant has committed since the aforesaid marriage. And it appearing by affidavit filed according to law that Loretta Ayers, said defendant, is not a resident of this State, it is therefore ordered that the said Loretta Ayers do appear here within ten days after due publication of this order, in the Clerk's Office of our said Circuit Court, and do what is necessary to protect her interests. It is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a newspaper published in Lee County, Virginia; and it is further ordered that a copy hereof be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, on or before the next succeeding rule day, and another copy of this order be mailed to said defendant at the Post Office address given in the affidavit.

D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D. C.
Robt. B. Ely, p. q.
Adv. No. 11-4t.

News From
BIG HILL

Mr. Newton Burton and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jones were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Bailey, Sunday.

Misses Frances Ramey and Selma Hobbs attended Sunday School at Dry Branch last Sunday.

Mrs. Cline Perry was a visitor of Mrs. Gertrude Carter, Tuesday; also Mrs. Leanne Burton.

Mr. Leffer Belcher, of Dry Branch, was visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Belcher, Friday.

Mrs. Virginia Merchant is expecting her mother-in-law, from Ottumwa, Iowa, to be here soon for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Belcher have named their baby daughter Alice Ferne.

Misses Alzada Tankersley, Frances Ramey and Selma Hobbs were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Bailey, Sunday.

Mrs. James M. Huff died Monday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Spencer Johnson, after a lingering illness. She was buried at the Huff Cemetery at Woodway. Surviving are her husband, two sons, who live near Dryden; one son stationed in the South Pacific; and four daughters, She is also survived by a host of other relatives and friends who mourn her passing. She was a life-long resident of Lee County.

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And this is what General "Ike" says about the Red Cross:

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ASK G.I. JOE

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"Pop, whenever the Red Cross comes to you for money, give what you can spare, as they are wonderful to us."

And here's another:

"Dad, if you help anything or anybody, please give to the Red Cross because they help us. Plenty! If it wasn't for them, I don't know what our overseas soldiers would do. So Dad, do as I say. Help the Red Cross just for me!"

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Forest Wardens Told To Enforce Fire Laws

Virginia's chief forest wardens have been instructed to rigidly enforce all forest fire laws in their counties as a step in the intensive campaign of the Forest Service to "Fight Forest Fires By Preventing Them", according to a statement issued today from the office of State Forester George W. Dean. In view of the acute labor shortage, critical forest fire emergencies will prevail this spring. The forest wardens are confronted with a serious problem, and every possible means must be taken to prevent and eliminate the negligent and careless use of matches, discarded smoking material, and brush burning, the State Forester said.

Thirty - nine forest warden training sessions wer held during the winter at various places in the State in an effort to thoroughly acquaint the wardens with the details of fire prevention, fire suppression and law enforcement.

The Federal Bureau of Investigation, as a cooperative training measure, detailed two special agents to a forest wardens' meeting at the Charlottesville headquarters for the purpose of giving expert instruction on investigation and preparation of evidence. The FBI has made its Virginia agents available to assist the forest wardens on investigation. All chief forest wardens, through the District Foresters, have been instructed to call on the nearest FBI agent whenever a fire occurs of a probable intentional or incendiary origin.

The county chief forest wardens have been, and are busy, organizing readily available fire fighting crews at sawmills, quarries, mines, factories, and wherever else a group of volunteer fire fighters can be found. Approximately 350 crews composed of some 3,500 high school boys have been organized and trained in the Forest Fire Fighters Service.

But, despite these preparatory measures, to secure sufficient fire fighters it would probably be necessary, the State Forester declared, for the wardens to extensively invoke the section of the law which makes it compulsory for able-bodied men to fight fire when called upon to do so by a forest warden.

In commenting upon the 1944 fire record, the State Forester indicated that 53% of all forest fires originated from thoughtless—but careless—smokers and brush burners. Practically every one of these fires could have been prevented, the State official said, if the thoughtless smokers had broken their match in two, used the car ash tray or crushed dead out their discarded smoking material; or if the brush and trash burners had delayed starting their fire until after 4:00 p. m., and had plenty of help on hand.

Virginia's $500,000,000 forest industry, with its large number of wage earners and heavy payrolls, is dependent upon the crop harvested annually from the forests of the State. If this huge industry is to survive and develop, we cannot afford to burn even a small portion of the annual forest crop, Mr. Dean said.

The State Forester urged sawmill operators, hunters, farmers, picnickers, and all other people who have occasion to be in or near forest or grass lands to get behind the appeal of Senator Wright, chairman of the Virginia Conservation Commission, and Governor Darden to "Fight Fires By Preventing Them". Special attention was called to the statute which prohibits the burning of trash, brush, sedge and debris, until after 4:00 p. m. during the dangerous, dry, windy months of March, April, and early May.

News From BENEDICT

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jent and children, of St. Charles, were visiting relatives here Monday.

Mrs. Cassie Estep, of Calvin, visited relatives here last week.

Mrs. Bonnie Sturgill and Mrs. Gladys Ewing spent last Friday in Monarch.

Miss Artie Estep and sister, Beulah, of Calvin, spent the week-end visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Blevins visited relatives at Calvin, Sunday.

Mrs. Genova Hughes and daughter, Ginger Sue, of Virginia Lee, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sturgill here.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Yates visited friends in Ben Hur, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. White Wolfenbarger and family, St. Charles, visited relatives here Sunday.

Elmer Scarborough, Ruth and W. T., visited relatives at Oak Ridge, Tenn., last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roe Smith announce the birth o f a son on Sunday, March 11.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Ewing visited friends at Virginia Lee, Sunday.

Mrs. Emma Woodyard, of Virginia Lee, spent last Sunday here with friends.

News From NAGAN

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Oaks and family spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Oaks.

Rev. George Vanhuss, of Rose Hill, preached from the church here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Depew and family, Mrs. Howard Sumner and children, and Mrs. Steve Langley and children visited relatives and friends in Jonesville, Sunday.

Mrs. Will Ingle, Mrs. Henry Irvin and Mrs. Andy Ingle visited Pvt. and Mrs. Herman Hall, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arney Ramsey visited her mother, Mrs. Mary Watkins, Sunday.

Cellie Thomas made a business trip to Middlesboro, Saturday.

Mrs. Grover Jessee and children, of Leesburg, Va., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Fee.

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News From WALLENS CREEK

Miss Katherine Miner visited with Miss Zela Gilbert last Sunday.

Vestell Gilbert attended the ball game at Jonesville, Saturday night.

Garnett Ward, of Kingsport, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Heibert over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Price and daughter, Mildred, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lige Martin, Sunday night.

The many friends of Mrs. Laura Childress are sorry to hear that her grandson, Pfc. Harmon Childress, is missing in action.

Mr. and Mrs. Lige Martin spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Olin Lockhart.

Miss Beatrice Heibert was visiting Miss Dora Lee Moore last week.

Mrs. Burleson Sword is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gilley.

Marion Penley made a business trip to Pennington, Saturday.

News From OCOONITA

Ray Bolin, who is with the U. S. Navy in New Orleans, La., spent a five-day furlough with his brother, Arnold Bolin, and family here last week.

Misses Hazel and Eva Davis, employed at Richmond, Va., spent a few days last week here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Bolin and children and Mrs. Henry Edwards were visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Pridemore, at Ewing, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Herbert Smith gave a party at her home Friday night, honoring Ray Bolin, of the U. S. Navy. About fifty guests were present and all report a good time.

Miss Bernice Johnson, who is employed in Knoxville, Tenn., and little niece, Barbara Hargraves, spent a few days last week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hartley and children, of Ben Hur, were visiting Mrs. Hartley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Smith, Sunday afternoon.

Miss Geneva Johnson, of Woodway, spent the week-end here with relatives.

Mrs. Irving Pennington and children, of Baltimore, Md., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Mullins, of this community.

Henry Hammonds and Ernest Oaks visited friends in Pennington, Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Burgan and granddaughter, Peggy, visited relatives in Loyall and Cawood, Ky., last week.

Lester Burton, who is with the U. S. Navy, spent a 30-day furlough with his wife and parents here. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Burton.

Everette Nod, who is employed in West Virginia, spent a few days last week here with his family.

Mrs. Martha Burgan, of Monarch, spent the week-end here with her sister, Mrs. Bertha Stow.

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There was the time you wanted to forget it was Christmas. And the Red Cross girl at the club made you trim a palm leaf Christmas tree, and you all had presents and sang the old carols, out there in the hot tropic night.

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DOWN ON THE FARM

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mended that the same amount of 6-14-7 or 20% superphosphate be used. In a season of normal rainfall, it is usually profitable to side-dress the corn with 150 lbs. of nitrate of soda, or its equivalent, after the first cultivation of the corn.

The following varieties of hybrid corn are recommended for Lee County after considering local variety tests, the experience of local farmers, and tests made by the various State Experiment Stations. The seed may be secured from the producers listed.

Yellow Varieties

Ill. 200 or Ky. 102. It is a rather early variety, with medium ear and medium stalk. The husk is poor and the ear is frequently damaged by insects and weather. It is a high yielding variety and led the Lee County test last year. Seed producers: Jennings F. Potts, Purcellville, Va.; Sam Stickley, Strasburg, Va.; and F. W. Rickard, Winchester, Ky.

Ill. 448 or Ky. 102. This corn has been grown more extensively than any other hybrid in Virginia, and plenty of seed is available. It is somewhat later than Ill 200, has a larger ear, taller stalk, and somewhat better shuck. It has not yielded quite as much in our tests as Ill. 200. Seed producers: J. H. Wheeler, Ewing, Va.; Robert Robertson, Gibson Station, Va.; Southern States Cooperative, Big Stone Gap, Va., or Bristol, Va.; and F. W. Rickard, Winchester, Ky.

U. S. 13. An early variety with short stalk, medium-sized ear giving good yields in Lee County, particularly under drought conditions. Has a short, open shuck, causing some damaged ears. Seed producers: A. B. Wilson, Powhatan, Va.; John H. Ward, Leesburg, Va.; F. W. Rickard, Winchester, Ky.; and Myers Hybrid Corn Co., Hillsboro, Ohio.

White Varieties

Ky. 203. One of the most popular white hybrids. Has medium ear, medium maturity, a good yield of fodder and stands up well. Seed producers: E. S. Suttle, Jonesville, Va.; J. D. Gibson, Delaplane, Va.; and W. T. Powers, Port Royal, Va.

Ky. 72-B. White hybrid with medium ear, medium maturity and good fodder yield. Seed producer: S. D. Broadbent, Cobb, Ky.

Tenn. 15. A red cob prolific hybrid resembling Neal's Paymaster. His two or more ears per stalk with long, tight shuck. Makes a high yield of sound, rather flinty corn, but has weak stalks. Seed producers: S. G. Morton, Bristol, Tenn.; Amco Feed Store, Bristol, Tenn.; and Green Bros., Gallatin, Tenn.

Other varieties have been developed that appear to be very promising, but little seed is available as yet.

Growing Alfalfa

Quite a number of Lee County farmers are growing alfalfa and more plan to seed a considerable acreage to this legume.

Proper seeding is necessary for profitable alfalfa production. It is recommended that alfalfa be seeded without a nurse crop 30 days before the last killing frost date in the spring. Sow with drill or broadcast on cultipacked land and cross harrow.

Fifteen to 25 pounds of quality Kansas, Highland Utah, or other adapted American grown seed per acre should be used.

It is highly recommended that the seed be inoculated with a good commercial culture unless well inoculated alfalfa or sweet clover has been grown on the land recently.

The soil should be tested for acidity. By doing this, the proper amount of ground limestone, or equivalent, can be used.

Proper fertilization is most important. Ten to 15 tons of manure per acre should be used, as well as 800 to 1,000 pounds of 0-12-12 and 15 to 20 pounds of borax per acre at seeding, and top-dressing each spring with 400 pounds of 0-12-12 and 10 pounds of borax.

A firm seed bed as well as choosing the proper soil is very important. A bulletin covering this subject may be secured at the county agent's office.

TOWN TALK

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ing from an attack of flu and not able to be out of bed.

Mr. Russell thoroughly enjoyed talking with his callers, and the gifts they brought him. One was a large white cake with 95 candles on it. "I'm still able to blow," he laughingly declared, as he blew out the lighted candles.

Mr. Russell is a life-long Lee Countian and a "natural born" farmer, in which line he has made a great success. He says he purchased and shipped the first white-faced cattle ever brought to Lee County, in 1900. He then lived on one of the county's best farms, located on Sugar Run, west of Pennington Gap. For the last several years he has lived just outside Pennington, in a pretty suburban home.

The grape arbors, fruit trees, flowering shurbs and other things growing about the place testify to his love for "the good earth".

Through the open door he pointed out two large hickory trees growing in the yard. "Those aer the Indiana swamp variety," he said, "and they are 23 years old. They won't bear until they are 25. Rev. Cole, who was a brother of Mrs. E. F. Cecil, brought the seed from Indiana, and I planted them."

The Russells will have been married 53 years on the 23rd day of this month.

Flowers For The Living—And Dead

Sunday, March 11, was the birthday anniversary of Pfc. Clarence (Teet) Williams, serving with the U. S. Army somewhere in India. His mother, Mrs. Iva Williams, honored the occasion by placing on the altar at the First Baptist Church a lovely basket of gladioli.

Mrs. Flora Russell has in her care a thriyt Amaryllis lily plant formerly belonging to her daughter, Mrs. Robert Chumley, who died last fall. Sunday morning Mrs. Russell brought the plant to the Methodist Church a solid mass of beautiful, orange colored flowers.

Deputy Sheriff In Pre-Induction Call

The prayers of the outlaws of Lee County have been answered —Deputy Sheriff Claude E. Benfield will enter military service. Or at least that's the foregone conclusion, for he is listed in the second pre-induction call for March.

Benfield's statement is: "I go, but I shall come again; not that I doubt passing—I mean after this conflict is over; and I don't mind going at all. I have four brothers, three nephews, about eight first cousins and a lot of friends in the service and I'm willing to join ranks with them."

Mr. Benfield has been deputy sheriff of Lee County, with headquarters in Pennington Gap, since about November 1, and in the meantime has helped to look after the affairs of the town. His many friends wish him success in whatever field he may enlist.

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WHAT THIS MEANS TO PULPWOOD CUTTERS

- If you are of draft age (26 or over) you may be deferred until all available men in both "essential" and non-essential occupations are inducted.
- If you are now cutting pulpwood and have been deferred *stick to your job full-time.*
- If you are now in a merely "essential" occupation and want to get into "critical" pulpwood production, do so *at once.* Then apply to your draft board for deferment.

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This is all part of the stupendous job the Red Cross is doing for our fighting men all over the world . . . and for their families at home. And it cannot be done without the support of the American people. Without your help the Red Cross could not continue to collect life-saving blood for the desperately wounded . . . to send essential supplies to the prisoners of war . . . or to give the thousand and one other friendly services that help make a soldier's life a little easier.

No matter what turn the war takes, the need is still great. So won't you double . . . yes, triple your Red Cross contributions of previous years? Remember, our valiant Soldiers, Sailors and Marines are fighting and giving their lives for America . . . and for you. Won't you give a few extra dollars for them?

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Freshman Class, Martin Memorial Hospital

Miss Janice Cheek, of Jonesville, is a member of the freshman class of nurses at the Martin Memorial Hospital School of Nursing, Mt. Airy, N. C., largest class ever admitted to the Mount Airy institution.

This freshman class received their caps in a special ceremony held Saturday, February 17. Sixteen of the eighteen class members are enrolled in the Cadet Nurse Corps. The hospital now has a total of 42 student nurses, 37 of them in the Cadet Corps.

Members of the freshman class in the above picture, reading from left to right, are: Misses Faye Simpson, Dobson; Gladys Caudle, Pinnacle; Iris Culler, Brim, Va.; Audrey McMillan, Cana, Va.; Lucy Grey Hill, Thomasville; Reva Snoddy, Mt. Airy; Velma Mitchell, Galax, Va.; Juanita Tharpe, Elkin; Vivian Hemrick, State Road; Nellie Childress, Mt. Airy; Ethelene Beasley, Pilot Mountain; Susan White, Dobson; Evon Jenkins, Piney Creek; Nannie Jelly, Sparta; Annie McMillan, Cana, Va.; Grace Anderson, Pulaski, Va.; Janice Cheek, Jonesville, Va.; and Marjorie Brooks, Glade Valley.

RATION CALENDAR

PROCESSED FOODS: Blue Stamps . . . X5, Y5, Z5, A2, B2, now valid, expire March 31; C2, D2, E2, F2, G2, now valid, expire April 28; H2, J2, K2, L2, M2, now valid, expires June 2; N2, P2, Q2, R2, S2, now valid, expire June 30.

MEATS AND FATS: Red Stamps . . . Q5,R5,S5, now valid, expire March 31; T5,U5,V5, W5, X5, now valid, expires April 28; Y5, Z5, A2, B2, C2, D2, now valid, expire June 2; E2, F2, G2, H2, J2, now valid, expire June 30.

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GASOLINE: A-14 coupons valid through March 21.

No Easing On Gasoline ....

Those who hoped for easing of gasoline restrictions in time for vacation are doomed to definite disappointment, OPA District Director Goodwin said this week at Roanoke.

With military demands stepping up as Allied forces hammer home repeated blows at the enemy, there can be no lessening of gasoline regulations, he emphasized. Supplemental gas rations are being issued with the utmost care, he added, and every applicant for additional gasoline must present his Mileage Rationing record at the time his application is made.

Gasoline coupons now valid, he explained, are A-14, B5, B6, B7, C5, C6, C7, E1, E2, E3, R1, R2, and R3.

OPA Okays Cereal Increase

Housewives can look for a slight rise in the cost of the family's morning cereal, as result of recent OPA action authorizing a new method of figuring costs for processors and repackers. The action was necessitated by rising production expense, OPA said.

Retail prices of the smaller and most popular sizes of cereals probably will not be affected by the decision, the Roanoke OPA District Office said yesterday, but the larger sizes will probably go up about a cent.

Salute To Farmers

Salsting the part that farmers are playing in maintaining rationing and price control, District Director B. C. Goodwin said yesterday that ten thousand farmers are now serving as volunteer members of the nation's War Price and Rationing Boards, in addition to their full-time job of producing meats, fruits and vegetables for our armed forces and America's tables.

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He planteth grain to feed the bird, and tilleth it diligently, he and his servants and his asses, and when the harvest is gathered, he presenteth a bill to the Club for more than the old bird is worth.

He borroweth money from the treasury to buy corn and wheat and oats, and the interest eateth up all that he hath.

He begets enemies and hath no friends, and they all hateth him, and lo, they talketh about him The fruits of his labors bringeth him nothing for purchasing a goose.

He goeth forth from the meetings, and lo, no one walketh with him

He findeth no consolation at home, as his wife also hateth the goose.

Maybe we should remove him from the Club because he betteth a crooked bet with the members

Sorrow will followeth us all the days of his life and when he is gathered to the fathers the president shall sayeth: "How much did he leave "

Lo, he hath left it all, including the goose, and we must keepeth it forever.

Thus , woe is us, for the goose layeth no eggs, and the thing eateth more than the secretary'

Big Stone Gap Attorney Appointed Exec. Officer

Lieutenant Colonel Kermit A. Bailey, of Big Stone Gap, Va., has been appointed executive officer of the Eighth Air Forces 66th Fighter Wing, it was announced recently by Brigadier General Murray C. Woodbury, of Burlington, Vt., wing commanding general.

Col. Bailey's wife, Mrs. Jean L. Bailey, and his son, David Leonard, live at 426 West 27th Street, Norfolk, Va.

A lawyer in civilian life, Col. Bailey was graduated from Georgetown University and Tulane University. He entered the service in 1940 and received his wings and commission in July, 1941, at Maxwell Field, Ala. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Bailey, live at Big Stone Gap.

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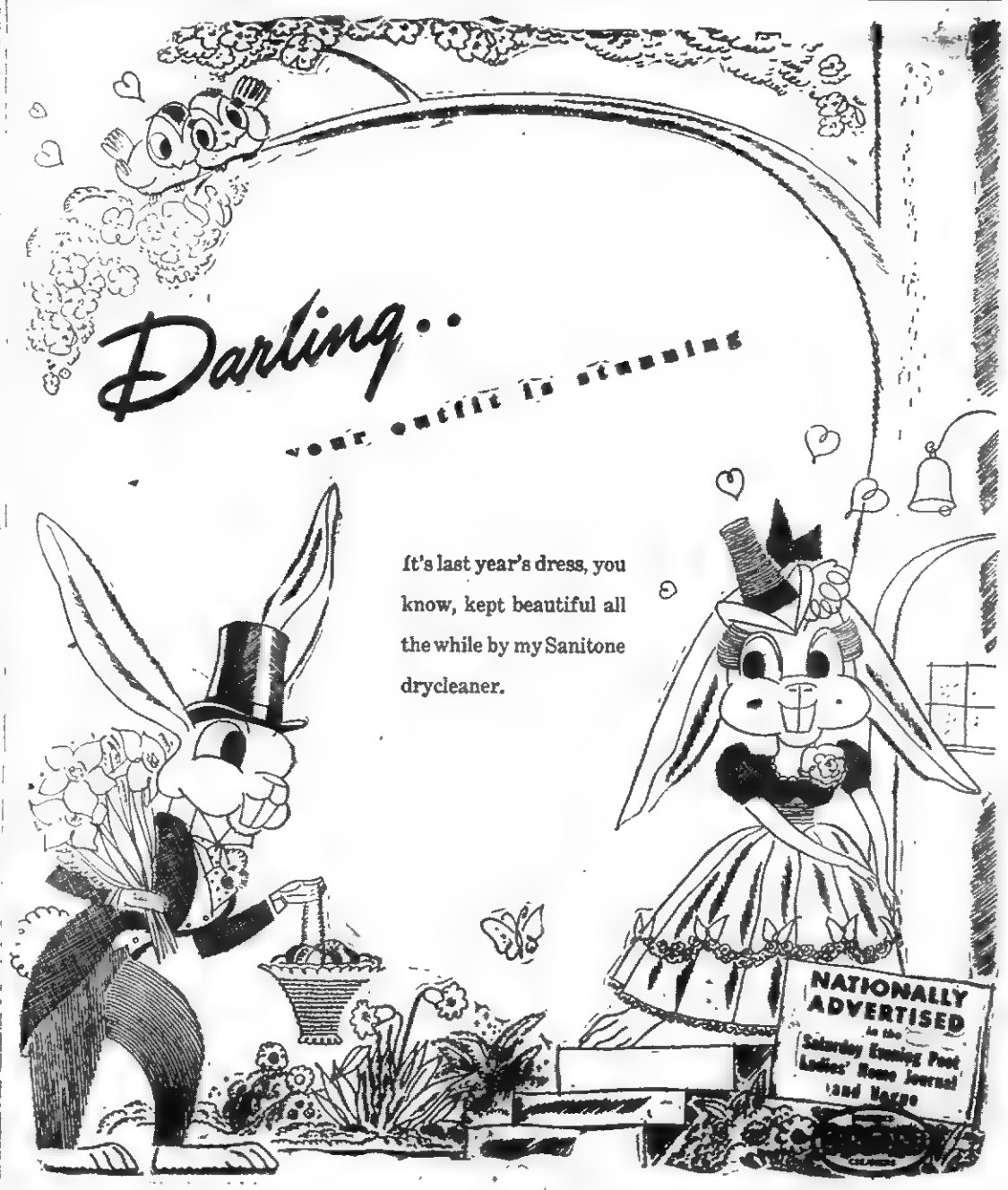

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Social and Personal

Shower For Recent Bride

The Wesleyan Service Guild held its regular monthly meeting at the church, with Mrs. Mehaffey and Mrs. Ida Richards as hostesses. After the business meeting, the group was invited to the home of Mrs. Mehaffey for refreshments. Upon entering the home, the guests found this to be a party honoring a new bride, Mrs. Frank Duncan Jr., nee Mary Isabel Crowell. As the guests entered the home, Miss Cora Lewis, at the piano, played the Wedding March. All through the evening she played I Love You Truly, Because, Oh, Promise Me, and other familiar songs.

The dining table was beautifully decorated with a banquet cloth, the center piece being a three-tier wedding cake. Miss Stacey presided at the tea table. Mrs. Duncan was called into the dining room to cut the cake. Refreshments consisted of angel food, tea and nuts.

After refreshments were served, the bride was presented with a shower of lovely gifts.

Pastor Goes To Clinton

Rev. and Mrs. Charlie D. Mehaffey went to Clinton, Tenn., Tuesday, where Rev. Mehaffey assisted Rev. Farmer in funeral services for Alga Duncan, Oak Ridge worker, who was killed Monday when the car in which he was riding collided with a truck two miles west of Clinton.

Mr. Duncan was a member of St. Mark's Methodist Church at Clinton when Rev. Mehaffey was pastor there. Funeral services were held from that church Wednesday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock.

Be sure to see "Something For the Boys", coming to Lee Theatre on Monday and Tuesday, March 26 and 27.

Shower For Mrs. Harber

Mrs. G. E. Harber entertained at her home Thursday evening with a stork shower for her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Ty Harber. After a recreational hour of games and contests suited to the occasion, refreshments were served, followed by the opening and display of many and lovely gifts for the baby-to-be.

H.A. 1C. Wilbert Tueting and Mrs. Tueting arrived from Great Lakes, Ill., Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Adams. Mr. Tueting returned the following day, and Mrs. Tueting, formerly Miss Mary Adams, will remain with her parents indefinitely while her husband is in service.

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Mrs. Jack Warf and children, of Bonny Blue, are spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stapleton, of Loudon, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kirk and daughter, Lillian, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kirk, of Norton, Va.

Kenneth Harber, of Detroit, panied on their return home by Mich.; Miss Lucy Adams and Mrs. Neal Bowman, of Pennington Gap, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kirk, Norton, Va., Saturday.

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Clarence E. Keys, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Keys, 1116 Myrtle St., Kingsport, Tenn., and formerly of Jonesville, spent a 16-day furlough with his parents and friends, ending March 10.

He completed 16 months of intensive training at the University of North Carolina, and has now reported to the Navy Midshipman School at Notre Dame University, South Bend, Ind. There he will undergo three and a half months' training. While at home Clarence visited relatives and friends in Jonesville and Wise.

Misses Mozetta and Polly Bellamy, of Jonesville, were week-end guests of Charlene Keys and Wanda Tillette, of 1116 Myrtle St., Kingsport, Tenn. While there they attended the Andy Kirk dance.

Frank Stallard, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Stallard, has completed a ten-day furlough here with his parents, and returned to the University of Connecticut, where he is taking a course in electrical engineering. He entered service August 9, 1944, and took his basic training at Camp Blanding ,Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Stallard have bought the Otis Creech property at Woodway, and are moving into it this week.

Edsel Pugh, ministerial student of Lynchburg College, is at home this week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Pugh.

Misses Imogene and Dorothy Burgan, Phyllis Quinley and Mary Lou Smith went to Cincinnati, Sunday, and were accom-

Mrs. Ann Smith Tilley, who is coming home to stay for the duration while her husband is overseas.

G. W. David and Robert David visited their brother and nephew, Wm. Ray David, and family, at Beckley, W. Va., over the week-end.

Miss Sue Olinger, commercial teacher at Winston-Salem, N. C., was here over the week-end to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Olinger, and brother, Seaman Billy Olinger, who was at home on a brief furlough. Billy returned with her to spend a few days while awaiting a new assignment.

Miss Pearl Cornett was the week-end guest of the Rhea family at Clinton, Tenn. Their son, Sgt. Paul E. Rhea, is at home on a 30-day furlough, after spending more than 30 months in overseas service.

Mrs. R. S. Orr and daughter, Betty Jo, have returned from a three-weeks' stay in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Francis and children, of Bonny Blue, spent last week-end with relatives at Harlan, Ky.

Curtis Chinnault, a student of Maryville College, was at home with his parents last week-end.

Jimmy Garland, who only a few years ago was numbered among the younger set here, is now quite grown-up and is G.M. 1-C. with the U. S. Navy, stationed at Norfolk. He has just completed a visit among his friends here, and left this morning to return to his base.

Edna Ruth and Mary Bailey, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., were at home a few days last week with their mother, Mrs. E. L. Bailey.

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Sheets announce the engagement of their daughter, Ruth, to Wm. R. Jordon, M.M. 2-C., son of Mrs. Riley Cook, of Woodway.

Seaman Jordon has served in both the Atlantic and Pacific areas and is now assigned to the U.S.S. Ingersoll, stationed at San Pedro, Calif. The wedding date has not been set.

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Lee 4-H Clubs Receive Recognition

We offer the following prizes to Lee County 4-H Club members in 1945: Delegates to National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago, December, 1945,$150.00— to be awarded: $75.00 to the outstanding Lee County 4-H Club boy and $75.00 to be awarded to the outstanding 4-H Club girl to pay their expenses to the National 4-H Club Congress. In case no Club Congress is held, a $100.00 War Bond will be awarded to each winner instead; and $100.00 for various projects as outlined in this advertisement.

We pay tribute to Lee County's 4-H Club members, who have made such a contribution to the Nation's War Effort during our National Emergency. The sacrificial efforts of 4-H Clubbers in our nation have materially contributed to the maintenance of food supplies during this unprecedented emergency. No foreign system of government will ever penetrate through the lines of these stalwart Young Americans of the soil. Within a few years, you will assume your share of the responsibility in carrying on our Democracy, and we certainly feel you will be worthy of this trust. We salute you, and always stand ready to extend any possible cooperation for the promotion of your program.

General Rules Applying To All Contests:

All contestants must be bona-fide members of a Lee County 4-H Club.

All contestants must keep accurate record books on their projects.

Winners will be determined by the County Agent, the County Club Agent and officers of the local clubs.

The winners must be 14 years of age or older.

The awards will be made on basis of project work, leadership and general club activities.

RULES:

CORN PROJECT — $25.00:

First Prize, $10.00; Second, $7.50; Third, $5.00; Fourth, $2.50.

RULES: Must plant hybrid seed corn.
Acreage not less than one acre, not more than five acres.
Award will be made on basis of highest yield of sound corn.

GARDEN PROJECT — $25.00:

First Prize, $10.00; Second, $7.50; Third, $5.00; Fourth, $2.50.

Awards will be made on basis of gardens producing vegetables for home use for longest period of time.

POULTRY PROJECT — $25.00:

First Prize, $10.00; Second, $7.50; Third, $5.00; Fourth, $2.50.

BREEDING PIG PROJECT — $25.00:

First Prize, $10.00; Second, $7.50; Third, $5.00; Fourth, $2.50.

RULES: Must purchase registered gilt of a popular breed. Pigs will be shown at the County Fair and awards made on basis of judges' placing.

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News From
ST. CHARLES

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church held their March meeting with Mrs. Ezra Gilliam on Thursday, March 8, with Mrs. Carl Evans, president, presiding. Mrs. Hazel Baker, program leader, gave a reading on "Hast thou not known?"

The business report was read by Mrs. Anna Mullins and approved. After the business session, the members gave a handkerchief shower for Mrs. Earl Murphy, a member who is leaving to make her home in Big Stone Gap. During the social hour the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Carl Evans and Pauline Johnson, served a salad plate to the following members:

Mrs. J. R. Evans, Mrs. Carl Evans, Mrs. E. D. Gilliam, Mrs. Mollie Harber, Mrs. Hazel Baker Mrs. Earl C. Murphy, Mrs. Ola Sprinkle, Mrs. Roxie Bruce, Mrs. Anna Mullins, Mrs. Ralph Pope, Mrs. Neal Davis, Patricia Davis, Mrs. Munsey, Mrs. Wax, and Pauline Johnson.

The Society will meet in April with Mrs. Carl Evans at her home.

Mrs. J. R. Evans and Mrs. Roxie Burse, of Maness, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Sprinkle, Friday.

Mrs. Neal Davis and Mrs. J. R. Evans visited with Mrs. B. C. Culbertson, who has been ill for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Griffith are moving to Moccasin Gap soon.

Mrs. Roxie Burse gave a dinner Wednesday for Mrs. Earl Murphy, who is leaving soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Haskill Pope gave a dinner party for Norman Campbell and Eugene Corbin, who are home on furlough from the U. S. Navy. Several close friends were invited.

Pvt. Cecil Terry, son of Mrs. Alice Terry, is at home on a brief furlough from Walter Reed Hospital. Pvt. Terry has spent several months overseas.

Army Women May Ask For U.S. Assignment If Husband Is Returned

A woman in the Army serving overseas may request return for duty in the United States when her husband is returned to this country from permanent overseas assignment with any of the Armed Forces, the War Department announced today. The rule applies to members of the Women's Army Corps, nurses, hospital dietitians, and physical therapy aides.

Theater commanders are authorized to return for duty in the United States any woman officer, woman warrant officer or enlisted woman, upon her request and presentation of satisfactory evidence that her husband has been returned from permanent overseas assignment with the Armed Forces to the United States for reassignment, hospitalization or honorable discharge.

The new ruling, which applies only to women overseas, is in addition to an older policy with regard to married members of the Women's Army Corps whose husbands have been discharged for medical reasons.

In the latter case, consideration is given to the circumstances arising out of the discharge of the woman's husband from the Armed Forces or Merchant Marines for disability or his retention in the service for medical treatment. If he is dependent upon her for care or support and a material contribution to his reconditioning the woman soldier may ask for her own discharge.

Tech. Sgt. Joe Farmer At Home For 30 Days

Among our local servicemen at home from the battle lines for a brief rest in Tech. Sgt. Joe Farmer, of St. Charles. He is here for a 30-day furlough from the South Pacific area, where he has served in the U. S. Army Air Corps. He holds several decorations for outstanding service, also the Presidential Citation.

Mrs. C. H. Redmond, of St. Charles, entertained at dinner Friday for Sgt. Farmer, and also for Staff Sgt. Carl R. Green, also of St. Charles, who was just finishing his 30-day furlough and returning to his base in Hawaii.

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Taught Athletics — Now Teaches Physical Fitness

Roy Eugene Bowen, of R.F.D. 1, Jonesville, Va., has been assigned as instructor in charge of Physical Fitness Program at the Navy V-12 Unit, Mississippi College, Clinton, Miss. Bowen attended Lincoln Memorial University, where he played basketball and baseball. He taught and coached athletics at St. Charles High School, St. Charles, Va., and joined the Navy in June, 1943.

Music Club Meets

The Pennington Gap Junior Music Club held its regular monthly meeting in the music studio, on Friday afternoon, March 2. After the meeting was called to order, the National Junior Hymn was sung, followed by an installation service of officers. The following program was given.

Report on the Junior Musicians Magazine, Mary Alice Beverly.

Piano duet — "At Pierrot's Door", Katherine Miner and Miss Lewis.

Piano solo—"Indian Drum"—Davis; Ben Ellis Pitts.

Piano solo—"The Fairy Barque"—Smallwood; Mary Alice Beverly.

Piano solo—"Rustic Dance"—Howell; Jane Kauffman.

Piano Duet—"The Moon Rocket"—Rolfe; Mildred Kelly and Eugene Mehaffey.

Discussion of the book, "Stephen Foster and His Little Dog Tray"—Mrs. C. D. Mehaffey.

Singing by the entire club of the first stanza of our National Anthem, accompanied at the piano by Mildred Kelly.

The next meeting will be held the first Friday afternoon in April.

Reporters:
Shirley King,
Mary Lee Carpenter.

Outstanding Chorus To Sing At Appalachia

When the Bristol Men's Chorus sings at Appalachia on Sunday, March 20, it will bring to that city an unique ensemble of men's voices that are the pick of Bristol and vicinity.

Organized in 1943 by a group of Bristol business men who formed the Chorus primarily for the enjoyment it would afford them, this musical unit has given freely of its time and talent for the benefit of civic organizations. Capacity audiences have applauded their poise and versatility and have found in their renditions unusually fine precision of attacks combined with fluid tonal effects that delight the ear and provide enjoyable entertainment.

Among the able talent offering the concert are many well known Bristol men. Dr. J. L. McCord, a leading Bristol optometrist, is president of the chorus and lends his rich, full voice to the bass section. Dr. McCord, who has been active in church choir work for several years, has sung in the annual "Messiah" in Bristol for the past ten years. He, like several other members of the chorus, have had the advantage of voice guidance under the capable tutorship of Dr. Frederick Martin, of international concert fame. Dr. McCord has taken an active part in Bristol's Kiwanis minstrel shows during the past several years.

In the baritone section will be found versatile Fey Rogers, program director and popular announceor of radio station WOPI. He is a talented and experienced performer who, following glee club parts at the University of Richmond under the able direction of Harker, spent several years studying voice at Bridgewater College, at Bridgewater, Conn. He was active in their co-voice chorus, and because his baritone voice produced such delicate tonal balance, was selected for the college quartet. As a teacher of voice and by his recitals throughout the Valley of Virginia, Fey Rogers is well known as a polished artist to many in this section of the country.

Altogether, the chorus ranks high in splendid entertainment. Only years of practice could enable a group of non-professional voices to sing with such tonal balance and quality. Like previous concerts, their coming performance is destined to be an outstanding musical event of the season.

The chorus will appear at Appalachia High School on Tuesday, March 20th, at 7:30 p. m. (CWT), under the sponsorship of the Appalachia Lions Club.

Queen Elizabeth of Romania, who died in 1916, was best known by her pen name, Carmen Sylva.

The discovery of the abberation of light in 1725, made by James Bradley, is one of the most important in the whole domain of astronomy.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

H. L. Snodgrass

H. L. Snodgrass, a farmer living in the Thompson Settlement community near Flatwood, died suddenly at his home early Tuesday morning, March 13.

Funeral services were held from the Thompson Settlement Church at 10:00 a. m. today, in charge of the Rev. H. E. Boyd, of St. Charles, assisted by Rev. E. C. Knicely and Rev. King.

Mr. Snodgrass is survived by his widow; two sons, Ray, in the U. S. Army service, and John, at home; two daughters Mrs. Lorene Glass, and Mrs. Ann Davidson. Mrs. Glass, with her husband, Gray Glass, now in the armed services, formerly lived in Pennington Gap.

Mrs. Sophie Ackerman

Mrs. Sophie Dahm Ackerman died in the Pineville Community Hospital about 12:30 o'clock Wednesday night, March 14.

Mrs. Ackerman was born in Germany on July 15, 1875. She came to America in 1896, married John Frederick Ackerman in 1898. The Ackermans came to Pineville in 1924, where Mr. Ackerman was employed as construction engineer and superintendent of production of the mountain district of Kentucky Utilities.

Funeral services will be conducted from the Pineville Presbyterian Church on Friday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, with the Rev. E. L. McClurkam in charge.

Prior to their going to Pineville, the Ackermans resided in Pennington Gap.

Pennington Methodist Church

Sunday, March 18: Church School at 9:30 a. m., Clyde M. Kirk, Supt. Preaching at 10:45. Sermon subject: "Refilling Our Vessels". Special music.

Sunday evening: Young People's Groups meet at 6:15. Preaching at 7:00 o'clock. Sermon topic: "Water of Life".

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

Charlie D. Mehaffey, Pastor.

First Baptist Church

Sunday School begins at 9:30 a. m., to study the important general subject "The Law of Life". Mr. A. T. Burchette, the superintendent, is much encouraged with recent increases in attendance.

Pastor's subject for the morning worship period beginning at 10:45 will be "Closed Wells".

The Training Union, under the direction of Mrs. P. R. Stubbs, meets at 6:30 p. m. The training department is graded to provide for the needs of all ages.

The subject for evening worship at 7.30 o'clock will be "Divine Inscriptions".

A most cordial welcome awaits you at these services on Sunday and for the revival meeting starting Monday.

P. R. Stubbs, Pastor.

First Christian Church

Sunday, March 18th: Bible School at 10:00 a.m., F. M. Smalley, Supt. Worship with communion at 10:45. Sermon subject: "A Pure Church An Increasing Church."

After the sermon and invitation, the following who have been elected as deacons and elders will be ordained: I. P. Gilly, Frank May, C. B. Meimann, and Cecil Shelburne, to the office of deacons; and Elmo David to the eldership. All other elders and deacons will participate in this ordination service.

Christian Endeavor Societies meet at 6:15 p. m. Evening worship at 7:00 o'clock. This will be a special service conducted by the Women's Sunday School class, Mrs. W. B. Moore, director. Theme: "Christian Women At Work."

Choir rehearsal Wednesday evening at 6:30 o'clock. Midweek prayer service at 7:00.

"Let us not neglect the assembling of ourselves together for worship."

W. B. Moore, Minister.

The island of Manhattan was bought from the Indians, May 6, 1620, by Peter Minuit, a Dutchman.

Clean your toaster when it is cold and then use only warm soapy water on a cloth. Never immerse it in water.

The Pilgrims on the "Mayflower" were bound for New York when they left Holland, but landed at Plymouth by mistake.

Puerto Rico is inhabited by more than 2,000,000, and is one of the most densely populated places on earth.

Geology is the science of the past and present conditions of the earth.

News From
BURKHART'S CHAPEL

Rev. C. R. McPherson filled his regular appointment here last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ermine Alsup and son, of Poor Valley, visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Pennington, of Slab Town, visited relatives here last week.

Creed Lambert, of the U. S. Army, is spending a 30-day furlough with friends and relatives, after serving 25 months overseas.

Carl Bernfield, of the Navy, was visiting his sister, Mrs. Maxie Pennington, recently.

Mrs. Anna Mae Moore and daughter, Shirley, of Columbus, Ind., were visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Ely, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Silven Rutherford and children and Mr. and Mrs. John Pennington were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clay Pennington, Sunday.

Mrs. Ruth Cornette, of Dartmont, Ky., visited relatives here last week.

A revival began here Friday night, conducted by Rev. Tom Bowen, of Evarts, Ky. Every one is invited to attend.

Mrs. Jenelle King and children, of Robbins Chapel, were guests of Mrs. Myrtle Robbins, Wednesday night.

Mrs. Lloyd Capps and children and Miss Jeweline Robbins visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Willis, of Woodway, Tuesday.

Mrs. Tina Parsons was visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Ely, Sunday.

Sunday School at this place is slightly increasing in attendance. We want to extend a heaty invitation to everyone in our community to attend regularly and associate with each and every one.

A snapping turtle has no teeth but its jaws are equipped with horny, knifelike edges.

Australia has a total area of 2,974,581 miles and more than 12,000 miles of coastline.

Funds Allocated To Secondary Highways

Allocation of $8,500,000 to the secondary highway system of Virginia for the new fiscal year beginning July 1st has been announced by State Highway Commissioner James A. Anderson.

This amount exceeds last year's allocation by approximately $2,500,000, and equals the top amount ever allocated to the secondary system. With distribution of these funds made on a four-way basis of (1) the total number of miles driven on the rural secondary roads in any one county in one year; (2) Rural population for 1940; (3) Rural area, and (4) Rural secondary road mileage, the eight construction districts in the Highway System will receive the following amounts:

Bristol, $1,247,847.65; Salem, $1,187,288.89; Lynchburg, $1,117,137.32; Richmond, $1,011,853.69; Suffolk, $1,109,519.28; Fredericksburg; $676,044.14; Culpeper, $1,102,811.87; and Staunton District, $1,047,497.16.

The four counties receiving the largest amounts are Pittsylvania, with $272,943.50; Augusta, with $203,261; Bedford, with $176,339.81; and Rockingham, with $176,121.50.

Lee County, which is in the Bristol District, will receive $35,912.17.

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News From
WALLEN'S CREEK

Mary Lou Russell, Cor.

J. Doyle Watson, employed at Baltimore, Md., is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James W. Watson.

Miss Daisy Pannel spent last Friday night and Saturday with her cousin, Miss Mary Lou Russell.

Rev. L. D. Perkins filled his regular appointment here Sunday. A large crowd attended the services.

Miss Virginia Watson, employed at Kingsport, Tenn., spent last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Watson.

Messrs. Martin Warner, Charlie (Spud) Collins, Roy Lee (Leechie) Blankenship were visiting Mr. C. P. Horton, Jr., Sunday.

Mr. Gleese Ely was visiting his sister, Mrs. J. W. Watson, and family, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Edwards made a business trip to Pennington, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Edwards were visiting their sons, Millard and Henry Edwards, and families, Sunday.

Mrs. R. P. Parkey is spending a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. Lillie Roop.

After the Germans smashed into Poland in 1939, they took Lodz and renamed it Litzmanstadt in honor of their war hero, Gen. Karl Litzmann.

NOTICE

Persons having claims against the estate of J. B. Cox, deceased, are hereby notified to present same to Maxie M. Cox, Administratrix of the estate of said J. B. Cox, and all persons indebted to said estate are required to settle said indebtedness at once.

MAXIE M. COX, Admrx.
of the Estate of J. B. Cox,
deceased.

Adv. No. 9-4t pd.

Overbay Renders Music In Johnson City Rites

Paul L. Overbay, of Kingsport, Tenn., was numbered among the guests at the Setzer-Willis wedding, an outstanding social event in Johnson City, Tenn., last Monday, March 12.

Mr. Overbay, known for his unusual tenor voice, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Overbay, Sr., of Pennington Gap, and is program manager and tenor soloist for Station WKPT of Kingsport.

The principals in the wedding were Miss Katheryn Ross Setzer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Warner Setzer, of 114 Southwest Avenue, Johnson Ctiy, and John Keiver Willis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Senden T. Willis, 311 Holston Avenue, Johnson City, who were married in the Central Baptist Church at 8:00 p. m. Monday by the pastor, Dr. Wm. R. Wrigill.

The nuptial music was rendered by Mrs. Vivian Ring, as organist, and Mr. Overbay, tenor.

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ERNIE PYLE says:
"This is your Red Cross"

"Something Fine to Behold" By Ernie Pyle

EVERYWHERE I went there was the American Red Cross giving its services to our fighting men. It is something fine to behold, this touch of home which the men and women Red Cross workers are able to bring to our troops abroad.

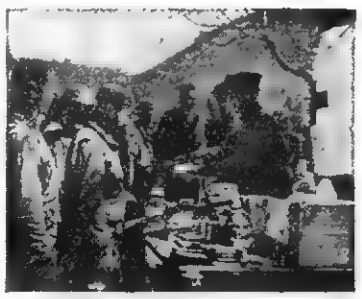
When the Red Cross opens up in a new war theater, its growth has to be as fast as the growth of the Army. The way clubs spring up overnight in newly occupied centers, the way restaurants and dances and movies and clubmobiles and doughnut factories mushroom into life all over a new country, is something that still astonishes me.

Right in the field with their regiments are the Red Cross field directors, who act as a link between the soldiers and their homes.

In most of the hospitals, doing the recreational and welfare work for which the nurses can spare so little time, are the Red Cross hospital girls. With every medical unit are countless quantities of the indispensable blood plasma made from the voluntary blood donations of the American people.

Our soldiers and sailors abroad literally worship the Red Cross, and I personally can find nothing but praise to say about its program as I saw it in operation.

Your contribution to the Red Cross makes these scenes possible



FIELD SERVICE AT THE FRONT! Wherever your soldier goes, the Red Cross goes, too. Field Directors distribute toilet articles, writing paper, cigarettes. They maintain contact between men and their families. In one month in 1944, Field Directors relayed over 31,000 messages.

MOVIES IN A HOSPITAL WARD! Mickey Mouse and the latest Hollywood releases do wonders for a fellow with a leg full of shrapnel! And so do books, games, song-fests—stock-in-trade of Red Cross Recreational Workers at home and overseas. Your Red Cross speeds up rehabilitation!

WELCOME BACK INTO CIVILIAN LIFE. The Red Cross provides special information and help for disabled veterans. The Red Cross answers questions about pensions, claims, vocational training. It is authorized to present veterans' claims. The Red Cross is at his side—always!

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With Our Service Men

Pfc. Coy W. Flanigan, son of Mrs. Ada Flanigan, of Ben Hur, and Pfc. Earl Rogers, nephew of Mrs. Mandalike, of Bonny Blue, are members of the 175th Engineer General Service Regiment which recently spanned the Serchio River on the Fifth Army front in Italy with a 270-foot timber pile bent bridge.

Among the 70 large bridges the regiment has built since last August 1, is a 530-foot Bailey bridge assembled across the Arno River by one company in 7 days.

Pfc. Clarence M. Everidge, son of Mrs. Lorena Everidge, of Pennington Gap, Route 2, is stationed with the U. S. Army somewhere in Germany.

He entered service August 7, 1943, taking his training in Camp Stewart, Ga., and Camp Van Dorn, Miss. He has been overseas for the past eight months; was twice wounded in Germany and awarded the Purple Heart.

His brother, Cpl. Barney Everidge, is stationed somewhere in the South Pacific. Cpl. Everidge entered Army service January 30, 1943, and has served sixteen months overseas in Australia, New Guinea, Dutch East Indies, Philippines, and other combat areas.

Pfc. Charles F. Hobbs, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hobbs, of Jonesville, Route 1, has been awarded the Good Conduct Medal. He is serving in the Pacific area.

Pvt. Omar Dean, son of Mrs. Laurinda Dean, of Pennington Gap, is a member of the 316th Engineer Combat Battalion, which has been running into direct German resistance as it carves out a route of advance for Fifth Army troops fighting toward Italy's Po Valley.

Jerry machine gun fire was turned on the Engineers as they filled a huge crater recently on Highway 65, leading into Bologna, to enable tanks to advance. The men of the 316th finished the job and fought their way out.

At a USAAF Airfield in Italy, recently celebrating two years overseas with an outstanding engineer aviation battalion, was Tech.-5 Orville C. Card, of Calvin, and Pvt. Thomas W. Wilson, of Stone Creek, Va.

Most extraordinary have been the experiences of these G.I.'s. Since sailing from a U. S. port early in 1943, they have traveled three-quarters of the way around the globe, covering a distance of more than 20,000 miles. They are one of the few outfits to boast a continuous overseas service in two theaters of war, with operations extending to five continents.

Local Boys Heard From

Mrs. Lee Sally is in receipt of a letter from her brother, Cpl. Don Carter, with the U. S. Army overseas, stating that he has been confined to an English hospital for about 60 days.

Cpl. Carter was wounded in action December 3, 1944, but apparently recovered and returned to duty.

Also Mrs. Sally's son, Cpl. Wm. E. Sally, writes that he has been so fortunate as to have been granted two furloughs recently, both of which he spent in Scotland.

New Son For New Fighter

LT. LAWRENCE A. MUSICK

First Lieutenant Lawrence A. Musick, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Musick, of Pennington Gap, is serving with General Patton's Third Army, in the 17th Airborne Division.

At the same day and hour that he went into action January 1st, his wife gave birth to a son, at Los Angeles, Calif. The baby bears the name McKinzie Kirk Musick.

News From JONESVILLE

Route Two

S. 1-C. and Mrs. Albert Mullins were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Geo. B. Andis this week.

Pfc. James M. Neff, of Los Angeles, Calif., is spending a few days with friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. B. Andis have received word that their son, Kenneth W., serving with the U. S. Army somewhere in Germany, has been promoted to the rank of staff sergeant from that of corporal.

Mrs. Alice Lanning, employed in Baltimore, Md., spent the past week-end with her mother, Mrs. W. O. Price, and sister, Mrs. H. M. Andis.

Miss Nancy Standifer had as her guest Sunday, Mr. Tom Roberts.

Billy McConnell is very ill of mumps.

Mrs. Eliza Stone and Mrs. Bessie Meade, of Knoxville, Tenn., visited with Mrs. Alice Flanary over the week-end.

Mrs. R. P. Smallwood is very ill at this writing.

Miss Maggie Ringley returned to North Carolina, where she is employed, after spending a five-day vacation with her mother, Mrs. Grace Ringley.

Pvt. H. B. Leffar is expected to arrive soon on a five-day furlough.

Earl J. Andis, S. 2-C., of Banana River, Fla., has been on the sick list for the past few days.

Captain S. F. Andis is expected to return to the States before long.

Mrs. Ola Fleenor and daughter, Mavis Hall, left last week for Detroit, Mich., where they will join the husband and father, Rudell Fleenor.

Battlefield epidemics, common in previous conflicts, have been non-existent during World War II.

In ancient Rome, shopping for the family meals was regarded as man's work.

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Thousands of weak, undernourished, underweight men and women are gratefully praising Retonga for the relief this noted medicine gave them. For instance Mrs. T. L. Kennedy, 211 E. Green St., Wilson, N. C., happily states:

"When I started taking Retonga I weighed only 106 pounds. Now I weigh 116 and I feel splendid. For two or three years I felt about as weak and rundown as a person could and keep going. My appetite was very poor and nothing I ate seemed to give me any strength. My nerves were easily upset, and I suffered badly from sluggish elimination. I suppose I was very toxic for at times I had aches and pains throughout my whole body. My weight started going down, and nothing I tried seemed to help.

"Retonga gave me relief far beyond my expectations. I have a real appetite, and I have regained ten pounds. My nerves have settled down, I sleep fine, and even that sluggish elimination is relieved. I feel lots stronger and my housework is again a pleasure. Retonga is simply grand."

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the County of Lee, March Term, 1945.

Irene Wuerdeman ......Complainant
Vs. Order of Publication
Paul Wuerdeman ....Defendant

The object of the above styled suit is to obtain a divorce a mensa et thoro by the complainant, Irene Wuerdeman, from the defendant, Paul Wuerdeman, upon grounds of wilful desertion of the complainant by the defendant for a period of less than two years.

And it appearing by affidavit filed according to law that Paul Wuerdeman, the above defendant, is not a resident of this State; it is therefore ordered that the said Paul Wuerdeman do appear within ten days after due publication of this order, in the Clerk's Office of our said Circuit Court, and do what is necessary to protect his interests. It is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a newspaper published in Lee County, Virginia. It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, on or before the next succeeding rule day, and another copy hereof be mailed to the defendant at the Post Office address given in the affidavit.

CHARLES N. HAWS,
Deputy Clerk.

Robt. B. Ely, p. q.
Adv. No. 10-4t.

Ask G.I. Joe's family what your Red Cross is doing for them . . .

and you'll be proud of the answers you get!

THE Red Cross is doing a tremendously important job in relieving the pressure of war on civilians. This pressure is especially heavy on servicemen's families. Their fears and worries and griefs deserve and *get* special attention from the Red Cross.

But in this war, *all* are affected. And the Red Cross reaches out to aid *all*—in many and varied ways. The scenes below show the Red Cross in action on the Home Front!

WHEN LETTERS STOP, G.I. Joe's family turns to the Red Cross. Through its world-wide organization—the Red Cross finds out what's up!

GIRL WITH A HUNDRED JOBS! Red Cross Motor Corps girls drive ambulances, military vehicles, blood donor trucks; are trained to meet all emergencies.

WHEN JOE RETURNS—WOUNDED Red Cross Recreation and Hospital Workers brighten long, dreary hospital hours—relieve the worries that spring up in sick men's minds.

JOE JUNIORS THE COUNTRY OVER will be a healthier, happier generation because of Home Nursing courses given by the Red Cross.

THE NURSE SHORTAGE is being relieved in civilian hospitals everywhere by Red Cross recruited-and-trained Nurse's Aides. The Red Cross also trains Dietitian's Aides.

DOMESTIC DISASTERS INCREASE IN WARTIME! During the past fiscal year, there were 257 disasters in the United States—more than ever recorded for any single year. And the Red Cross was on the scene for all of them! Victims were fed, clothed and sheltered by the Red Cross! The Red Cross also aided their rehabilitation.

GIVE *NOW!* GIVE *MORE!*

Will the Red Cross *continue* to serve on the Home Front? The answer lies with *you*—with *America!* For the Red Cross is *your* Red Cross. It is supported entirely by *your* voluntary contributions. You are asked to contribute just once a year. The time for giving to the Red Cross in 1945—is now!

Give now and give *more!* For in 1945 more and more veterans will be brought home. They and their families will have more and more need for Red Cross! Give—that the Red Cross may continue to give to them!

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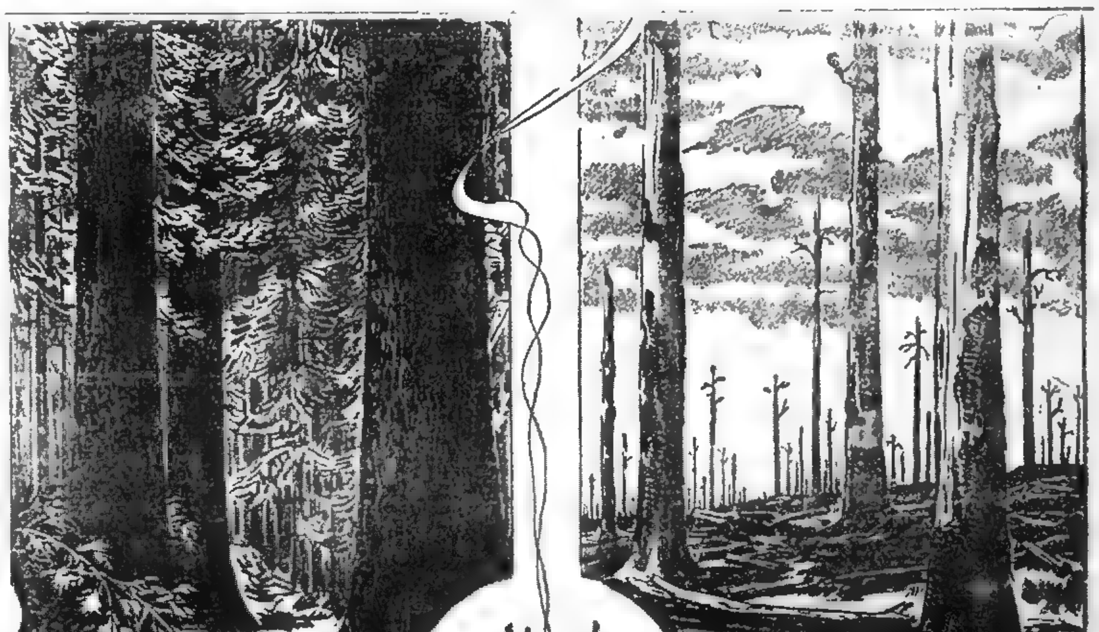

One *Smoldering Campfire* can destroy a forest

Because many people only thought their campfires were dead, thousands of acres of forest lands have been ravaged by destructive fires.

Don't take it for granted . . . be sure your fire is out.

Stamp on it, reducing every ember to powder. Then rake it over thoroughly. Then douse it with water until not the slightest spark remains.

Your help is needed to keep America green, to maintain our forest lands at their productive peak.

This Fire Prevention Appeal Sponsored By:

Lee County Board Of Supervisors

Lee Cage Conference To Close This Week-end

St. Charles Boys And Keokee Girls Keep Grip On Coveted Top Slot

Four long months of exceptionally colorful basketball in Lee County comes to an end Friday. Sixteen teams representing the county's eight major high schools have played to record audiences throughout the season, producing a great brand of ball, according to visiting coaches and critics from over a wide area. Many of the conference first division teams can be rated easily superior to those in the tri-state area that have already attracted wide attention in other leagues.

At a recent meeting, Lee conference coaches voted to end conference schedules this week, doubling up on play to shorten the schedules by a week. This action was taken in order to play the annual tournament in March, thus making way for possible conference baseball schedules to begin early in April.

Games of the past week-end ran true to form, with the St. Charles boys beating Flatwood by a doubled score to cinch first place in the league standing, while the famous Keokee girls won their 55th game over their three years of perfect play, as they doubled a winning score over Thomas Walker by a 39 to 19 count.

Arnett, who is making a grand bid for a scoring record in the conference, aided Keokee's cause by looping 27points. Thomas led the losing Walker girls with 11.

In the St. Charles fracas with Flatwood, Williams led the basket parade for the winners with 15 points. Kirk followed with 12. Russell led Flatwood with 7.

The St. Charles girls made it full measure by defeating the Flatwood girls 33 to 17, with Theda Parsons leading the basket target practice with 20 points. Fletcher looped 7 for the losers.

Keoke also shared a full evening at Thomas Walker, with the east end boys winning over the men of Walkerville by a closer margin of 28 to 23, Hensley leading the winners with 28 points.

Pennington Gap bowed to Jonesville in a double bill at the Capitol Hill gym. The Jonesville boys returned to form to the tune of 32 to 15 to down the Gap boys, who had, only a couple of days before, enjoyed whipping the sox off the King College freshmen at Bristol. Davidson led the winning offensive attack; Williamson looped 8 points for the losers.

The Jonesville girls came back into the win column with a 24 to 14 win over the visiting girls. Bellamy, Morris and Johnson shared scoring honors for Jonesville with 8 points each.

Dryden and Blackwater split a doubleheader. Carson Robinette's Blackwater boys win 33 to 25, while the Dryden girls came back to win by a wide margin of 51 to 21 over the visiting Blackwater girls.

Schedules at all schools call for two sets of double bills this week to shorten the season. The extra week's games were played Tuesday, with the final closing games of the regular season to be sent through the basket on Friday.

The glamorous Keokee girls, who won their 55th consecutive game Tuesday night by defeating Blackwater 54 to 29, seem certain to climax another, their third—undefeated season Friday, as they play together for their last time in a conference battle against the Dryden girls on the Keokee court. There, however, is a possibility that the Dryden girls may upset them, because of the nervous tension and strain of the last encounter. On the contrary, they may score a record high against the visitors.

All of the famed winning combination of the Keokee sextette who, if they win out in the forthcoming tournament, will lay claim to the state title of Virginia, are seniors and will not be headed back to Keokee next year. They, however, have done a great job for their alma mater down through the past four years, in which they have brought home three championship trophies, with glittering hopes for a fourth, which awaits someone at the end of the tournament that starts at Pennington Gap on Friday morning, March 23.

On the rougher side of the picture—that of the boys' league—St. Charles is in the driver's seat with no hope of being ousted, but a very good chance of being tied in Friday night's fracas. They meet the second place Jonesville boys at Jonesville, who are desperately anxious to get revenge for the beating St. Charles gave them a few weeks ago at St. Charles, and they have a very good chance of doing so. If they should succeed, there will be another tie for first place in their league, which St. Charles now holds by the margin of one full game.

Tuesday night's results gave St. Charles a double win over Dryden at Dryden. The boys won 38 to 20, and the girls emerged with another of those famous breath-takers which was won on a last-minute field goal by Jones to put them on the better side of a 25 to 23 score.

Keokee made it a double bill over Blackwater, the girls winning 54-29. The boys ran wild for a 63 to 32 victory, with tall, lanky Hensley looping 30 points.

Pennington Gap sank Thomas Walker for a double win, the Gap boys emerging successfully 41 to 24. The girls eased out 20 to 15.

Flatwood and Jonesville staged the top battle scene of the day, when the Jonesville boys kept in the win column 32 to 28. The Flatwood girls retained their winning spree with a close 22 to 19 tally.

Friday night's final tilts that end the regular season takes St. Charles to Jonesville for the No. 1 encounter. Thomas Walker will visit Flatwood; Blackwater comes to Pennington; and Dryden will journey to Keokee.

THE OFFICIAL STANDING

Girls	W	L	Pct.
Keokee	12	0	1.000
St. Charles	11	2	.847
Pennington	5	7	.418
Dryden	5	7	.418
Jonesville	5	8	.355
Thomas Walker	4	7	.364
Blackwater	4	9	.308
Flatwood	3	9	.250

Boys	W	L	Pct.
St. Charles	12	1	.924
Jonesville	11	2	.847
Flatwood	9	4	.673
Pennington	7	6	.539
Keokee	7	6	.539
Blackwater	3	10	.231
Thomas Walker	2	10	.154
Dryden	0	12	.000

PROFESSIONAL NOTICE . . . .

Beginning March 14th I will be out of my office Wednesday and Thursday afternoons.

DR. A. G. BARTON
OPTOMETRIST

Middlesboro, Kentucky.

A PROPOSAL

TO FIX AN OPEN SEASON FOR HUNTING QUAIL, RABBIT, GROUSE, BEAR, DEER, PHEASANTS, SQUIRRELS, AND TURKEYS WEST OF THE BLUE RIDGE MOUNTAINS.

At a meeting of this Commission held at Richmond, Virginia, March 3, 1945, the proposal hereinafter stated was authorized. A further meeting will be held at Richmond, Virginia, March 30, 1945, at which time the said proposal will be acted upon.

That the open season for hunting in the counties west of the Blue Ridge Mountains shall be as follows:

Quail and rabbit, November 15—January 1.

Grouse, November 15—January 1, except in the counties of Augusta, Frederick, Page, Rockingham, Shenandoah and Warren, where there shall be a closed season.

Deer, open season for hunting west of Blue Ridge Mountains in the following named counties only: Alleghany, Bath and Highland, November 15-21; Augusta, Page and Rockingham, November 15 - 17; Frederick and Shenandoah, November 15 - 18; Smyth, Washington and Wythe counties south of U. S. Route 11, and in Grayson, Scott and Wise counties, November 15-16.

Bear, November 15 - January 1.

Pheasants, ring-necked, Mongolian or Chinese, November 15 - January 1, except in Pulaski county where there is a closed season.

Squirrel, September 15 - 30 and November 15 - January 1, except in Floyd County, where the open hunting season shall be September 1 - 15 and November 15 - January 1.

Turkey, November 15 - January 1, except Bland, Buchanan, Carroll, Dickenson, Floyd, Giles, Grayson, Lee, Montgomery, Washington, Wise, and Wythe counties where there shall remain a closed season.

That all parts of regulations in conflict with the foregoing be rescinded.

By order of the Commission of Game and Inland Fisheries.

BEVERLEY W. STRAS, JR., Chairman.

News From POOR VALLEY

Sgt. Lloyd Olinger, Jr., for 31 months stationed with the U. S. Army in England, writes that he was recently married to Miss Jeannie Soody, an Irish girl.

Sgt. Olinger is the son of Lloyd Olinger, of Exeter, Va., and the grandson of Ballard Olinger, of Dryden. The couple sent pictures of themselves to relatives here.

Mrs. Martha Riddle has heard from Pfc. Charles W. Riddle, somewhere in Burma. Although writing from a fox hole, he stated he was fine.

Pfc. Paul S. Boggs is now stationed in Florida after a 21-day furlough here. His brother, J. P., left for the Army, also.

Clay Asbury, Roy Kelly and Lewis Maxwell are reported to have sailed for overseas service.

Ralph Shuler and Riley Lawson, of Olinger, visited Ernest and James Olinger here last Sunday.

Mrs. Ruby Asbury Gilbert is employed at Clinton, Tenn.

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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

How Sober Hoskins Got His Name

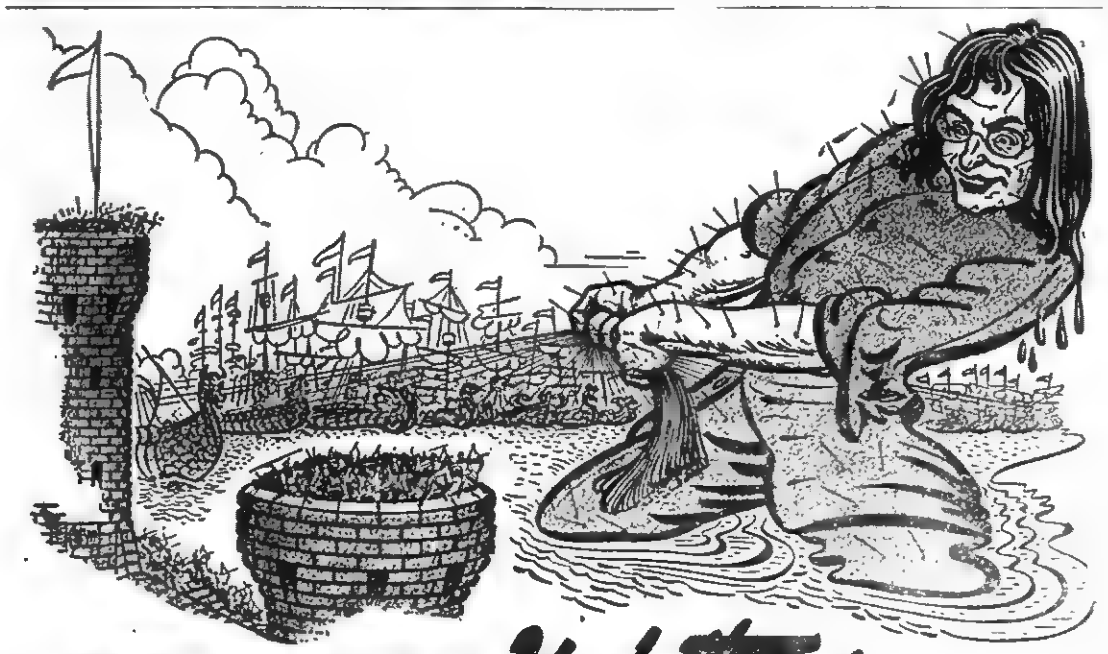
Everybody kids Sober Hoskins about his name. Of course, they allow that it's appropriate. Sober never drinks anything stronger than a glass of beer. And a harder worker in the fields there never was.

"Shucks," says Sober's dad. "We named Sober 'Sober' just because he looked that way when he was born. Like we called his sister 'Gay,' and his other sister 'Prissy.' And it's had its effect on all of 'em," he adds with spirit. (Prissy is the old maid in the Hoskins family.)

From where I sit, there may be something in what Sober's dad says. Naming children after virtues is a fine old American custom. Look at the names of our pioneers and pilgrims: Faith, Pious, Charity, Hope, Ernest.

Maybe we should use such names more often. And one I'd like to add is "Tolerance." If we all had Tolerance for a middle name, and lived up to it, we'd have a better, happier world.

Joe Marsh



WHEN THE GIANT IS Unfettered

THERE is a striking parallel between the fairy story of Gulliver and modern industry. Alarmed by the giant in their midst, the Lilliputians so bound Gulliver with ropes that he was helpless. But when they discovered he was a friendly giant and not their enemy, the people freed him in time to save them from disaster.

For nearly a decade before we entered World War II the people of this nation had hammered home to them the idea that industry was a rampant monster which would devour them if not controlled. With the coming of war, a nation left unprepared by those same socialistic planners who had sought to destroy free enterprise turned to the bound giant for help.

Despite all the red tape, the governmental shackles, the poisoned barbs of its enemies, industry arose in all its might and skill to provide the tools of war. Everyone concedes it has done a magnificent job. The electric power busines takes pride in having contributed its share by providing an uninterrupted flow of electricity to war industries while meeting all other demands as well.

In the postwar period, all the experience and know-how of business management will be needed to meet the challenge of jobs for every one. Dumping tax dollars into socialistic schemes like TVA will not solve the unemployment problem. It is business-managed industry which must meet the challenge.

Our company is pledged, not only to restore the jobs of all our own employes in service, but to further industrial development and expansion in all the communities we serve—to make the kind of jobs that make America.

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We have the best country in the world —the best government in the world—and the best President in the world. Twelve million of our boys are giving their best to keep it that way — LET'S BACK THEM UP!

FREEDOM — the right to vote on the laws that affect our lives.

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Lee County Cage Conference Tournament Opens Here

Town Talk

About This, That, And The Other

"There is no cure for life
nor death
Save to enjoy the interval."

The Springiest Spring

Many of the old timers are declaring that this is the earliest spring they have seen for forty years or more. Everything does look lovely—all nature carrying out a varied color scheme; fruit trees laden in white; forsythia and jonquils in yellow; violets in purple; japonicas in salmon pink; all blended with the greenry of the grass, shrubbery and early trees.

And of course we don't mind the equinox, the Easter squall, the redbud, dogwood and blackberry winters awaiting their turn. In fact, I don't much like the statement of Charles Dickens when he says:

"The world is a perpetual caricature of itself; at every moment it is the mockery of what it is pretending to be."

Personally, I think there's a lots of realism, plenty of beauty and a right smart good in the world.

Easter

Easter is just around the corner—a week from this coming Sunday.

Easter is the Christian springtime festival, commemorating the resurrection. The Sunday of joy when churches are sweet with white lillies and echoing with music, and hearts are throbbing with new hope.

The name Easter comes from the ancient Anglo-Saxon goddess of spring, "Eastre", in whose honor a festival of springtime was held in the month of April. It is known as a movable feast because it is not always held on the same date. The Church Council in Asia Minor (325 A.D.) decided that Easter should be

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Local Citizen Died Suddenly Monday Night

George Kempton Hyten, for many years a resident of Pennington Gap, died very suddenly at his home on Kentucky Street, Monday night, March 19, at the age of 65.

His death was attributed to a heart attack. Although he had been in declining health for some time, he had seemingly felt unusually well all day Monday, his wife said; had eaten a hearty supper and retired about ten o'clock. He died at ten minutes after ten.

Mr. Hyten was a member of the Methodist Church and of the Odd Fellows Lodge. He formerly worked for the L. & N. Railroad Co., but at the time of his death was a retired employee of the Old Dominion Power Plant at the Pocket.

Funeral services were held today at the First Christian Church, at 2:00 o'clock, p. m., conducted by the pastor, Rev. W. B. Moore, assisted by other ministers. Burial in Cecil Cemetery, with Estes & Cecil in charge.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Annie Williams Hyten; an adopted daughter, Mrs. Bill Davenport, of Russellville, Tenn.; and a number of other relatives.

Also surviving is Mrs. Hansell Cooper, whom the Hytens have raised since childhood.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Weather Bureau report for week ending March 18th, 1945, for Lee County, furnished by Cam J. Lewis, official observer:

Date	Temperature		Rainfall
March	Highest	Lowest	Inches and Hundredths
12	62	36	.00
13	51	37	.05
14	68	38	.00
15	64	39	.00
16	72	56	.20
17	79	57	.00
18	74	52	.38

Yeoman John A. Litton Reported Killed At Sea

Went Down With U.S.S. Monaghan, December 18

John A Litton, Yeoman Second Class, son of James Duff Litton, Stickleyville, was killed in the Pacific area December 18, 1944, his father was advised by the Navy Department.

Yeoman Litton was first reported missing at sea, after his ship, the U.S.S. Monaghan, was sunk during a severe typhoon, then later as killed. There were only six survivors of the entire ship's crew, and his father received a letter from one of these describing the horrible disaster, and expressing the sorrow of all the survivors at John's death.

YEOMAN JOHN A. LITTON

They were proud to have called him "shipmate".

Yeoman Litton had served aboard "The Mighty M", as they called the destroyer, since the spring of '41. The ship had participated in 16 major engagements.

He is survived by the father; four brothers, Bradley, C.Y., and Lester, C.M., both serving with the Navy in the Pacific; Jack of Newport News, and Don, at home; also six sisters, Leta, of Duffield; Mrs. Demmar Elkins, of Jonesville; Mrs. T. A. Fox and Mrs. Neal Howard, of Danville; Mrs. Guy Wood, of Roanoke, and Mrs. Dorothy Davis, Hyattsville, Md.

Oscar Smith Named As Supt. For Insurance Co.

Oscar Smith, of Rose Hill, for the past two years agent in the west end of the county for the People's Life Insurance Company, Washington, D. C., has been promoted to superintendent of agents in Lee County, succeeding F. C. Box, who recently was inducted into the Navy.

Agents under the supervision of Mr. Smith are: Olen Osborne, Rose Hill, who succeeds Mr. Smith as agent for the west end territory; C. B. Meimann, E. E. Myers and G. G. Carter, all working out of Pennington Gap.

WOUNDED ON LEYTE

E. J. HUGHES

E. J. Hughes, Seaman First Class, has been in Naval service 25 months. He served in the Atlantic area for more than three months, and was transferred to the Pacific area in September, 1943, where he served until he was wounded November 19, 1944 while participating in the Leyte operations.

He has been changed from one Naval hospital to another, finally arriving in the United States on February 16, 1945. It has been more than 19 months since he was at home. His mother, Mrs. Hazel Hughes, resides at Stickleyville.

LAST INDUCTION CALL FOR MARCH, BOARD 1

Selective Service Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va., lists the following registrants who will fill the last induction call for March, 1945:

James Edward Collins, R 1, Rose Hill; Carl Sumpter Marcum, Rose Hill; George Edward Fletcher, R 2, Jonesville; Grover Moore, R 1, Jonesville; Daniel Jack Scott, R 1, Jonesville; William Henry Wilder, R 1, Jonesville; Carl Eugene Minor, R 1, Jonesville; Bill Collier, R 4, Jonesville; Curtis James Barnette, R 1, Blackwater; Homer Earnest Cavin, R 2, Rose Hill; Jules Kirwon Fee, Hubbard Springs; Paul Franklin Jones, R 1, Ewing; Henry Joseph Edds, R 1, Rose Hill; Elmer Vestell Gilbert, R 3, Jonesville; James Blaine Yeary, R 4, Jonesville; Johnny Lee Campbell, R 1, Rose Hill; Walter Eugene Littrell, Ewing; Bill Cottrell RFD, Rose Hill.

Card of Thanks

To the Employees of Blue Diamond Coal Co., Bonny Blue:

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation for the large donation you made for us

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Phillips and Family.

Wet-Dry Referendum In County Set For May

Anti-Prohibition Group To Appeal Decision To Supreme Appeals Court

On Tuesday, March 20, representatives of the wet-dry issue assembled at the Courthouse at Jonesville to hear the decision of the Court regarding an election to decide whether or not the sale of alcoholic beverages should be prohibited in the county.

After a lengthy debate by representatives of both sides, Judge Morton ruled that petitioners asking for an election had complied with the rules and regulations and were entitled to an election, naming May 29 as date for the referendum.

However, Attorney Fred B. Greear, a representative of the anti-prohibition group, stated that Tuesday's decision would be carried to the Supreme Court of Appeals, on the ground that such election must be called within ninety days after petitions are filed with the Court, and that there were an insufficient number of legal petitioners.

He contended that a quorum should be based on the votes cast in the 1944 presidential election, whereas the Judge based his decision on votes cast in the 1940 presidential election, which would make the petitioners fall about 200 short.

Efforts to reach an election, under the leadership of the Rev. Charlie D. Mehaffey, of Pennington Gap, have been retarded several times since the petitions were first circulated about seven months ago, pending the legality of the petitions.

REGISTRANTS NAMED FOR INDUCTION CALL

Local Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, Va., lists below the following registrants who leave for induction on April 4, 1945. They are as follows:

Joseph Carl Hatmaker, Lake City, Tenn; Toy Everett Vanzant, St. Charles; Johnson Sweeney, LaFollette, Tenn.; Carl Mallie Wolfe, Pennington Gap; Sam Charles Kirk, St. Charles; John Gibson, Jr., R 1, Duffield; James Isom Ely, R 1, Pennington Gap; Bruce Sprinkle, Ellicott City, Md.; Randolph Sexton, Dunbar; Emory Hampton Parsons, Pennington Gap; William David Baldwin, Newport, Ky.; Grant Hubert Greene, Oak Ridge, Tenn.; Samuel Stewart, R 1, Pennington Gap; Forrest Gilmer Orender, Keokee; Rudolph Herman Parsons, Pennington Gap.

SERVING IN PACIFIC

PFC. HAROLD C. FANNON

Pfc. Harold C. Fannon, 20, of the U. S. Marines, is a son of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Fannon, of Duffield, Va.

Pfc. Fannon entered service August 9, 1943, took his basic training at Parris Island, S. C., and from there went to St. Simon Island, Ga. From there he went to New River, Ga., thence to San Francisco, Calif., and is now serving somewhere in the South Pacific

He attended Pennington High School, and outside of school hours helped his father on the farm.

Barlows Returning To Big Stone Gap

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Barlow today made the announcement that they have again leased the Monte Vista Hotel at Big Stone Gap and will take charge the first of April.

While the people of Pennington Gap regret to see the Barlows leave, it certainly is evident that our loss is Big Stone's gain, for they have an outstanding record in the skillful and efficient management of hotels and serving good meals.

They have at two periods had charge of Pennington Hotel, and served for three years as proprietors of the New Commercial, a large and modern hotel in Pennington Gap which burned about three years ago.

After the burning of the New Commercial, Mr. and Mrs. Barlow went to Big Stone Gap to take charge of the Monte Vista, where they maintained their fine record of knowing just how to entertain and feed their guests.

Eight months ago, at the advice of their physician, they retired to private life for rest and relaxation, coming to Pennington Gap and occupying a quiet apartment.

"We're rested now, and feeling fine," they tell their friends, "so we're going back to Big Stone and get busy again. Come up and eat Easter dinner with us."

MAJOR NEFF AT HOME

Major Harold C. Neff, who has been stationed with the 20th Air Force in the India-China theater of war, has completed his missions and is back home with his wife and baby son, Larry Clifton, and parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Neff, of Rose Hill. After a three weeks' leave, Major Neff will go to Miami Beach Rest Center and await reassignment.

Returned Missionary From India Speaks From Local Church

Mrs. W. F. Pledger, who, with her husband, Dr. W. F. Pledger, recently returned from missionary work in India, was guest speaker at the Methodist Church, Sunday evening, March 18.

Dressed in native Hindu woman's costume, Mrs. Pledger spoke very interestingly of the situation in India, from the spiritual, economics and social standpoint, and the great need of Christian education to bring about better living conditions.

"The average annual income of a Hindu laborer is about $14 a year," she stated, "and 7% of that goes back to the British Government."

She told how the natives would crowd the churches, filling even the aisles and every available space, so eager to hear the gospel.

"You sent missionaries to India to teach them Christianity," she said. "Now take back a little of what you gave them; be loyal to your church."

She displayed several articles of clothing worn by the Hindus, along with novelties and ornaments, including some little Hindu idols.

Dr. and Mrs. Pledger and children expect to return to India soon.

Red Cross Fund Drive Nears End

War Fund Chairman C. F. Connelly announced today that the Red Cross War Fund Drive, which officially opened in the county on March 1, was practically completed, almost every area in the county reporting exceeding their quota assignment.

A very few areas to date are slightly short of their assigned quotas, but chairmen of these areas have assured Mr. Connelly that meeting or exceeding their quota is in sight, and are still working to that end.

Chairman Connelly wishes to urge all chairmen and workers to complete the drive by early next week. He had hoped to furnish us a complete report for this week's issue of the paper, but due to the fact that all areas have not yet finished their assignment, this information will necessarily be delayed until next week.

Miss Mary Bolin, of Clinton, Tenn., spent the week-end here with homefolk.

Basketball Tourney Starts At PHS Friday

All Sixteen Teams Of Conference Will Enter The Four-Day Affair

This centrally located municipality will become a boom town Friday and Saturday, as vast throngs roll into town by horseback, car, truck and train to get a pookaboo at the grand opening at the mammoth Lee County Conference Basketball Tournament, as the curtain rises on the big show at 9:00 a. m., Friday morning at Pennington High School gym.

Sixteen colorful teams from Lee County's eight major high schools, St. Charles, Jonesville, Flatwood, Thomas Walker, Keokee, Dryden, Blackwater, and Pennington Gap, will establish respective beachheads to do battle for that most highly coveted prize of the year in Lee County and Southwestern Virginia sports—the tall silver trophy that awaits a champion at the end of the trail.

Each school will enter a girls' team and a boys' team; each, of course having fought their way down through four months of stiff conference play, with the Blue Boys of St. Charles High School emerging at the top of the ladder in the boys' conference, having won 13 games against a lonely defeat, and the Keokee Glamour Girls being very much on the top in the girls' conference, completing an undefeated season of 12 consecutive wins for a third successive year of perfect ball, having won 56 consecutive games since tasting their last defeat in late 1942.

The Jonesville Capitol Hill boys came in second in the boys' race, with 12 wins against three losses, while Flatwood ran third with ten wins and four on the shady side. In the girls' loop, the St. Charles girls came in second with 12 wins and two defeats, the latter being suffered only against the superior Keokeeians.

High scoring honors of the conference year goes to Miss Theda Parsons, of the St. Charles girls' team, who looped 275 points in 14 games for an average of 19⅝ points per game. This did not include another 100 points scored in exhibition games outside

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GOLD STAR SOLDIER

PVT. INNES C. RAY

Pvt. Innes C. Ray was killed in action in Belgium, January 15, 1945, the Secretary of War has informed his wife, Mrs. Vivian Ray, Pennington Gap, Route 1.

Pvt. Ray entered service June 13, 1944, took basic training at Camp Hood, Texas, and had been overseas a month and a half when he was killed.

He was 24 years of age and had one son, Jimmie Edward Ray, four years old. Before entering the Army he was employed as truck driver by Benedict Coal Corporation.

Pvt. Ray was the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Ray, of Big Hill.

Local Man Meets Death In Mine Accident Friday

Owen Gibbons, employed as safety boss by Blue Diamond Coal Co., met instant death last Friday, reportedly from a slab of falling slate, in Mine No. 7 at Bonny Blue.

Mr. Gibbons, who was about 37 years of age, was the son of Mrs. Beatrice Gibbons, of Pennington Gap, who survives him. Other survivors living in Pennington Gap are his wife, three children, Gertrude, Guy and Olen, all at home; a sister, Mrs. Connie Ferguson; and a brother, Joe Gibbons.

The body was taken to his former home at Madisonville, Ky., for funeral and burial.

THREE BROTHERS SERVE THEIR COUNTRY

PVT. HAZE W. KIRK

SGT. CHESTER D. KIRK

PFC. STANLEY R. KIRK

The three brothers pictured above are sons of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kirk, of Pennington Gap, Route 1.

Pfc. Stanley R. Kirk, 25, entered the Army February 8, 1941, served three months with the Medical Corps at Camp Lee, was then transferred to Tllahassee, Fla., where, after 12 months, he was assigned to the Army Air Corps.

His next assignment was to Hunter Field, Ga., thence to New York, where he was sent overseas, landing in England, where he served about six months before going to France, where he is now crew chief for the AAF.

Before entering the Army, Pfc. Kirk was a taxi operator in St. Charles. His wife is the former Irene Rigsby, of St. Charles, and they have one son, Roma Gene, two years old, whom the father has not seen for a year and a half.

Sgt. Chester D. Kirk, 22, was also a taxi driver at St. Charles before entering the Army December 7, 1942.

His first station was at Camp Lee, where he stayed for a short time before going to Camp Maxey, Texas. He went to Louisiana on maneuvers and also for a time was in Oklahoma. He left Texas for Fort Dix, N. J., and two months later sailed from New York overseas, landing in France. From Fance he went to Germany, where he is now serving with the Ninth Army. In Germany he was promoted to his present rank and awarded the Combat Medal, which he sent home to his mother.

Sgt. Kirk says: "The deeper the fox hole the longer you live". He asks his friends to pray for his safe return.

Pvt. Haze W. Kirk has recently received a medical discharge from the U. S. Army, and has returned to his former job as clerk for Benedict Coal Corporation.

He entered service March 2, 1944, and reported to Fort Geo. G. Meade, Md. From there he was stationed for a short time at Cumberland, Pa., then to Camp Blanding, Fla., where he finished his training. From Camp Blanding he went to Fort Meade, Md.

After serving a little more than eight months in the States he was given a medical discharge November 15, 1944, returned home for a brief rest, then entered upon his present job at Benedict.

He is the husband of the former Evelyn Garrett. They have two daughters, Willie Jo, three years old, and Cinda Lou, four months old.

To Whom It May Concern

By

W. I. Jones

Heat And Pressure

Some years ago a speaker stated that diamonds and coal have the same chemical elements, and that the difference is the diamond has had greater heat and pressure. We can buy a ton of coal for a few dollars, but a ton of diamonds staggers the imagination in dollar value.

A ton of pig iron costs very little, but heat the rough iron and hammer it into watch springs and it becomes valuable.

So it is with people. Heat and pressure, stress and strain, sorrow and misfortunes seem to be necessary for great characters and for people worth while. "Sympathy" means "to suffer with" somebody. We cannot understand how people feel unless we have had a similar experience and it may be that the Great Builder hammers us on the anvil of life to give us greater value among our fellows.

A good soldier is a better one as he goes through the heat of battle. "Seasoned troops" are those who know what battle is like. The road to character and stamina and power lies up hill, over rough roads. The babe is innocent but innocence becomes character only after the heat and pressure of the years have been applied.

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Piny Spur Watchtower

By: E. E. PARSONS

Not long ago one warm sunny afternoon I went up to see Piny Spur Lookout. In order to reach the tower you will have to climb a winding, twisting trail up the rugged slope of the mountain for two miles or more. The Tower surmounts a lofty peak that rises high above the serried crest of the mountain like the hump on a camel's back. The most part of the distance up the trail is forest clad, but high up you come to a cleared field where a few dead trees still stand in their stark nakedness. At the lower edge of this field and for some distance along the border, a deep rocky ravine has been lashed deep into the flank of the mountain, and which sports a silvery stream of water that laughs and sings joyously as it tumbles in tiny cascades down the mountain. You can drink of its refreshing coolness, for a container and spout has been placed at a convenient place by the roadside by some thoughtful person.

Once you have reached the top of the mountain, and have climbed up into the tower, you will get a real thrill as you look down on the world below you, and maybe your head will get a litle dizzy, too, for immediately to the north down under you, a cliff rises almost perpendicular for several hundred feet. In fact, it looks like the jumping off place. The whole scene is amazing in its beauty, awe-inspiring in its vastness. You look out on a maze of mountains that run away in almost every direction in limitless waves as far as the eye can see. A warm blue haze lay over the valleys below. I could hear the liquid flow of water, and could see North Fork down in the Gap, winding a tortuous way among boulders and through gorges. To the north lay numerous mining towns along lower reaches of the mountains. I could see the Southern Railroad nosing its way down North Fork, and on up into the St. Charles coalfields, where it takes on its burden of the black products and carries it away to other parts of the world.

And below us was the Pocket Power Station, with its slender arms reaching out in various directions to lessen the burdens of mankind. There, too, stands a great white column like a giant sentinel guarding the valley. A black column of smoke was lifting from its top and drifted lazily above the mountain tops. I could hear the machinery groaning and grumbling as its turbines ground out its mighty strength.

The wind was blowing up from the west and the pines sighed lonesomely. Birds were singing in the trees, and buds were beginning to burst forth into new life on every hand.

It's a good thing to look away from our old environments—to get a new perspective now and then. Go up to the look-out on Piny Spur and take a look for yourself; but you had better get the steam up before you take off, for it will take a little extra energy to make the hike.

Forest fires burn over an average of 110,000 acres each year in Virginia.

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I want to buy on Morgan Avenue or Joselyn Avenue a five to seven - room house, brick or frame, with bath. Will pay cash. See or write J. C. CHINAULT, Booneway Tavern, Pennington Gap, Va.
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News From MILLER'S CHAPEL

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Parsons visited his sister, Mrs. Howard Bledsoe, and family, Sunday.

Misses Bill and Nadine Smith, employed at Washington, D. C., visited Miss Nadine Davis, Sunday.

Marion Livesay, Omer and Bradley Miles and Ewal Newman, of Jonesville, visited in this community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hall, of Jonesville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Williams, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Bledsoe and son were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Luster Rogers, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Terry and children, Joyce, Ann, Lowell and Hubert, were dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Johnson, Sunday.

Roy Rowland and Ralph Baker, of Stone Creek, visited here Sunday.

Pvt. J. W. Dowell is spending a 19-day furlough with his parents here.

Mrs. Jack Childress visited in Ben Hur, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen H. Parsons spent Sunday with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Rogers visited Mr. and Mrs. Harrison White, on Puckett's Creek, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams and family were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Loren Bledsoe and family, Sunday.

Joe Garrett left for Dayton, Ohio, Monday, to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Don Terry and son, Lawrence Garrett.

Mrs. Nannie "Granny" Kelly, of Ben Hur, visited friends here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luster Rogers and children and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Terry and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Walker Byington, of Jonesville Route 4, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Speek and children, and Mrs. Jim Terry and daughter, Reeda, visited with Mrs. Terry's mother, Mrs. Bill Napier, at Pine Grove, Sunday.

Card of Thanks

To our many friends we extend our sincerest thanks for the kindness and sympathy shown us in the death of our dear husband and father, H. L. Snodgrass. We appreciate the beautiful floral offerings, the comforting words by the ministers and friends, those rendering music and songs, those helping in the home, and the fine way in which the funeral was directed.

The Snodgrass Family

Card of Thanks

We wish to take this means to express our thanks and appreciation to our friends who assisted us so graciously during the illness and death of Shelburne; especially do we wish to thank all those who have so often and so kindly remembered him during his last long illness.

Mrs. Shelburne Orr,
Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Orr and Family.

News From POOR VALLEY

Buddy Peters, Mr. John Early and son, Jim Earley and wife, enjoyed a fishing trip on Powell's River, Sunday.

Mrs. Roberta Gibson and little daughter, Wilma Jean, and Mrs. Edith Shuler and little daughter, Phyllis Ann, were shopping in Harlan, Ky., and Black Mountain, Ky., last week.

Pfc. B. L. Gibson is stationed somewhere in Germany. His wife, Roberta, hears from him often. He hopes that soon he can be home with his wife and baby, Wilma Jean.

Ralph Shuler and Ray Jordon enjoyed a fishing trip on Powell's River, Sunday.

Walter Jordon and daughter, Miss Evelyn Jordon, and Mrs. Ralph Shuler and daughter, Irene, were shopping in Appalachia, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jordon were visiting Ralph Shuler and family, Sunday.

Frank Bailey, of Black Mountan, Ky., spent the week-end with his family at Poor Valley.

Ninety-nine Virginia counties are now organized for forest fire control in cooperation with the Virginia Forest Service.

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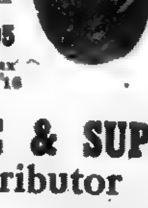

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Electrical Appliance Sale Left To Local Dealers

Lexington, Ky.—Sale of electrical appliances, including farm, commercial and industrial equipment and mazda and fluorescent lamps, will be left to local dealers in 433 communities served by Old Dominion Power Company during a trial period extending into the past war years, it was announced today by Floyd I. Fairman, director of customer service.

The new policy is intended to encourage local business enterprise, Fairman said. In any case where dealer facilities are inadequate to give customers satisfactory service, the utility office will establish a retail or commercial sales department, as needed.

Display floors and show windows will be made available to local dealers and they will be encouraged to use Old Dominion assembly rooms and cooking schools and other demonstrations of electricial equipment. The sales promotion staff of the utility company will assist dealers with their sales training programs, store arrangements, service problems and demonstrations.

"Our advisory personnel will continue to help residential, farm, commercial and industrial customers in the efficient use and maintenance of their electrical appliances and equipment," Fairman continued. "This free advisory service will be especially helpful when the many new, time and labor saving devices are made available after the war ends."

Fairman said that close cooperation between his company and dealers during the present shortage of civilian goods had resulted in about half as many electrical stores closing in the area served by Old Dominion Power Company as in the nation as a whole.

Lightning is the cause of less than one per cent of the forest fires in Virginia; careless humans are responsible for the rest.

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One Adler Piano for sale. — price $250.00. See or write George McCauley, Jonesville, Va., Route 4.
Adv. No. 12-5t pd.

RATION CALENDAR

PROCESSED FOODS: Blue Stamps: X5, Y5, Z5, A2, B2, now valid — expire March 31; C2, D2, E2, F2, G2, valid—expire April 28; H2, J2, K2, L2, M2, now valid — expire June 2; N2, P2, Q2, R2, S2, now valid—expire June 30.

MEATS AND FATS: Red Stamps . . . . Q5, R5, S5, now valid—expire March 31; T5, U5, V5, W5, X5, now valid—expire April 28; Y5, Z5, A2, B2, C2, D2, now valid—expires June 2; E2, F2, G2, H2, J2, now valid —expire June 30.

SUGAR: Sugar Stamp No. 35 . . . . good for five pounds—expires June 2.

SHOES: Airplane Stamps Nos. 1, 2 and 3 now good.

GASOLINE: A-15 coupons valid March 22 through June 21. Your mileage rationing record must be presented to the board when applying for supplemental "B" and "C" gasoline rations.

Shoe Dealers Reminded:

All shoe dealers were cautioned this week by OPA to keep necessary records of the recent "odd lot" sale of ration-free shoes. Records, according to the Roanoke District Office, should include the number of such shoes bought and the number sold during the stamp-free period February 19 - March 10. This information should be attached to the dealers' regular inventory records, OPA said.

Ceilings On Stoves:

Specific dollar-and-cent ceiling prices on most household cooking and heating stoves will be set shortly, OPA announced this week. Ceiling prices will be pricketed by the manufacturer.

Since each type of stove produced by manufacturers will have to be considered individually, OPA said, the price-setting will be a gradual process, with electric ranges and gas ranges slated for the first spot on the agency's schedule.

Gasoline:

Concurrent with the announcement that A-15 gas coupons are valid from March 22 through June 21, the OPA again reminded motorists of the extreme need for conserving all gasoline possible.

"With our war leaders stepping up offensive action on every front," said District Director Goodwin, "gasoline takes on more importance than ever as a war weapon. One single raid on Japan, Berlin or other targets can consume a million gallons of gasoline . . . . and we here at home have to see that the gasoline is there to be used."

Victory Gardeners:

Extra gasoline rations for Victory gardeners will be issued again this year, on practically the same basis as in 1944, OPA said this week. Applications for the extra gas will be accepted by the local Board beginning Monday, March 26.

Importance of America's Victory gardens is shown by this allowing of additional gasoline where necessary, OPA pointed out, adding that gardeners are expected to surpass last year's record of 8,000,000 tons of food . . . . a vital part of our nation's food supply picture.

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Adington Ins. Agency, Appalachia, Changes Name

The officers and directors of the Adington Insurance Agency, Inc., of Appalachia, Va., announce that the name of the company has been changed to "Appalachia Insurance Agency, Incorporated", at the request of the stockholders. Permission to amend the charter by changing the name has recently been granted by the State Corporation Commission.

This agency, which was organized by J. H. Adington, the late R. R. Parker and Judge George Morton, more than 25 years ago, is one of the oldest in Southwest Virginia. They offer a complete line of fire and automobile insurance, bonds and real estate. Only old line stock companies licensed to do business in the State of Virginia are represented by this agency.

The same officers and directors remain in charge of the company as heretofore. Dr. Chas. K. Polly, of Appalachia, is president; H. C. Bolling, Norton attorney, is vice president; and J. Lincoln Kiser, of Appalachia, is secretary-treasurer and manager. Miss Eva Lowe is the office secretary. The board of directors is composed of the following: H. C. Bolling, J. D. Broadwater, B. H. Crizer, W. A. Jones, O. F. Kilbourne, A. S. Pennington, and Chas. K. Polly.

Forest fire suppression alone costs Virginia taxpayers $47,000 in an average year; in 1942 it cost $95,000.

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"True, but it's about all we older folks back home can do, Tom. Except one more thing. And that is to be sure our fighting men come home to the same kind of country they left behind. The kind of country their letters tell us they want. Nothing changed that they don't want changed while they're away and unable to express their wishes."

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NOTICE

St. Charles, Virginia, Business Houses To Close

Each Wednesday

AT 12:00 NOON

We, the following merchants and business men of St. Charles, Va., have agreed that we will close our business concerns every Wednesday afternoon beginning Apr. 4, 1945, until further notice is issued. This is due to the shortage of Employees during war time.

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WILL PEOPLE STOP SETTING FOREST FIRES?

Virginia's and Lee County's War-time Forest Fire Prevention campaign is running into the fourth week. The campaign will run through the first week in May. When the spring fire season ends about the middle of May we shall know whether or not fires were actually prevented.

The objective of this campaign, sponsored by the Virginia Forest Service, is to greatly reduce the number of man-caused forest fires. If we should have the normal number of fires, especially on dry, windy days, many disastrous forest fires might occur. This probability is based on the fact that there would be few men available to help the forest wardens to fight fires. Indeed it would be tragic for fire setters to sabotage war production by making it necessary for forest wardens to draw manpower from farms and mills to fight their fires. But we run this risk, unless people who have been careless with fire in the past heed the many appeals and actually stop being careless with fire.

Many civic organizations, schools, public officials, public-spirited citizens and business men in Lee County and throughout the State have responded to Governor Darden's request that citizens help FIGHT FOREST FIRES BY PREVENTING THEM. Militant and aggressive action has come from these quarters designed to interest good, honest, law-abiding but careless citizens who have been responsible for more than 2,500 forest fires in the State during the average year, to take the same simple precautions with fire in the woods as they would in their own homes. Most of the messages that have been conveyed to these people have requested that they memorize and observe the ABC RULES for preventing fires. Will they do this?

The Lee County Board of Supervisors have joined in this fire prevention program, to educate the citizens to be extremely careful to prevent forest fires, to fight small fires and to report all fires to forest wardens. A number of coal companies, land owners and interested people and organizations are conveying similar messages to our people. It is hoped that civic organizations over the county will stress forest fire prevention at their meetings. An outstanding contribution is being made by school officials who teach forest conservation and fire prevention. They have helped organize and train fire-fighting crews in all the eight high schools in the county, with the assistance of the state, local and national fire wardens. These boys spread the gospel of fire prevention among their friends and neighbors.

All of this forest fire prevention effort is gratifying to those of us who realize that fires destroy forests, farm buildings and fences, fish and game, watersheds and scenic beauty of our county and State. It is heartening to executives of wood-using industries, entirely dependent upon forest resources, and to business men who realize that at least one-fourth of our economy is founded upon forest resources.

It is hoped that our potential fire setters will be reached with these fire prevention messages; that they have resolved to be especially careful of fires; that they will stop flipping lighted matches and cigarettes out of cars, or when walking in the woods; that they will hold their matches until they are out, then break, to be sure they are out—crush out their cigarettes, cigars or pipe ashes; burn brush after 4:00 p. m. when the wind is down; and drown camp fires. If all our citizens will become fire-prevention conscious and follow the fire prevention suggestions, as set forth in this campaign, our fire statistical records at the end of this spring fire season will be greatly improved over the bad record we have had for the past several years.

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DARDEN ADDRESSES SPECIAL SESSION OF GENERAL ASSEMBLY

In a twenty-minute message, delivered at the opening of the the special session of the General Assembly on Monday (March 19) in which he recommended a Constitutional Convention composed of forty members, to convene about May 1st, to provide means whereby Virginians in the fighting forces may participate in State and local elections, Governor Darden announced his intention of recommending to the regular session of the General Assembly next January that they submit to the people the question of retaining the poll tax as a prerequisite to voting; recommended a thorough overhauling of the absentee voters law; the building of a "first offender farm"; setting up of a Pardon Board; changes in the banking and insurance laws to allow participation in the rehabilitation plans for returning service people; and a far-reaching educational program putting into effect certain non-controversial recommendations of the Virginia Education Commission calling for an immediate appropriation of $4,258,990.

On the question of the poll tax the Governor said: "You are aware, of course, of the sharp differences of opinion which exist in the Commonwealth over the imposition of the poll tax as a prerequisite to voting. It is my intention to recommend to the Assembly, when it convenes in January, that the question be submitted to the people for their determination. Before the repeal resolution is submitted a study should be made of the changes thought desirable. This will enable the people to know what qualifications, if any, are to be required of those who participate in our elections in event the poll tax is repealed as a voting requirement. If it is deemed advisable to write these qualifications in the Constitution they should be submitted along with the provision for the repeal of the tax."

Continuing, the Governor said he considered it most important to determine beforehand what changes are to be proposed, because of the wide difference of opinion among the people of the State, and he recommended that a commission of nine be appointed to make this study. Of these nine he suggested that five be from the Assembly and four from the State at large.

Among his recommendations in the educational field was that the State increase the teacher unit contribution for the coming year to $1,050 per unit (it is now $900 per unit); that increased appropriations be made in Home Economics, Agriculture, Distributive Education, Trade and Industrial Education centers, that six additional centers for adult counseling be established as quickly as possible, and that $100,000 be set aside for the production of motion picture films and slides, under the direction of the State Board of Education, to be used in visual aid training in the schools.

Stressing the importance of visual aid training, and the great lack of equipment in many class rooms in the State, the Governor recommended that the Assembly set up a fund equal to two dollars for each child enrolled, and that this money be made available to every school in the State for the purchase of maps, globes, charts, projectors, slides, films and other such teaching equipment. The money for such equipment to be paid over to the community as soon as it has a sum on hand for the same purpose equal to one dollar per student enrolled.

"I am asking that this capital outlay be now made because I am hopeful that we shall be able to acquire much of the more expensive moving picture equipment from the Federal Government as soon as demobilization starts."

Suggesting that $50,000 additional be appropriated for the purchase of books for school libraries and that some of the Literary Fund monies be used to increase teachers' retirement pay, the Governor recommended that $12,000 of the sum asked by the Denny Commission for Statewide testing programs in the elementary and high school grades be appropriated and that $125,000 be granted as additional funds for administration and operation for the Virginia State College for Negroes at Petersburg.

Calling attention to the fact that some communities are employing a few principals on a twelve-month basis, the Governor recommended that an appropriation of $100,000 be expended in the employment of selected principals in different areas on a full time basis to test the experiment and determine the value.

Stating that he believed "the lack of careful and well organized supervision to be the greatest defect in the public school system", the Governor said he hoped to recommend to the regular session in January a plan which would permit them to give their entire time where it will be the most productive.

The Governor approved the provision whereby several counties, or a city and a county, could be organized as one school division, and expressed the hope that they might also have one school board if they so desire, also recommending that provision be made for the appointment of school superintendents from a list of eligibles and that favorable consideration be given the Denny Commission's recommendation to permit school boards to make contracts with teachers beyond one year.

Saying that "The segregation of youthful first offenders is imperative in a decent penal system", the Governor recommended that it be built by private contract as soon as war conditions permit and the appropriation increased by $600,000, as no "worthwhile rehabilitation plan for this group can be put into execution until this institution is available."

NOTICE

Persons having claims against the estate of J. B. Cox, deceased, are hereby notified to present same to Maxie M. Cox, Administratrix of the estate of said J. B. Cox, and all persons indebted to said estate are required to settle said indebtedness at once.

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St. Charles--Jonesville--Flatwood--Pennington
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GAMES FRIDAY

GIRLS
Keokee vs Blackwater 9 a. m.
St. Charles vs Flatwood 2 p. m.
Pennington vs Jonesville 11 a. m.
Thomas Walker vs Dryden 4 p. m.

BOYS
St. Charles vs Dryden 10 a. m.
Jonesville vs Thomas Walker 3 p. m.
Pennington vs Keokee 12 a. m.
Flatwood vs Blackwater 5 p. m.

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St. Charles Boys And Keokee Girls Champs

Tournament To Decide Titlists To Start In Pennington Gap Friday

The 1944-45 wartime basketball season throughout the outstanding Lee County Conference is now just a memory. Fourteen exciting double bills played over a period of four long months by the attractive fair sex and the handsome males of the girls' and boys' leagues were brought to an overly exciting ending last Friday night as the league closed for the year, with bigger things ahead for next week — the Tournament.

Champions for the season in the girls' league were . . . . Ladies and Gentlemen . . . . the famous Keokee girls of Keokee, Va. They completed another undefeated season with 13 wins against a perfect slate in the conference, plus seven outside exhibitions, which were likewise deposited in the win column. Their grand total of consecutive wins over a three-year period reached 56 with Frida y night's 29 to 14 victory over Dryden. Arnett, who is running a close race with Theda Parsons, of St. Charles, for the high scoring record of the year, looped 15 points for Keokee, while Calton scored 12. Gilbert scored 8 and Reasor 7 for Dryden. Should the Keokee lassies travel through the conference tournament which opens at Pennington Gap next Friday, without a defeat, thus annexing the 1944-45 title, they will be eligible to lay claim to the State title of Virginia.

The season champs in the boys' division of the conference were the lanky St. Charles Blue Boys, who rang down the final curtain with 13 wins against one defeat for a mighty good season. They likewise had a grand string of victories won in exhibition tilts to boost a great season to really greater heights. They won by one long breath, a split second and a free goal at Jonesville in Friday night's grand finale. Dean's free basket netted the difference in a 17 to 16 win over the second-place Jonesville lads, who were slated to upset the blue boys of the coalfields.

Jonesville led 4-2 at the end of the first quarter; it was 8-8 at the half. St. Charles seemed to have lost their basket ration cards in the third quarter—they never found it, Jonesville leading 14 to 8. They, however, found new life and evidently new rations, too, in the final period. Three fast field goals in rapid succession knotted the score at 14-14. They both looped a fast field goal each, with Dean making a free basket for St. Charles, which later became the deciding difference in the ball game, the Blue Boys emerging on the top side of a 17 to 16 game.

The St. Charles girls made it full measure by defeating the J-ville girls to become the next best club to Keokee in the girls' league. They made it 12 wins against two losses with a 21 to 11 triumph over the Jonesville sextette. Theda Parsons, running her usual great race for league leadership in the high score parade, looped 11 points; Willis made 6 and Jones 4. Johnson led for Jonesville.

Pennington Gap won a double-header over Blackwater at Pennington Gap. The local girls topped a 40 to 21 victory over Blackwater, with Stanley looping 14 points, Bailey following with 12.

The boys eased out on the sunny side of a 37 to 17 contest, led by Williamson, of Pennington Gap, with 17 points. Bledsoe topped the scorers for Blackwater.

The Keokee boys, getting off to a bad start in the season's openers, but later getting above the .500 mark in the win column, came through with a 56 to 19 win over Dryden, with Duncan finding the goal for 19 points; Hensley got 15, and Robbins was credited with 12. Neely led Dryden with 10.

Flatwood made it a double for the win column over Thomas Walker at Flatwood. The boys nosed out a win in the final seconds by a 19-18 score, while the Flatwood lassies came through with a 25 to 18 bargain.

THE OFFICIAL STANDINGS

Girls	W	L	Pct.
Keokee	13	0	1.000
St. Charles	12	2	.858
Pennington	6	7	.462
Dryden	5	8	.385
Jonesville	5	9	.357
Thomas Walker	2	8	.333
Flatwood	4	9	.308
Blackwater	4	10	.286

Boys	W	L	Pct.
St. Charles	13	1	.929
Jonesville	11	3	.786
Flatwood	10	4	.715
Pennington	8	6	.572
Keokee	8	6	.572
Blackwater	3	11	.214
Thomas Walker	2	11	.142
Dryden	0	13	.000

Use Fertilizer To Get Rid of Broomsedge

If you have a luxuriant growth of weeds and broomsedge on your land it must be fairly productive land. So why burn it, and destroy the valuable soil organic matter that is there?

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Yes, fertilizer, not burning, is the way to get rid of broomsedge.

News From WALLENS CREEK

Vestell Gilbert was visiting Mrs. Glen Gilbert and daughter, Glenda Jane, Tuesday night.

Miss Lillian Elkins was visiting home folk over the week-end.

Miss Oza Elkins, of Bristol, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Elkins, recently.

Messrs. Milton Price and Olin Lockhart made a business trip to Pennington, Saturday.

Mr. Roy Osborne, of Blackwater, attended church services at Davis' Chapel, Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Mattie Martin spent Saturday night with Mrs. Laurie Cox.

Staff Sgt. Odell Elkins was visiting relatives at Imboden last week.

Misses Margaret Rasnic and Carnelle Livingston were visiting friends and relatives over the week-end.

Mrs. C. B. Price and daughter, Mildred, spent Saturday with Mrs. J. M. Price.

News From DRY BRANCH

Mrs. Gladys Peters, of Dryden, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Peters, Wednesday.

Mrs. Virginia Merchant, of Big Hill; Mrs. Edith Astrop and son, Kent, of Dry Branch, were shopping in Pennington, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chilton Edens spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hyden, of Woodway.

Mrs. Effie Astrop was shopping in Pennington, Monday.

Danny Cox and Kent Astrop attended a movie at Lee Theatre, Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Parsons and son, Jerry, were in town Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Ely and daughter, Geraldine, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chilton Edens, Friday.

Mrs. Edith Astrop and daughter, Juanita, visited Mrs. Mae Gibson, Sunday afternoon.

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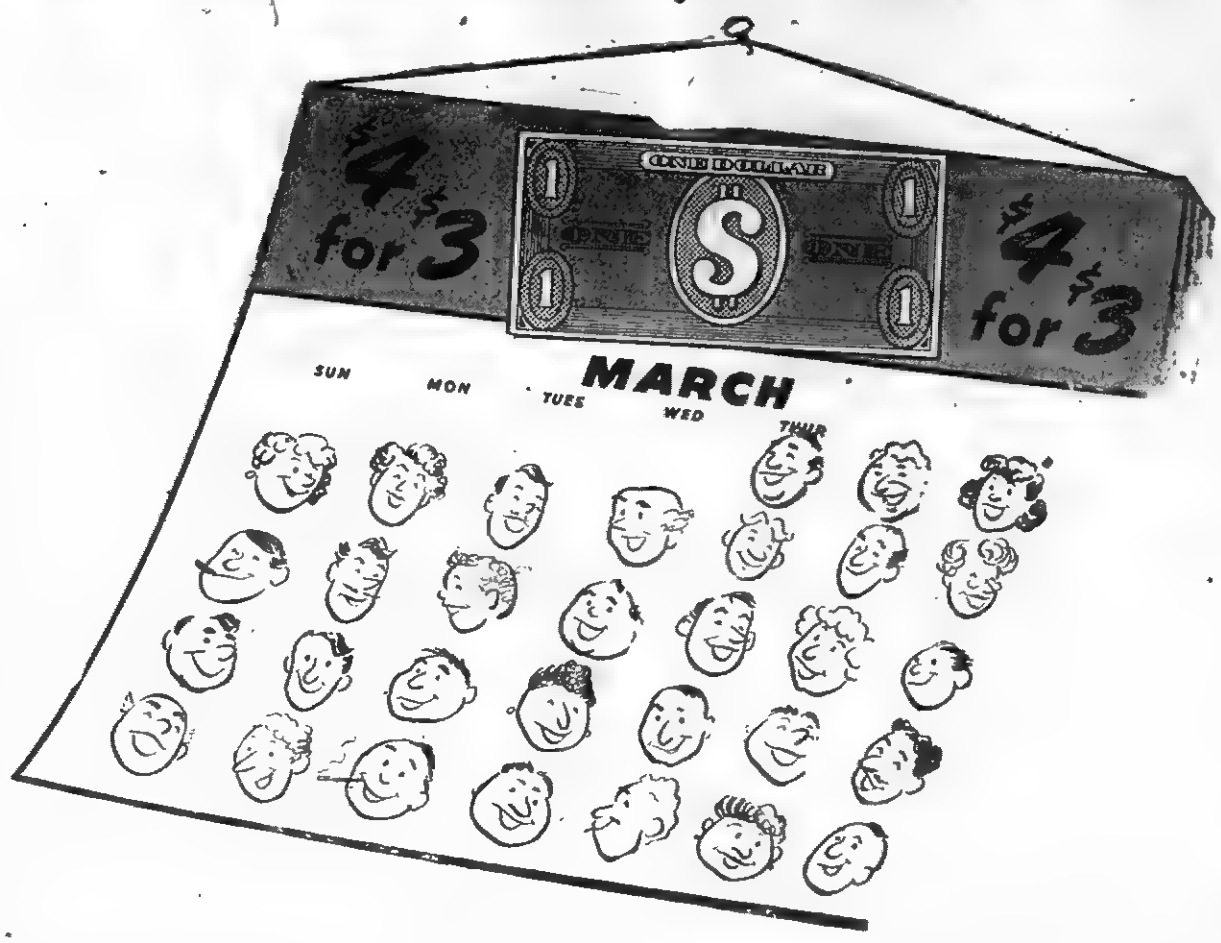

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Social and Personal

Back In States

Tech. Sgt. Lee Smyth, son of R. W. Smyth, of Pennington Gap, is spending a 30-day furlough with homefolk and friends.

He has spent four years in service, nine months of which have been spent overseas. Before leaving the States he completed his course as first cook at Fort Benning, Ga. He received the Purple Heart for wounds received in action during the invasion of France, September 6. He was taken to England for treatment, where he remained for six months. At the termination of his furlough he will report to a hospital in Durham, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Nichols, of Durham, N. C., are visiting at the home of their daughter, Mrs. J. M. Anderson, and family, and attending the revival at the First Baptist Church. Mrs. Nichols is a sister of the evangelist, Rev. Henry B. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Joris B. Catron and son, Bruce, of Woodway, and Miss Mildred Woliver, of Pennington Gap, were visiting in Big Stone Gap, Sunday.

Pfc. Lawrence Hensley has arrived from somewhere overseas to spend a 30-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gill Hensley, of Hagan.

Don't fail to see "Since You Went Away", coming to Lee Theatre on Monday and Tuesday, April 16 - 17.

Mrs. McKinley Lewis, of Pennington Gap, Route 1, has received word that her brother, Sgt. Mose Alsup, has recently landed in Belgium and is now in Germany. He is the son of John Alsup, Route 1.

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Word has been received that Capt. Clyde W. Orr has landed safely in France.

Installation Service For O.E.S.

Powell Valley Chapter O. E. S. (Order Eastern Star) held an installation service at the Lodge Hall, Saturday night, March 17, for the new officers elected to serve for the ensuing year.

The service was preceded by a dinner party at the home of Dr. and Mrs. M. H. Robbins. The installation officers were Mrs. Nell Rainero, Past Grand Worthy Matron, and Mrs. Margaret Hagy, Worthy Matron, both of Bristol.

The meeting was well attended and the dinner party a most enjoyable affair, it was reported.

Cpl. Ben Kelly, of Pueblo, Colo., is among the many soldiers here on furlough visits. Cpl. Kelly, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Kelly, will be here for about fifteen days.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Ely have moved to Pennington from the Robbins Chapel community. They live just outside town, on the River Road toward St. Charles. The Elys are the parents of Mrs. W. B. Weatherly, who, with her family, recently moved to Detroit, Mich.

Barbara Hargraves, of Oak Ridge, is visiting at the home of Mrs. T. H. Hargraves and Margueritte.

Two soldiers of Keokee at home on visits this week are Sgt. Otis V. Robbins ,of Fort Myers, Fla., visiting his mother, Mrs. Mary Robbins, and Staff Sgt. Willard Smith, of Valdosta, Ga., visiting his father, T. R. Smith, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Fortner, of Bristol, Tenn., were guests of Mrs. James Legg, in Pennington Gap; Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Robinette, and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hickam, at Blackwater, over the week-end.

Mrs. Willie Kimberling, Mrs. Golden Achley, Mrs. C. M. Lundy, and Mrs. Ollie Shufflebarger were shopping in Middlesboro the grst of the week.

Antney Rogers spent last week-end with friends at Flatwood.

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Helen Cooper visited friends at Ocoonita last week.

Mrs. B. H. Wainscott and Mrs. J. M. Anderson were shopping in Bristol last Wednesday.

RECENT BRIDE

Mrs. Garland Fortner

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jackson Hickam announce the marriage of their daughter, Imogene Rogers, to Mr. Garland Fortner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cox Fortner, of Marion, Virginia. The wedding, beautiful in its simplicity, took place Saturday, March 10th, at the bride's home on Hill Street, Bristol, Tenn., with the Rev. S. O. Frye, pastor of Anderson Street Methodist Church, officiating. The bride is the older of the two daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Hickham, and for the last seven years has been a popular employee of Inter-Mountain Telephone Co. Mr. Fortner has been in Bristol for the last twelve years and has made a wide circle of friends during his residence there. He is connected with the Railway Express Co. Mr. and Mrs. Fortner left immediately after the ceremony for an unannounced destination.

Mr. and Mrs. Hickam and family were formerly residents of Pennington Gap. Mrs. James Lee, aunt of the bride, attended the wedding.

ORR — MARTIN

Miss Pauline Orr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Orr, of Dryden, and Staff Sgt. E. Stover Martin, Jr., of Clover, Va., were quietly married Wednesday, March 7th, at the Methodist Church in Roxboro, N. C., by the Rev. Gordon Alkeison, pastor of the Methodist Church of Clover, Va., using the double ring ceremony. There were no attendants, but the young couple were accompanied to Roxboro by Mr. and Mrs. Martin, Sr., Miss Mattie Spencer and Miss Sallie Gregory, all of Clover.

For her wedding Mrs. Martin wore a dress of robin's egg blue with white hat ,black bag and shoes and long white gloves. Her corsage was of white roses.

Following the ceremony the young couple left on a short wedding trip, coming to Big Stone Gap, Saturday.

Mrs. Martin received her education at Dryden High School and Milligan College, and has taught in Clover and Big Stone Gap for the past two years.

Sgt. Martin graduated from Clover High School, and previous to his enlistment he was employed by the Person Garrett Company in Greenville/S. C. He has been in service three years and is being transferred to Camp Howze, Texas. He left for camp Wednesday. Mrs. Martin will continue her school until June, when she plans to join him in Texas.

FANNON — MOORE

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Fannon, of Jonesville, Route 4, announce the marriage of their twin daughter, Ruth, to Pvt. Earl Moore, of Piedmont, Ala., Thursday, March 8th.

The wedding was a military affair, the ceremony being performed by the Marine Chaplain at the post on Parris Island, S. C., where the groom is stationed, and where the couple will make their home.

The bride is a graduate of Jonesville High School in the class of '42, and since her graduation has held a government job in Alabama.

The groom also graduated from high school at Piedmont in the class of '42. For the past 22 months he has served with the Marine Corps overseas.

Pvt. Warren Musick is home on furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Musick. Pvt. Musick is a paratrooper and has served several months overseas.

Leonard Lambert, of L. M. U., spent the spring holidays with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Brannon, of Woodway.

Seaman Ralph Sally, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sally, of Woodway, spent a furlough with his parents and friends recently. He completed his boot training at Bainbridge, Md.

Pfc. Frank Flanary spent a few days recently with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Millard Flanary.

Tech. Sgt. R. B. Pennington is at home on furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pennington, of Woodway. Sgt. Pennington has been stationed at Chanute Field, Ill., and is now enroute to Texas. He returned from England last December.

Josephine Williams, of L. M. U., spent the spring holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Williams, of St. Charles.

Jenelle Anne Howard, of Dayton, Ohio, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Howard.

Born to Pvt. and Mrs. Clifford Irvin, a son, at Lee General Hospital last week, who has been named Billy Lee. Pvt. Irvin is in France. Mrs. Irvin is the former Miss June Jones.

Henry E. Meade, AMM 3-C., has spent a 15-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Meade, returning to his base at Corpus Christi, Texas, Saturday. While he was at home his sister, Mrs. W. R. Marsee, of Elizabethtown, Ky., and brother, L. B. Meade, of Honaker, Va., were home to see him; also another sister and brother-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Ford, of Hodgenville, Ky.

Cadet Richard Bays Blackwell, of Virginia Military Institute, Lexington, Va., spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam C. Blackwell.

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A BOND BUYER

DONALD BALL

Donald is the son of Pfc. and Mrs. Earl W. Ball, formerly of St. Charles. His father is fighting with the Fourth Marine Division on Iwo Jima, and Donald is backing him up with a bond bought from his savings.

Donald has until recently been with his mother, employed in Ohio, but came back for a visit with his grandparents, bringing with him his penny bank. With this, and the one he had at his Grandfather Pierce's, he had enough to buy a $25 bond. Donald says: "Buy bonds and bring our dads back quicker."

Margaret Rasnic, a student at L. M. U., was the guest last Thursday night of Mrs. Jake Howard.

J. B. Myers, a student of L. M. U., spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Myers, of Hagan.

Pvt. Norman Clawson, stationed Harvard, Neb., is spending some time with his mother and sisters near Jonesville, having been called home on account of the death of his father, Dock Clawson.

Mrs. Mildred Goins and daughter, Kay, spent Monday night with her parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Goins, Sr. Mildred is the wife of Lt. Bill (Salty) Goins, Jr., stationed in Michigan.

Pvt. Leslie Rhea, who has been on the battle fronts for more than three years, has at last found time for a furlough visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rhea, who live on Stone Creek. Pvt. Rhea will be here until about May 5th.

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Basketball Tourney Starts At PHS Friday

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the conference.

Virgie Arnett, of the famed Keokee girls' team, ran a close second for scoring honors, with 262 points for an average of 18 5-7 points per game.

As far as conference records were obtainable in the boys' league, Tete Williamson, of the Pennington Gap Tommies, led the race with 199 points for an average of 14¾ points per game. Smith Williams, Jr., of the St. Charles Blue Boys, looped 160 points for an average of about 12 points per contest.

Friday's tournament play will open at 9:00 a. m., with the Keokee and Blackwater girls drawing first blood. The St. Charles and Dryden boys take over at 10:00 a. m. The Pennington and Jonesville girls tee off at 11:00 a. m., to see who shall play the winners of the Keokee-Blackwater game. Pennington and Keokee boys, who have fought on even terms all year, will meet at 12:00 noon to see who shall draw the winners of the St. Charles-Dryden fracas.

At 2:00 p. m., the St. Charles-Flatwood girls open the afternoon. At 3:00 p. m., the Jonesville-Thomas Walker boys vie for a knockout. At 4:00 p. m., the Thomas Walker - Dryden girls clash for the right to meet the winner of the St. Charles-Flatwood game. At 5:00 p. m., the Flatwood-Blackwater boys tangle, the winner meeting the winner of the Jonesville-Thomas Walker game.

The conference is playing under the double elimination system, with all teams returning Saturday at 1:00 p. m. for the knockout blows. The semi-finals will start Tuesday at 6:00 p. m., lasting until midnight, with the grand finals booked for Saturday, March 31.

Bettors will adjudge the following information closely to determine the odds on the various contestants. Scoring records for the conference year give Keokee the lead in the girls' race with a total of 557 points; St. Charles, 460; Blackwater, 355; Dryden, 346; Flatwood, 341; Pennington, 334; Jonesville, 296; Thomas Walker, 279.

In the boys' race, St. Charles had an ample lead, with 506 points; Keokee next with 432; Jonesville, 418; Flatwood, 407; Pennington, 391; Blackwater, 341; Dryden, 244; Thomas Walker 222. The latter two clubs played only 13 conference games.

Pennington Methodist Church

Sunday, March 25: Church School at 9:30 a. m., Clyde M. Kirk, Supt. Preaching at 10:45. Sermon topic: "The Triumphant Entry". Special Music: Anthem —"The Palms", by Faure.

Young People's groups meet at 6:15 in the evening.

There will be no preaching service at evening, as the congregation will attend the revival service at the First Baptist Church. Also no mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening.

Charlie D. Mehaffey, Pastor.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

Emmett Shelburne Orr

Emmett Shelburne Orr was born September 30, 1910, Jonesville, Va., and departed this life March 15, 1945.

He was a graduate of William and Mary College, and taught in the Lee County Schools for five years. At the time he became ill, on August 12, 1942, he was manager of the United States Employment Office in Martinsville, Va.

He was married to Miss Ruth Sutherland, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. T. C. Sutherland, of Hayal, Va., on April 20, 1940.

He leaves surviving him his widow; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Orr, of Jonesville; two brothers, Robert E., who is with the U. S. Army in England, and Eugene, of Oak Ridge, Tenn.; four half-brothers, Wesley Orr, of Knoxville; Walter Orr, of Jonesville; Ben Orr, of Davenport, Iowa; and Rufus Harmon, of Harmon, Va.; also one half-sister, Mrs. Georgia Henderson, of Clinton, Tenn., and many other relatives and friends.

He was a member of the Christian Church at Pennington Gap, Va.

Funeral services were held at the M. E. Church in Jonesville, and interment in the Shelburne Cemetery, near Elk Knob, Saturday afternoon, March 17th.

Active pallbearers were: M. D. Couk, D. C. Sewell, Jr., C. C. Williams, O. M. Hyatt, R. S. Banner, C. P. Roop, Ben S. Richmond, Ben H. Sewell, and John A. Richmond.

Honorary pallbearers were: Ben F. Couk, Dr. G. B. Setzler, W. S. Parkey, Fred K. Hyatt, Geo. P. Cridlin, R. B. Ely, W. R. Pennington, L. P. Litton, L. M. Robinette, J. M. Weston, M. S. Martin, Dr. M. H. Robbins, T. B. Fugate and Dr. T. B. Ely.

Wiley Scott Hamilton

Wiley Scott Hamilton, 60, died at his home at Ewing, March 9, 1945, after an illness of about a year and a half.

Mr. Hamilton was a native of Shawanee, Tenn., and had lived in Ewing about 21 years. He was a member of the Methodist Church and of the Masonic Order and was a lumberman by trade.

Funeral services were held at Mt. Carmel Presbyterian Church at Rose Hill on March 11, at 2:00 p. m. Burial followed in the Ewing Cemetery at Ewing, with the Richmond Funeral Home in charge.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Carrie Morgan Hamilton, of Ewing; two brothers, Theodore Hamilton, Gibson Station, Va., and Benton Hamilton, of Tazewell, Tenn.

Dock Clawson

Dock Clawson, who resided near Jonesville in the Long Hollow community, died at his home March 13, at the age of 71. He had been ill for several months.

Funeral services were held at Rock Castle Church at 10:00 o'clock Saturday morning, March 17, conducted by Revs. Coffman and Roberts. Burial followed in the family cemetery.

Surviving are the widow; six daughters, Nell, Jessie and Ruby, at home; three sons in the armed forces as follows: Pvt. Norman Clawson, stationed in Michigan, and who came home for his fathers' funeral; Pvt. Coy Clawson, stationed in California; and Pfc. Alonzo Clawson, stationed somewhere in the Southwest Pacific area.

Revival At St. Charles Is A Great Success

The revival at St. Charles, under direction of the pastor, Rev. Clinton Green; guest evangelist Rev. John C. Blaylock, of Kingsport, Tenn.; and song leader, Mr. Callie Drummond, of Tazewell, Tenn., is reported to be meeting with great success.

The meeting was scheduled to have come to a close last night, but owing to the increased attendance and large number of conversions, the leaders decided to continue the meeting for [illegible]

TOWN TALK

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celebrated the first Sunday after the first full moon after the vernal equinox, March 21. But the calculation date is very complicated and most of us are content to take it from those who make the calendar.

To the Norsemen the festival of the divinity of spring was the season of new birth. From this festival arise the symbols of the Easter egg and the Easter rabbit as prolific reproducers of species. The coloring of Easter eggs red, yellow, blue, etc., was borrowed from the rays of Aurora Borealis, the northern lights, and the dawning hues of the Easter sun.

In Memoriam

The High School Press faculty has donated to the school a wall memorial cabinet, in memory of the former students who have given their lives in the service of our country.

This cabinet is made of solid walnut, with carvings of memorial design and decorated with gilt ornaments. It hangs in the hallway beside the door to the principal's office. Inside the cabinet, which has a glass door, are name plates bearing the names of memorial students. At this time there are seven: Orbin Wilder, George J. Williams, Clay Coldiron, Julian L. Carter, Buddy Skidmore, Fred Lawson, Paul D. Morris.

The name of Seaman John A. Litton will be added, and others who may follow in their train.

School Pals Meet

Denver Goins and T. R. Bailey were powerfully good pals when both were students of Pennington High School in pre-war days, therefore it was a great treat to both when they met in Hawaii the other day. Both boys wrote their parents that they had a good time talking of folks back home.

Pvt. Stewart Slightly Wounded

News comes from Pvt. Chilton Stewart that he was slightly wounded while serving with the U. S. Army on Luzon Island. He is confined to an overseas hospital.

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REVIVAL IN PROGRESS AT BAPTIST CHURCH

The pre-Easter revival at the First Baptist Church was begun Monday night, March 19, under the leadership of Rev. Henry B. Anderson, pastor of Grace Baptist Church of Durham, N. C.

People are coming in large numbers to hear Rev. Anderson's fine messages, which bring to his hearers a direct, warm challenge to better living. The sermon Tuesday night was especially appealing, when Rev. Anderson very ably discussed the topic of Christianity in the home.

"The greatest achievement of any woman in the world," he said in part, "is the building of a Christian home. The home that nurtures a Christian boy or gorl and sends them out into the world as useful citizens, is greater than the President of the United States."

Sunday morning Rev. Anderson will use for his theme a statement which also involves a question: "Room For Christ?" Sunday evening: "Weighed In the Balances".

The meetings will continue each night through this week and through Wednesday night of next week.

Rev. Anderson is an uncle of Mrs. Montague Anderson, of this place.

First Christian Church

Sunday, March 25: Bible School, 10:00 a. m., F. M. Smalley, Supt. Worship with communion at 10:45. Sermon subject: "Victory Over Self".

Christian Endeavors meet at 6:15 p. m., Mrs. Ruth Keith, president.

No evening service while revival is being conducted. Great and good preaching is being heard at these revival services, and we urge attendance to all of them. W. B. Moore, Pastor.

Miss Gladys Willis, of Kent, Ohio, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George M. Willis. Miss Willis is in her senior year at Kent State University, where she is a member of Gamma Sigma Phi Sorority.

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JONESVILLE NEWS

Mrs. M. S. Martin has been substituting for Miss Jamie Davidson, home economics teacher in Jonesville High School, for the past two weeks, due to Miss Davidson's illness.

Mrs. Carlton Hawthorne, who has been spending the past two weeks with her mother, Mrs. Jess W. Willoughby, left Saturday for New Jersey, where her husband, Lt. Hawthorne, is stationed. Mrs. Hawthorne had been living in Florida for the past several months.

Misses Lucy Walker and Hope Hyatt left Wednesday for Lynchburg, Va., where Miss Walker will visit her parents near Lynchburg, and Miss Hyatt will visit friends there, returning Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Henderson, of Clinton, Tenn., spent the week-end in Jonesville as guests of Mrs. Henderson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Orr, and attended the funeral of her brother, Shelburne Orr. Gene Orr, of Oak Ridge, and Wesley Orr, of Knoxville, also attended the funeral of their brother, Shelburne.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Harmon and son, Johnny, of Harmon, Va., stopped here last week enroute to a camp in Georgia, where their son, Buddy, is stationed.

Mrs. Browning Wynn and Mrs. Duvall Watts and son spent the week-end in Abingdon visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Carden Davidson were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Balfour Sutton, in Abingdon, where Mrs. Davidson's mother, Mrs. Maggie Gibson, is spending the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper and children, of Appalachia, were Sunday guests of her aunt, Miss Saluda Sewell.

Mrs. Bill Southern, of Norton, Va., is a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Sewell, Jr., this week.

Mrs. Ralph Archer and daughter, Joyce Kay, of Johnson City, Tenn., who have been guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Cridlin, returned to her home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Davidson, of West Virginia, were called home last week on account of the death of her father, Mr. H. L. Snodgrass.

Dr. and Mrs. T. C. Sutherland and daughter, of Hayni, Va., attended the funeral of their son-in-law, E. Shelburne Orr, last week. Mrs. Shelburne Orr returned to Hayni with them, where she will spend a few days before returning to her work here as social worker in the Welfare Department.

Miss Emma Duncan, of Big Stone Gap, was a week-end visitor of her sister, Mrs. L. T. Hyatt.

Senator L. M. Robinette left Sunday to attend the present session of the Virginia Assembly in Richmond.

Miss Opa Rhea, of Sneedville, Tenn., who has been recently employed in Rogersville, has accepted a position with the Powell Valley Electric Cooperative here, and is at present boarding with Mrs. Pearl Ewing.

Mrs. Ann Hyatt Cornwell, who has been residing with her husband in North Carolina, has returned to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Hyatt, since the death of Mr. Cornwell recently. She will remain here until June 1st, at which time she and her daughter, Jann Kensinger, will return to North Carolina, where she is employed.

Miss Carline Willoughby, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Jess W. Willoughby, will leave Thursday for a few days' visit in Richmond, before returning to Clarksville, where she is employed.

Mrs. Fred Cox, of Big Stone Gap, was a week-end visitor of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cox.

Mrs. J. M. Fry, Mrs. C. E. Legg and Mrs. Sam C. Blackwell went to Bristol, Monday, to meet Mr. Fry, who was returning from a visit with his daughters, Rebecca, at Washington, D. C., and Virginia, at Fredericksburg.

They were accompanied by Cadet Richard Bays Blackwell, who was returning to Virginia Military Institute, Lexington, Va.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of Lee County, Virginia, In Vacation, the 10th day of March, 1945.

Joe Ayers ..... Complainant
Vs. Order of Publication
Loretta Ayers ..... Defendant

The object of the above styled suit is to obtain a divorce on behalf of the complainant, Joe Ayers, from the defendant, Loretta Ayers, on the grounds of adultery, which it is alleged the defendant has committed since the aforesaid marriage. And it appearing by affidavit filed according to law that Loretta Ayers, said defendant, is not a resident of this State, it is therefore ordered that the said Loretta Ayers do appear here within ten days after due publication of this order, in the Clerk's Office of our said Circuit Court, and do what is necessary to protect her interests. It is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a newspaper published in Lee County, Virginia; and it is further ordered that a copy hereof be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, on or before the next succeeding rule day, and another copy of this order be mailed to said defendant at the Post Office address given in the affidavit.

D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D. C.
Robt. B. Ely, p. q.
Adv. No. 11-4t.

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News From BENEDICT

Charles Cridlin, of the U. S. Navy, who was an employee of the Benedict Store before his entering service, was visiting friends here last week.

Misses Betty Sue Giles, of Kemmerer Gem, and Loretta Collier, of Leona Mines, visited Miss Joanna Johnson here last week.

Misses Virginia and Mary McNiel, of Pennington Gap, visited friends here last week.

Miss Nell Fritz, student of L. M. U., spent last week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fritz, and family.

Mrs. Irene Scarborough and little daughter, Gloria Jean, and Mrs. T. P. Scarborough, all of Monarch, visited relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sturgill and daughter, Lois Jean, and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Ewing visited relatives at Jonesville, Sunday.

Mrs. John Farley, of Jonesville, visited relatives and friends here last Thursday.

Mrs. Lucille Hall and son, Marion Walter, and Miss Jean Yates visited friends at Jonesville last week-end.

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Competitors will be required to report for written examination, which will be held periodically as the needs of the service require. Full information and application blanks may be obtained from the Secretary, Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, Post Office, Jonesvile, Va.

AMONG ODD FELLOWS

By: ELLIS ROBERTS, Secy.

On Friday night, March 16, there was a large attendance at Pennington Lodge, and we had a visitation from two children from the Odd Fellows Home, at Lynchburg, Va.

They were accompanied by four of Bro. Ross Collier's girls from Leona Mines, and one of Bro. T. P. Scarborough's daughters. The Lodge was recessed and they were admitted and introduced to the members. Our girls (or children, as we call them) were given a grand reception and placed as special honor guests. They were children of John L. Carroll, who died about 8 years ago, and their mother died at Baltimore, Md., Friday March 9, and was buried at Woodway Cemetery, Wednesday, March 14.

Virginia and Betty Kate Carroll were admitted to the Odd Fellows Home soon after their father's death. Virginia, now about 16 years of age, shows fine culture and made a fine address to our members, after which we gave them a free-will offering amounting to $14.00.

On Saturday night, March 17, they visited Jessee Lodge of St. Charles, and the contribution given them there was $35.00; then they visited Powell Valley Rebekah Lodge in Pennington and the Rebekahs gave them a sum of money which was not accounted for the amount.

Betty Kate is the baby, although she is about 13 or 14. She is shy and has nothing to say, but she is still our baby, and that is one reason why we love them so.

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IN VITAL SPEECHES

DR. S. W. McCLELLAND

The March 1st issue of Vital Speeches carries an address by Dr. Stewart W. McClelland, of Lincoln Memorial University, at Harrogate, Tenn.

Vital Speeches is a magazinee devoted to the world's outstanding speakers and speeches, featuring such notables as Franklin D. Roosevelt, Winston Churchill, Nichalos Murray Butler, and Edward Stettinius. Dr. McClelland's address, printed in full, is titled "Abraham Lincoln's People". This is the fifth recognition given Dr. McClelland in Vital Speeches for his Lincoln Birthday addresses.

Virginia Coal Consumers Must File Consumer Declaration With Dealers

Virginia coal consumers, along with all others of the eastern section of the United States, will have to file a "consumer declaration" with their retail coal dealer in order to receive any coal for the coming year, Virginia's Solid Fuel Director John J. Howard said today, adding that even then their allotment will be 80% of their normal delivery.

Consumer declaration slips are now in process of being printed and may be obtained after April 1st at the offices of all retail coal dealers, Mr. Howard said.

Householders who use less than 25 tons of coal a year will not be required to count the coal in their bins on April 1st as part of next year's quota, therefore all those who are able to build up a reserve supply between now and April 1st will have just that much more to supplement their 80% allocation.

Consumers of more than 25 tons a year must report their April 1st inventory in their consumer declaration.

Stressing the fact that the 80% allotment of normal delivery is all that will be distributed during the fuel year beginning April 1st, 1945, Mr. Howard said the "seriousness of the coal shortage is becoming more apparent every day, with the national stockpile dangerously low. Fuel conservation during the 1945-46 heating season must fill in a huge discrepancy of some 30 million tons of coal. Everyone can help by installing proper insulation, storm windows and doors, and reconditioning heating equipment, and by not overheating. The time to start saving coal and stop waste is Now!"

The Boards of Supervisors of 91 counties in Virginia have approved the brush burning law, which prohibits the burning of brush or trash between 4:00 P. M. and midnight during March, April and the first 15 days of May.

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News From OAK HILL

Misses Margaret Rasnic and Carnell Livingstone, students at L.M.U., were at home over the past week-end.

Pvt. Marvin Gillenwater, Fort Knox, Ky., was called home on emergency furlough last week.

T. J. Hickam and daughter, Mrs. Carl Helbert, were in Pennington, Friday.

Miss Nona Munsey was visiting Carnell Livingstone, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. A. P. Gillenwater visited Mrs. M. B. Hall, of Stickleyville, last Friday.

Echol Livingstone was visiting friends on Blackwater, Sunday.

Born to Pvt. and Mrs. Marvin Gillenwater, on March 12, a 4-pound son, to whom has been given the name, Marvin David. Both mother and baby are doing fine.

Those who were visiting Mrs. Lizzie Munsey on Sunday were Mrs. A. P. Noel, Mrs. Dollie Head and Nona Munsey, Stickville; Mrs. Lloyd Light, of Ford Town, Tenn.; Mrs. Henry Lambert, Mrs. Daner Munsey and family, Mrs. Tobe Davis, and Mrs. Nelson Jones and children, Shirley and Charles.

Mrs. Mattie Banner is very sick at this writing.

News From FRIENDSHIP

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Yates, of Baltimore, Md., are spending a few days here with his mother, Mrs. Henry Yates.

Rev. John Buell and Silas Buell, of Harlan, Ky., visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Buell, here last week. Mrs. Buell has been ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Couk have received an announcement of the marriage of their son, Sgt. Harold Couk, to Pvt. Alice Casson, New Haven, Conn.

Billy Leedy and Ella Mae Collins, of this community, were married, March 7. He has been inducted into the Army this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Shipe and little daughter, of Greeneville, Tenn., visited her father, D. C. McClure, and Mrs. McClure recently.

In 1944, the forest wardens of Virginia obtained convictions in fire law violations, or collected suppression costs in connection with 531 forest fires, caused by careless people. This represents successful law enforcement action for 36 per cent of the total number of fires that got out of control of the parties responsible for their origin.

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LMU Plans Vocational Guidance Day, Mar. 30

Many Notables Will Attend; High School Seniors Are Invited

On Friday, March 30th, will be held the annual Vocational Guidance Day at Lincoln Memorial University, Harrogate, Tenn., for high school in that vicinity. Acceptances have already come in totaling 500 high school seniors, and the number is expected to exceed 600.

The program will begin with a general assembly in Duke Hall at 10:00 a. m., with music by the Middlesboro High School Band. The opening address will be givent by Burgin E. Dossett, Commissioner of Education for Tennessee. Lunch will be served to all visitors by the University, free. From 1:00 to 2:00 p. m., the students will assemble by groups with special instructors as follows:

Teachers Division, Dr. R. F. Jaggers, director teachers training, Kentucky State Department of Education; Medical and Nursing, Dr. Ned C. Watts, Jellico, Tenn.; Engineering Division, Dr. N. W. Dougherty, Dean of Engineering, University of Tennessee; Physical Education, Coach W. W. Campbell, Middlesboro High School; Business Administration, Dr. G. H. Parker, University of Tennessee; Home Economics Division, Miss Ruth Moore, Director Munson House, and Mrs. E. H. Smith, instructor in Home Economics, both of L. M. U.; Music Division, Mrs. Clara McCauley, Director of Music Education, University of Tennessee; The General Division, including all other groups, Dr. R. G. Thomason, Registrar, University of Tennessee. Each division will have presiding, a member of the Lincoln Memorial University faculty.

The closing address at 2:30 p. m. in the General Assembly will be given by Dr. F. O. Wygal, Supervisor Adult Education, Virginia Board of Education, and by Dr. Jaggers.

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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

How to Greet a Wounded Soldier

Charlie Jenkins got back from overseas the other day, discharged for wounds... and he was pretty well banged up.

Naturally, our town felt mighty bad about it. We wanted to sympathize with him and help him. But Doc Walters set us straight about that.

He said that what Charlie wanted most was to be accepted as one of the gang again... as if nothing had happened. So we asked him over to pitch horseshoes with his good hand, and enjoy a friendly glass of beer and chew the fat like old times.

And you should have seen him pick up! From being scared of meeting people, Charlie got his confidence back and soon became his own self again.

From where I sit, Doc Walters gave us the right steer. The wounded men coming home don't want our sympathy or our overenthusiastic help. They want to be treated like the rest of us... with a chance to work and lead a normal life. And that's the least we can offer them.

Joe Marsh

Jonesville W. S. C. S. To Hold Food Sale

The Night Club of the Woman's Society of Christian Service, Jonesville Methodist Church, is sponsoring a food sale consisting of cakes, pies, candies and other items. The sale will be held Saturday, March 31st, in Grover Johnson's Radio Shop in Jonesville, beginning at 10:00 o'clock a. m. Everyone is invited to come and buy.

Adult male gorillas in the Belgian Congo weigh as much as 500 pounds.

According to Federal Court interpretations an airplane is not a "self-propelled vehicle".

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the County of Lee, March Term, 1945.

Irene Wuerdeman....Complainant
Vs. Order of Publication
Paul Wuerdeman .....Defendant

The object of the above styled suit is to obtain a divorce a mensa et thoro by the complainant, Irene Wuerdeman, from the defendant, Paul Wuerdeman, upon grounds of wilful desertion of the complainant by the defendant for a period of less than two years.

And it appearing by affidavit filed according to law that Paul Wuerdeman, the above defendant, is not a resident of this State; it is therefore ordered that the said Paul Wuerdeman do appear within ten days after due publication of this order, in the Clerk's Office of our said Circuit Court, and do what is necessary to protect his interests. It is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a newspaper published in Lee County, Virginia. It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, on or before the next succeeding rule day, and another copy hereof be mailed to the defendant at the Post Office address given in the affidavit.

CHARLES N. HAWS,
Deputy Clerk.

Robt. B. Ely, p. q.
Adv. No. 10-4t.

Jonesville Seniors Will Present Play April 6th

The Senior Class of Jonesville High School presents on April 6th, at 7:30 p. m., at the Jonesville High School auditorium, "The Tin Hero", a farce in three acts. The characters are as follows:

Douglas Goodyear, a timid man, Billy Humphreys; Mrs. Blanche Goodyear, his mother, Patty Horton; Grace Goodyear, his sister, Bunnie Wells; Virginia Ferguson, his fiance, Joanne Carrier; Baxter Warner, the president of "The Hero's Club", George Sewell; Mrs. Baxter Warner, his wife, Natheta Davis; "Bunny" Wheeler, engaged to Grace, Berny Ferrill; Annette Coverdale, the only female member of "The Hero's Club", Mozelle Morris; Adelaide Young, a friend of Grace's, Pauline Warner; Victoria Esmond, a newspaper reporter, Mary Lee Garrett; Mlle. Claudette Bordoni, a young Frenchwoman, Jean Sewell; "Spike" Ryder, a champion swimmer, Hansel Garrett; Stage manager, Allen Minor.

The scene of this play is laid in a typical American home in the happy days before the war.

First Baptist Church

Sunday, March 25: Sunday School at 9:30 a. m., Arthur T. Burchette, Supt. Preaching at 10:45 by the guest evangelist, Rev. Henry B. Anderson. Theme for sermon: "Room For Christ?"

Evening: Training Unions meet at 6:30 p. m. Sermon at 7:30 by Rev. Anderson. Sermon topic: "Weighed In the Balances".

Revival services each night through Wednesday of next week.

P. R. Stubbs, Pastor.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 22nd day of March, 1945.

Gladys Fitzgerald....Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
C. B. Fitzgerald.....Defendant

The object of this suit is a divorce a vinculo mantrimonii on grounds of wilful desertion. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, C. B. Fitzgerald, is non-resident of the state of Virginia, and his last known address is 1890 East Ninth Street, Cleveland, Ohio, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: LOUISE PARKEY, D. C.
p. q., W. L. Davidson.
Adv. No. 12-4t.

News From JONESVILLE

Route Four

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Snodgrass entertained the following visitors Sunday: Rev. L. D. Perkins and children, Joe and Dorothy; Roy Livesay, Henry Livesay and two sons, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lucas and son, Mr. and Mrs. John Lyttle and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Green and three sons, Mrs. C. B. Lucas, Eugene Connelly, Billy Frank Peters, J. D. Paltur, Junior Davis, and Clifton Holman.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Greene and family, of Chevrolet, Ky., were visiting relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. K. H. Pendleton and two sons were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Pendleton, Sunday.

Miss Joyce Davis visited friends at Miller's Chapel over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Young visited Mr. Young's mother, Mrs. Riley Cook, Sunday.

Mrs. C. B. Lucas was shopping in Pennington, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Yeary are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Otis Yeary this week.

Friends of Jenette Yeary are glad to know she is recovering from her recent illness, and hope she will be able to be out again soon.

The young people of Pleasant Hill met at the home of Miss Floria Snodgrass, Sunday night, March 18.

Otis Yeary has received word that his son, Jack, has arrived safely somewhere in England.

The young people of Pleasant Hill are planning on Easter program which will be given on Sunday night, April 8.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Snodgrass received a letter from their son, Sgt. W. J. Snodgrass, stating that he will soon be home for a 30-day furlough. Sgt. Snodgrass has been in Hawaii for three years. They also have another son, Pfc. Glenn E. Snodgrass, who is in Burma.

Mr. and Mrs. John Carroll visited their daughter, Mrs. Byrd Thomas, last Sunday.

Good Friday Service At First Baptist Church

A Good Friday service, in which all the churches of the town will participate, will be held at the First Baptist Church on Friday night, March 30, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. Everybody invited to attend this service.

P. R. Stubbs, Pastor.

ATTENTION FARMERS!

Farmers needing corn for summer feeding can get it from Lee County Farm Bureau at special carload price reduction if bought this week. Car on track at Ben Hur. Rush!
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Four-room house; lights and water, 14-foot concrete lined basement, with partition; and 1 3-10 acres land. Located East end of Pennington Gap. See or write JAMES "TOOTS" PENNINGTON, Pennington Gap, Va.
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More About . . . Freedom

Yes, Sir, Here's That Man Again!!

Since I began this series of articles about Freedom, I have talked to a number of our soldier boys home on furlough about voting or changing any of our laws — in their absence and without them being able to express themselves by vote, which is in direct contradiction to the things they are fighting for.

A lot of good people, with apparently good intentions, foster legislation—when our yung men are out on the battle fronts—that will have more effect on those men when they return (those that DO return) than anyone else. Yet they will not have the slightest chance to express themselves by voting.

I wonder how many, if any, of these sponsoring changes in our laws of today were at Belleau Wood, the Argonne, Compeigne Forest, or are veterans at all—I doubt it. I was in the 90th Division in World War I. I have one daughter in the Marines now; another is helping build implements of war, yes war; other close relatives in service killed—that we at home can enjoy Freedom!

Yes, folks, during World War I certain parts of our freedom were stolen in a sort of sneak attack, and it was not until sixteen years later that our good President, F. D. Roosevelt, who was broad-minded enough to see the wrong of it and was good enough to give it back to us.

And you can also thank our good President that we are a free people today. If he had not waged a one-man battle with our Congress (both Democrats and Republicans) for arming and fortifying our nation, we would have in all probability been invaded long ago. We would be under Hitler and Tojo or fighting from tree to tree or house to house for our very lives. You have only to read the story of invaded countries to realize what it means to be invaded.

If those of our boys out on the battlefields or in our Navy fighting for our existence have not earned the right to vote on any legislation that affects our future way of living, then my friends, what have they earned?

I am talking about Lee County boys, folks; your friends, my friends, and some of you readers are Dads and Mothers, Brothers and Sisters of these boys and girls. You would like for them to have a say about their future home life and the laws that affect them. They might want to go to church on Sunday morning and go fishing Sunday afternoon. That's freedom—that's the American way. Let's leave it as it is. If they want it changed, they are men—they have the right to vote—they can change things to suit themselves, and all the people—when all the voters are home to vote.

DON'T USE GAS GETTING UP PETITIONS—GIVE IT TO THE BOYS TO BOMB TOJO AND HITLER!

G. B. Shoun

Back Them Up With More Bonds

THE POWELL VALLEY NEWS

"Serving Lee County — One of Virginia's Best — From Pennington Gap, Virginia"

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Town Talk

About This, That, And The Other

Beyond the shade of Calvary
Beyond the night of gloom,
Beyond the Mount of Olivet,
Beyond the guarded tomb,
The radiant light of Easter morn
And lilies all abloom!

Backward, Turn Backward . . .! W. D. Harr has a copy of the Bristol Herald-Courier bearing the blazing headlines—"WAR IS ENDED — ARMISTICE SIGNED!" In smaller letters the subhead reads: "Hostilities cease at six o'clock this morning."

But alas—the paper is dated November 11, 1918, and has reference to World War I. The war today still goes on, and all we can do is to watch, wait and hope for similar good news.

Mr. Harr has a hobby of collecting and keeping papers and manuscripts of special importance, and has some pertaining to the Civil War.

Admires the Philippines Sgt. Arthur M. Howard, with the U.S. Army in the Philippines, says in a recent letter to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Howard:

"Most of the people here are practically without clothes and have very little food. The Japs took almost everything. The people appreciate any kind of food we give them, and it's a pleasure to watch them eat food that we care about, and eat it like it was good. But they are a happy-go-lucky people, always wear a smile, and will run over themselves to do something nice for you."

Moving About Moving in and moving out will be the leading issue in Pennington Gap for the next few days. E. S. Vaughan and family will move from their home on River Road, near B. M. Kelly's. F. M. Smalley has bought the house and will move in when the Vaughan's vacate. Mrs. Christine Bowman

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Union Christian Church

Dot, Virginia.

An revival meeting under the leadership of Rev. Arthur Burton, State evangelist, will begin at this church Sunday night, April 1st. Services each evening at 7:30 o'clock through Sunday, April 15th.

Bro. Burton is widely known as a successful pastor of Danville, Va., and as pastor-evangelist drew the attention of the Virginia Christian Missionary Society, Dr. John A. Tate, Supt., and was called by them into full time evangelistic work under their direction.

This meeting is confidently and prayerfully expected to be of great spiritual strength to the church and community, and it is hoped that other churches and individuals from other communities may come and get good, also.

A Christian invitation is open to all who learn about the meeting and to all who could, and we pray, will be invited by them.

W. B. Moore, Minister.

New Church Building Planned For Duffield

Rev. George Gibson, cooperating with the people of Livingston's Chapel, is very much interested in building a new church house. An effort is already under way for the building.

Any donation made by your church or individually will be greatly appreciated.

Clerk, Mrs. Bessie Livingston, Duffield, Virginia.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Weather Bureau report for week ending March 25th, 1945, for Lee County, furnished by Cam J. Lewis, official observer:

Date	Temperature		Rainfall
1945	Highest	Lowest	Inches
19	75	51	.00
20	72	48	.00
21	70	44	.29
22	47	34	.34
23	57	23	.00
24	68	30	.00
25	75	40	.00

Carl Barton Reported Killed In Action Feb. 27

Parents Notified March 24 Of Heroic Death of Son With 143rd Inf.

A message came to Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Barton, of Washington, D. C., Saturday, March 24, notifying them of the death in action of their son, Pfc. Carl H. Barton, serving with the 143rd Infantry Regiment overseas.

Carl, who was the youngest of the four Barton children, entered the Army in March, 1943, and went overseas the following August. On October 18, while serving in France, he was wounded by shrapnel in the left arm and shoulder and in both legs. However, he had recovered and returned to active service.

He was holder of the Combat Infantry Badge, and citation for exceptionally meritorious conduct from his commanding officer, Major General John E. Dahlquist. The citation read in part:

"Pfc. Carl H. Barton was a

PFC. CARL H. BARTON

truck driver for Company H when that unit crossed a treacherous river to attack well fortified positions on the hostile bank. The casualties were very heavy and the company lost all but 71 men, an insufficient number to operate the guns and carry ammunition.

"He was aware of the desperate situation, immediately volunteered to haul ammunition directly to the gun positions so that members of the gun crews could remain constantly with their weapons.

"He made numerous trips to the front lines through heavy artillery and mortar fire, skillfully operating his vehicles and maintaining a steady flow of ammunition to the guns."

The Barton family resided in Pennington Gap for several years prior to their going to Washington two or three years ago. All four children are graduates of Pennington High School.

The other two boys enlisted in service are: Navy Chief Petty Officer Don Barton, recently returned from two years of foreign duty, and Army Lieutenant John Robert Barton, stationed at Tinker Feld, Okla.

Their sister, Miss Eugenia Barton, a graduate nurse of the University Hospital at Charlottesville, served for a time as lieutenant in the Army Nurses' Corps, but while in overseas service contracted tropical fever and later was medically discharged.

Father of Local People Dies in Sanger, Texas

W. E. Dunn, of Sanger, Texas, father of Mrs. M. J. Pennington and Mrs. G. F. Service, of Pennington Gap, died March 11, at the age of 82.

Mrs. Pennington and Mrs. Service, who have been with their father during his illness and death, will return to their homes here next week.

Son Of Former Lee Pastor Was Prisoner Of Japs

Floyd Laster, of Imboden, Va., was held prisoner by the Japs in the Philippines for three years, and was lucky enough to be alive when the island on which he was held was recaptured by the U. S. Army.

Floyd is the son of the late Rev. Howe Laster, who before his death was pastor of Valley View Church several years ago.

Local Boy Makes Good

CPL. HERBERT M. WHEELER

Cpl. Herbert M. Wheeler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Wheeler, of Pennington Gap, has spent nineteen months in the armed services, one year of which has been in foreign countries.

He received six months' training at Camp Rucker, Ala., and two months in England. He was taken into France on D-Day, and has participated in several big battles in France, Belgium and Germany. He has been awarded the Presidential Unit Citation and the Good Conduct Medal. He is in the 87th Chemical Battalion, and was promoted to his present rank in October. He writes his parents that he gets The Powell Valley News regularly, and enjoys reading it very much.

Easter Shopping Party Escapes Tragic Ending

A party of six Pennington Gap women had spent a pleasant day shopping in Bristol yesterday.

However, the day came near coming to a tragic close when, about six o'clock in the evening, as they were nearing home, their car collided with a trailer coal truck. The occupants of the car were: Miss Mary McNiel, driver; her mother, Mrs. Josephine McNiel; Mrs. J. E. Sword, Mrs. O. A. Vaughan, Mrs. J. V. Kelly and daughter, Mildred.

As a result of the collision, Mrs. McNiel is in Lee Geenral Hospital, her leg broken in two places, and suffering severe bruises and shock. Mrs. Sword is at home, but confined to her bed, also suffering bruises and shock and a deep gash in the head. Mrs. Kelly and daughter suffered only minor injuries; Mrs. Vaughan and Miss McNiel were unhurt.

According to Sheriff J. W. Newman, who was called to the scene, the truck, which was loaded with coal, was driven by Ray Lane, of Kingsport. Newman said that no charges were placed against either driver, other than that Lane, having no insurance, accompanied him to Jonesville to make bond.

The truck was badly damaged, and Miss McNiel's car, a two-seated '41 model Ford, was a total wreck.

Mrs. Vina Woodward Killed By R. R. Train

Mrs. Vina Woodward, 71, was killed last Wednesday evening when struck by a Southern freight train while she was walking across a bridge near Delvale, about six miles east of St. Charles.

According to the engineer, M. L. Hood, the woman apparently failed to hear the whistle as the train approached the bridge.

Funeral arrangements are not fully complete, but the rites will be held from Robbins Chapel Church, with burial in Robbins Chapel Cemetery.

Mrs. Woodward is survived by two sons, Crit Woodward and Tennessee Woodward, both of Sharonville, Ohio; three daughters, Mrs. Birdie Sizemore and Miss Amy Woodward, of Keokee, and Mrs. Floris Davis, of Purcell; two brothers, Bradley Parsons, of Keokee, and Pearl Parsons, of Detroit, Mich.; and three sisters, Mrs. Rose Cottrell and Mrs. Laura Boggs, of Keokee; and Mrs. Susie Light, of Delvale.

GUEST EVANGELIST AT METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. George J. Creswell

Rev. George J. Creswell, pastor of Second Methodist Church in Knoxville, Tenn., will conduct a two weeks' revival at the Methodist Church here, beginning Monday evening, April 2, at 7:00 o'clock.

Rev. Creswell bears an unusual record as an able speaker and a consecrated Christian man. He has been pastor of the Second Methodist in Knoxville for 24 years, and during those years has received more than twenty-five hundred people into the membership of his church.

The secret of his success seems to lie in the fact that his very presence makes one aware of the presence of God. He is a minister who really has the "human touch". He maintains a personal interest in people; he loves them and studies them, with only one supreme motive—that of helping them to better Christian living.

The public is cordially invited to attend these revival services, which will be held at 10 o'clock each morning, 7:30 each night, and at 4:00 p. m., following the school hours.

CLOTHING NEEDED FOR WAR VICTIMS

Collection Campaign Starts Here April 1

The United National Clothing Collection Campaign, to collect serviceable used clothing for the benefit of liberated countries of Europe and the Pacific, under sponsorship of the Lions Club, will start here April 1, continuing through April 30.

Housewives about to launch their annual spring cleaning are urged to carefully scrutinize every garment in their attics, trunks and closets, and if it is in serviceable condition, no longer needed by members of the household, reserve it for donation to this Clothing Collection Drive.

Collection boxes will be placed for depositing used clothing at the following places: First Baptist Church, Pennington Methodist Church, First Christian Church, Pennington High School, Town Hall, A. & P. Store, and Piggly Wiggly Store.

What is needed is good, substantial used clothing for both winter and summer wear. Although it need not be in perfect repair, it must be useful to the people who will receive it. Underclothing and all types of cotton garments should be washed before they are donated, but need not be ironed (Evening dresses, tuxedos and dress suits cannot be used). The most urgently needed are as follows:

Infants' garments, men's and boys' garments, women's and girls' garments, caps and knitted headwear, bedding, shoes, and usable remnants, piece goods. All types of the above garments are needed at once.

People in liberated countries,

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Red Cross War Fund Drive Goes Over Top

Final Report Shows $10,000 Goal Exceeded By More Than $3,000

The Red Cross War Fund Drive in Lee County was an outstanding success. The $10,000 quota assigned the county was exceeded by $3,057.00, according to a final report given today by War Fund Chairman C. F. Connelly.

Mr. Connelly and his entire organization did a commendable job, and the contributors who actually donated the money to the Red Cross shows that the people of Lee County appreciate the great work being done by the Red Cross.

Final area tabulations showing amount raised as compared with quotas assigned are as follows:

Benedict: Quota, $1,500; raised, $1,600.

Bonny Blue: Quota, $2,000, raised $1,890.

Calvin: Quota, $400; raised $365.

Kemmerer Gem: Quota, $500; raised, $1,100.

Virginia Lee: Quota, $500.00; raised, $614.00.

Loma Mines: Quota, $1,000; raised, $1,207.

St. Charles: Quota, $500; raised, $584.00.

Pennington Gap: Quota, $2,500; raised $2,100.

Dryden: Quota, $200; raised, $200.

Woodway: Quota, $100 (not completed).

Stickleyville: Quota, $25; raised, $150.

Jonesville District: Quota, $1,500; raised $1,802.

White Shoals District: Quota, $400; raised, $400.

Rose Hill District: Quota, $1,400; raised, $1,400.

Fry Lbr. Co. and Blue Gem Coal Co., raised $44.00.

A few of the smaller mines, reports incomplete; and Mr. Connelly expects some late contributions from some of the other areas which will further swell the $13,057 which Lee County has so generously contributed to the Red Cross to carry on the wonderful work and outstanding job it is doing during this war.

Mr. Connelly wishes to express his sincere thanks and appreciation to every worker and every contributor who made possible the very successful outcome of the drive in the county.

Lee County Tourney Ends Saturday Night

Semi-Finals Start At Noon, Finals At 8:00 O'clock Saturday Night

Lee County high schools will write the final chapter in the 1944-45 basketball conference tournament Saturday. The semi-finals are scheduled for Saturday afternoon, starting at 12:00 noon, with the championship finals set for 8:00 o'clock Saturday night.

Approximately 2,500 fans have already jammed into the Pennington High School gym to witness the tournament preliminaries, which started last week-end with a brief skirmish Tuesday night, while hundreds have been turned away because there was not even standing room left.

The super-duper glamor girls of Keokee, who added their 59th consecutive win over a three-year period Tuesday night, will open play Saturday at noon, opposing the Jonesville girls, in an effort to make their famed win column read SIXTY. This is their one possibility of being upset. Jonesville, however, did not top the list in the conference, but have almost upset Keokee in two previous conference games, the Super-Duper girls emerging in the final minutes of each occasion by a margin of but four points.

The Jonesville boys, yet undefeated in the tournament, and having ended up in second place in the season conference standing, will meet "Salty" Foster's Pennington boys at 1:00 p. m. A single defeat in the semi-finals means elimination.

At 2:00 p. m., the St. Charles and Dryden girls will settle their dispute for whom shall try for the 300 question of either the champion or runners-up Saturday night.

At 3:00 p. m., the Keokee and

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ENJOYS FURLOUGH

S.2-C, CLIFTON NEWMAN

Seaman Clifton Newman, 18, has recently enjoyed a ten-day furlough visit with his father, Henry Newman, of Pennington Gap, and other relatives, following completion of his basic training at Camp Peary, Va.

Seaman Newman entered service Nov. 4, 1944, being assigned to Camp Peary. Upon his return to duty he will be stationed at Portsmouth, Va.. He was a student of Pennington High School prior to his induction into the Naval service.

Local Citizens Back Home From Hospitals

R. E. Beeler and J. E. Laningham are back in their respective homes here, victors over the odds of illness and operations that confined them to hospitals for a time.

Mr. Beeler stayed several weeks in the University Hospital at Charlottesville. He reportedly improved, can be out of bed much of the time, and is seemingly on the road to recovery.

Mr. Laningham underwent a major operation at the Union Memorial Hospital in Baltimore. He says he is feeling "pretty good", can walk about some, and has every reason to believe that with a little time he will be "good as new".

Admant Church Improved New Parsonage Built

Rev. W. H. Parrott today was very happy to announce that in addition to entering upon the new springtime season, he and his family are also moving into their new parsonage home located near Admant, the church of which he is pastor. The house was only recently completed, and contains six rooms and bath.

Furthermore, the church building has been remodeled and improved with the addition of seven new Sunday School rooms, just completed under the supervision of the building committee, L. C. Martin, Virgil Kirk and H. T. Pennington.

Admant is a pretty church, of the Baptist denomination, located on Stone Creek, Pennington Gap, Route 1. The Rev. Roscoe Douglas, of Harlan, will begin a revival at Admant Easter Sunday. Everybody invited to attend.

REVIVAL CLOSES

The revival meeting which has been in progress at the First Baptist Church here for nearly two weeks, came to a close Wednesday night, and the guest evangelist, the Rev. Henry B. Anderson, has returned to his home in Durham, N. C., where he is pastor of Grace Baptist Church.

Rev. Anderson is a speaker of unusual ability, and his inspiring sermons have done much for the betterment of the town. Several conversions are reported, and a baptismal service will be held in the church Sunday evening, April 1st. Throughout the service the singing, led by B. H. Wainscott, was thoroughly enjoyed by the audiences.

New Baby Mr. and Mrs. Add Rogers announce the birth of a son on March 23, to whom has been given the name Procter Raymond. Mrs. Rogers was formerly Miss Mary Pinkston.

Kenneth Syerlock, football coach, and Paul Carter, basketball coach, of Hall's High School, Grays Knob, Ky., attended the basketball tournament Tuesday night.

THE LIVING CHRIST

The Adult Choir of the Methodist Church will present a musical service, "The Living Christ" Sunday evening, April 1st, at 7:30 o'clock. Miss Cora Lewis, organist and choir director, Rev. Mehaffey, reader.

"Hail Glorious Day" — Chorus

"The Palms", Faure—Soloist, Dorotha Fry, and chorus.

"For God So Loved the World" —Soloist, Mrs. C. D. Mehaffey.

" 'Neath the Old Olive Tree" —Quartette: Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Richards, Mrs. J. B. Tipton, W. H. Creech.

"They Crucify Him"—Soloist, O. B. Willis, and chorus.

"Above the Hills of Time"—Soloist, Mrs. Buford Rhea, and chorus.

"Beneath the Cross of Jesus" —Soloist, Miss June Lewis, and chorus.

"Dark is the Garden"—Quartette: Mrs. Ed Gardner, Mrs. C. W. Adams, Carl Shelton, O. B. Willis.

"The Magdalene"—Trio: Mesdames Ray Barron, W. J. Richards, J. B. Tipton.

"Hosanna! Hosanna!" — Soloist, Mrs. Ray Barron, Women's Chorus.

"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"—Chorus.

Wounded in Battle Of Iwo Jima Island

A letter just received from Pfc. Earl Ball says he was wounded on Iwo Jima the 20th of February, in the right leg and foot. Earl urged his wife not to worry about him, as he is receiving the best of care.

Pfc. Ball has one son, Donald, aged six. He is the son of J. C. Ball, who resides on Puckett's Creek.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our thanks to all of our friends and neighbors for their kindness shown us through the death of our daughter and sister, Mattie. We appreciate the beautiful floral offerings, the comforting words by our minister, N. P. Graham, and for those who furnished their cars.

Mrs. Addie Kirk and Family.

Mrs. Dewey Stallard has been visiting Mrs. Harry Kinzer and Misses Maude and Nora Kinzer, of Jonesville.

News From
JONESVILLE
Mrs. G. W. Ball, Cor.

Route Four

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Byington announce the birth of a son on Wednesday, the 21st. The name is Claude Marshall, Jr.

Roy Livesay has purchased a lot near York Church and is building a neat, four-room house. He will be moving in soon.

Byrd and Omar Thomas, of Route 2, were recent visitors with friends on Route 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Thomas have received word that their son, Ray, has been wounded, and is somewhere in England.

Garnett Ball called on relatives here recently.

Talk about spring beauties—see the daffodils, jonquils and hyacinths grown by Mrs. Cecil Orr, of this place. I have never seen anything to compare with them.

The people of Mt. Hope have reorganized their Sunday School, with Will Pat Byington as superintendent.

Mrs. Willard Wells spent Friday shopping and visiting friends and relatives in and around St. Charles.

Miss Bonnie Wells was an overnight guest of Miss Helen Price, of Jonesville, Friday night, and together they attended the tournament at Pennington, Saturday and Saturday night.

The J. W. Roberts family visited relatives in Kentucky, Sunday.

Edward Howard, of Kingsport, was a guest of his grandmother, Mrs. Julia Wells, and family, over the week-end.

Mrs. Bill Havens now has a line of groceries at the old stand which her brother, Loren Roop, formerly occupied.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stallard and children, of St. Charles, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wells.

Misses Ruby and Georgianna Ball will spend Easter with Glenn Ball and family in Detroit.

There has been the heaviest pear bloom this spring that has been for a number of years, but now it's something like this:

Pear petals are falling like flakes of snow,
Don't you see Don't you see?
Touched by the breeze, and away they go,
Drifting over the lea.
Pear petals are falling, the ground is white,
Don't you see? Don't you see?
They'll melt away in the March sunlight
That warms up the old pear tree.

News From
WALLEN'S CREEK

Miss Marilou Elkins spent Saturday night with her cousin, Ruth Elkins.

Mildred Price spent Friday night with Miss Beatrice Helbert.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Miner and daughters, Katherine and Irene, gave a supper in honor of Mr. Vestell Gilbert's birthday. There was a cake with 22 candles.

Miss Lizzie Sword spent Saturday night with her father Mr. Nathan Sword.

Mrs. J. B. Hounshell was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Penley, last week-end.

Pvt. Paul Price is spending a 14-day furlough with relatives at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Martin and children, Francis and Naomi, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Olin Lockhart.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Elkins and daughter, Ora, are visiting relatives in Texas.

Mrs. Carl Gilley and children, Lois and Neal, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Everett Watson, Sunday.

Miss Margie Suttles spent Saturday night with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lockhart.

Mrs. W. P. Helbert is visiting relatives at Bristol and Kingsport this week.

Several from this community attended the show at Jonesville, Saturday night.

Miss Irene Miner was calling on Miss Zelma Gilbert, Saturday afternoon.

News From
CHESTNUT RIDGE

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Hines and family were visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Hines, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Eagle, Harlan, Ky., were dinner guests of Mrs. Mae Wilson, Sunday.

The following visited in the home of Mrs. Hasque Russell, Saturday: Willie Russell, Miss Ida Pendleton, Mrs. Mae Wilson and children, Mrs. Ernest Eagle and children and Miss Pauline Robbins.

Miss Ida Pendleton and Mrs. Alpha Hall visited the Evans Hospital at Middlesboro one day last week.

Ben Sadler is busy cleaning up his newly-purchased farm.

Ernest Eagle has gone into the goat raising business.

Mr. Hasque Russell writes that he has a good job and is getting along fine in Detroit, Mich.

Mrs. Susie Robbins and Ralph visited Mrs. Jack Williams at Miller's Chapel, Sunday.

WANTED TO BUY

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and
I LOVE A MYSTERY
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JIM BANNON
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First Show Saturday at 11:00 A. M.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:
In the Clerk's Office of Lee County, Virginia, In Vacation, the 10th day of March, 1945.
Joe Ayers ..... Complainant
Vs. Order of Publication
Loretta Ayers .....Defendant

The object of the above styled suit is to obtain a divorce on behalf of the complainant, Joe Ayers, from the defendant, Loretta Ayers, on the grounds of adultery, which it is alleged the defendant has committed since the aforesaid marriage. And it appearing by affidavit filed according to law that Loretta Ayers, said defendant, is not a resident of this State, it is therefore ordered that the said Loretta Ayers do appear here within ten days after due publication of this order, in the Clerk's Office of our said Circuit Court, and do what is necessary to protect her interests. It is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a newspaper published in Lee County, Virginia; and it is further ordered that a copy hereof be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, on or before the next succeeding rule day, and another copy of this order be mailed to said defendant at the Post Office address given in the affidavit.

D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D. C.
Robt. B. Ely, p. q.
Adv. No. 11-4t.

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News From
HAGAN

Mrs. Lester Hensley and son, of Kentucky, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gill Hensley.

Mr. and Mrs. Collie Thomas and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Will Ingle.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanders Grabeel and children spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gill Hensley.

Mrs. Mary Watkins was visiting her daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Gilliam, at Flatwood Thursday.

Miss Gladys Myers, of Bonny Blue, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Myers.

Mrs. Atha Sumner and children spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Homer Depew, of Hubbard Springs.

Rev. and Mrs. Floyd Young, of Middlesboro, Ky., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Luke Irvin, Sunday.

Betty and Ima Joe Barker, of Beech Springs, spent the week-end with their grandmother Mrs. Luke Irvin.

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News From
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Mrs. Bill Garrett is visiting her daughters, Mrs. Frank Garrett and Mrs. Jim Terry, of this place, and Mrs. Sam Lipps, of Ben Hur.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Johnson, of Gano, Ky., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Johnson, over the week-end.

Born to Pvt. and Mrs. A. J. Queenberry, on March 24, an 11-pound son, at Lee General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Flannagan and infant daughter Opal Clydie, spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tyde Haynes.

Everyone in this community were sorry to learn that Pfc. Champ Hall, serving with the U. S. Army in Germany, has been seriously wounded. The word was received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hall, who recently moved from this community to Ben Hur.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Bledsoe and children were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Bledsoe, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luster Rogers and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ballard and son, Garland Rhea, visited Mrs. Bledsoe's brother, M. B. Johnson, and family at Gano, Ky.

Rev. Tip Parkey, of Rose Hill, spent Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Johnson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Terry, Mrs. W. K. Childress and Mrs. Jack Childress were shopping in Bristol, Tuesday.

Joyce Ann Terry spent Wednesday night with her aunt, Mrs. Ballard Bledsoe.

Mrs. Bob Harvel and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Kirk.

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News From
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Mary Lou Russell, Cor.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ramsey and daughter were visiting her sister, Miss Cora Watson, Sunday.

Clyde Collins and daughter, Nina Jean, made a business trip to Pennington Saturday.

Junior and Buford Russell, of Blackwater, spent the week-end here with their uncle, H. P. Russell.

Everyone enjoyed the fine sermon Rev. Jennings delivered here Sunday.

Miss Mary Lou Russell, Mrs. Cleo Watson, Mrs. Bobbie Collins, Mrs. Ethel Gibson and Mrs. Ruthie Collins visited Mrs. Mossie Collins, Sunday.

Mrs. Phoebe Cox and Mrs. Venice Watson visited Mrs. Franklin Jones, Saturday.

Mrs. Roe P. Parkey has returned home after spending the past two weeks with her mother, Mrs. Lillie A. Roop.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Watson were visiting Mrs. Watson's mother, Mrs. Eliza Seabolt, Sunday.

Mrs. Wayman Gipson visited Mrs. Denver Collins, Sunday.

Mrs. James A. Watson visited with Mrs. Sherman Glass, Sunday.

Our Sunday School, which was discontinued some time ago, will start again Easter Sunday.

Colonel Jounson, of Blackwater was visiting friends on Wallens Creek, Sunday.

Several from here attended the show at Pennington, Saturday night.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the County of Lee, March Term, 1945.

Irene Wuerdeman....Complainant
Vs. Order of Publication
Paul Wuerdeman .....Defendant

The object of the above styled suit is to obtain a divorce a mensa et thoro by the complainant, Irene Wuerdeman, from the defendant, Paul Wuerdeman, upon grounds of wilful desertion of the complainant by the defendant for a period of less than two years.

And it appearing by affidavit filed according to law that Paul Wuerdeman, the above defendant, is not a resident of this State; it is therefore ordered that the said Paul Wuerdeman do appear within ten days after due publication of this order, in the Clerk's Office of our said Circuit Court, and do what is necessary to protect his interests. It is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a newspaper published in Lee County, Virginia. It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, on or before the next succeeding rule day, and another copy hereof be mailed to the defendant at the Post Office address given in the affidavit.

CHARLES N. HAWS,
Deputy Clerk.

Robt. B. Ely, p. q.
Adv. No. 10-4t.

News From
BIG HILL

Mrs. Gertrude Carter, Mrs. Leanne Burton and Miss Alzada Tankersley were visiting Mrs. Zona Gunn and Mrs. Laura Tritt, of near Woodway, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Raye were week-end guests of his brother, Mr. Blaine Raye, and family, of Leatherwood, Ky.

Messrs. Howard Belcher and Hobart McCracken were shopping in Dryden and Pennington Gap, Monday.

Among Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ramey were: Mr. and Mrs. Everette Bong and children, Jean and Elizabeth, of St. Charles; Mrs. Laurence Hobbs and son, L. C., Jr.; Mr. Ralph Ramey, of St. Charles; Mrs. Virginia Merchant and Miss Margaret Bailey.

Mrs. Queen Burton and daughter, Rayne; Misses Frances Ramey and Selma Hobbs attended services at Valley View Church, Sunday.

People of this community are sorry to have lost their neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Oakley, who have moved back to Dry Branch.

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Mr. Cam Shuler, Mr. Boone Burton, Mr. Frank Bailey and children, J. G. and Helen Sue, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Bailey, Sunday.

Miss Kittye Cooper, who is employed at Kingsport, Tenn., was visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Belcher, Monday.

The revival at Valley View Church, which is being conducted by Rev. George Gibson, seems to be progressing nicely.

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ANOTHER EASTER DAWNS

Guest Editorial By: Rev. Perry R. Stubbs.

It is the night that ushers in the dawn. The longer and darker the night the more glorious are those first rays of light which bring courage and hope to tired but sleepless eyes.

Easter, with all its radiance, its beauty, its sweet music, its fragrant flowers, its purity and its eternal victory over death, carries us back in our thinking to that cruel and dark night which our Lord endured before He came forth in His divine glory.

As the hosannas faded from the temple and the twilight came to close that holy day, just one week before the first Eastern morn, the Master entered into the shadows that thickened and darkened into the blackest night any human ever experienced.

He journeyed on through reproach, deceit and rejection. He bore the criticism, the jeers, and the abuse of His enemies. He read the cruel and wicked intent of their hearts. He subjected Himself to their beastly plans and suffered the agony of the cross.

The cross was the most diabolical invention of a dark and bloody age. The Assyrians practiced it centuries before the beginning of our era. From there it spread to the Persians, Egyptians, Carthaginians, Greeks, and Romans. Alexander the Great borrowed it from the Phoenicians and used it upon two thousand of their citizens whom he captured in the siege and fall of Tyre. Crassus introduced it to the Romans by lining the road from Rome to Capua, a distance of one hundred and twenty-five miles, with crucified slaves. Criminals have been known to drag out more than a week of unspeakable agony on the cross, and at last die from swollen and bursted eyes, tongue and blood vessels. So the cross was the most cruel instrument of death the enemies could invent for Christ. Its shame was greater than our electric chair.

Yes, the days preceding Easter, which we call Passion Week, were dark days for our Saviour. Bright days made into the bleakest night by the cruel schemes and devices of the humanity He came to save.

But every night has its watchman and truly that was the case on this first Easter eve. Early in the morning before day began to dawn we see a procession of the faithful winding their way along the narrow streets of Jerusalem, through the gates of the city's wall to the steep ascent of Calvary, on which slopes the restful garden of the grave offered Jesus a quiet repose for tired and worn body.

As they trod their weary way the day dawned, a new day, with new and profound meaning. It was a day of revelation, a day of victory, and a day destined to revolutionize the theology and the hope of the world.

Now another Easter dawns upon a cruel and heartless world. The night has been long and dark for many a weary soul. The whole world is watching and hoping for a new day. And with the first rays of this Easter morn hope springs afresh in countless hearts. The graves will not give up the bodies of our brave boys who have made the supreme sacrifice for freedom, but the monster we call war is about to be crushed and, let us pray, ostracized forever from human society. Nevertheless, this Easter morn can be a blessed reminder to all the faithful that the Lord who came forth from the tomb robbed the grave of its victory. Eternal life for the soul was made possible.

As Mary saw Jesus through her tears, we can, if we seek Him, see the Prince of Peace, our risen Lord, through the midst of war and our tears of anguish.

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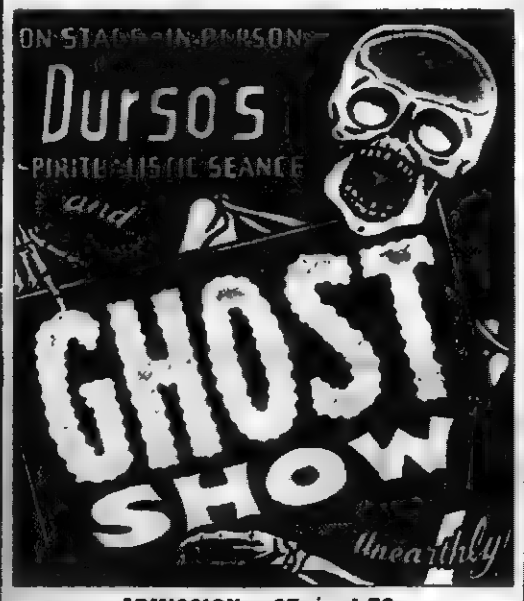

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Churches of God Convene At Big Stone Gap, Apr. 20

The Appalachia District Convention of the Churches of God will convene at Big Stone Gap on April 20-22, 1945. The following program will be observed:

Friday Evening, April 20th: Devotional at 7:00 o'clock; Scripture reading and formal opening of the convention by Rev. D. C. Boatwright; Welcome address by H. D. Morris, local pastor; Sermon—"The Importance of Spirituality", by Rev. C. H. Shaw, followed by an altar service.

Saturday, April 21st: 2:00 p. m., devotional; Sermon—"The Danger of Fault-Finding", by Rev. J. B. Holcomb; Sermon—"Power For Service", Rev. E. W. Carden, pastor, Cumberland, Ky. Business , adjournment.

Devotional at 7:00 p. m. Y. P. E. and S. S. Program. E. Ray Kirk in charge; sermon—"The Need of Youth in the Church", Rev. F. R. Harrawood, pastor, Harlan, Ky.

Sunday Morning, April 22nd: 10:00 a. m., Devotional; "How To Build An Interest in Sunday School", by Johnny McPherson; Mission Service by D. C. Boatwright, state overseer; Remarks and close of convention.

Missionary, War Prisoner to be Heard at St. Charles

Rev. Edmond Chambers, missionary to Poland and prisoner in a German camp for four years, and nine months, will speak at St. Charles Methodist Church on Saturday night, March 31, at 7:30 o'clock.

Rev. Chambers is a dynamic speaker and has an interesting story to tell. Everyone invited to hear him.

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Former Pennington Gap Man Died March 25th

Charles Chambers, retired railway employee and veteran of the Spanish-American War, died in the Veterans' Hospital at Johnson City, Tenn., Sunday, March 25. He was about 65 years of age.

Mr. Chambers was a resident of Pennington Gap several years ago, later moving to Kentucky. At the time of his death his home was at Corbin, Ky., where the body was returned for funeral and burial.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Amy Chambers; one daughter, Mrs. Ruby Smyth, of Corbin; three sons, Royce and Roy, of Garden City, Mich., and Raymond, at home; one brother, Col. J. Sherman Chambers, of Leavenworth, Kas.; three sisters, Mrs. E. F. Zion, Pennington Gap; Mrs. G. I. Rowe, Louisville, Ky.; and Mrs. W. J. Kimm, Oakdale, Wash.

First Baptist Church

Sunday, April 1: Sunday School, 9:30 a. m., Arthur T. Burchette, Supt. Easter service at 10:45 o'clock.

Sunday evening: Baptismal service, together with worship and communion.

No mid-week prayer service, due to revival at the Methodist Church.

P. R. Stubbs, Pastor.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank and express our appreciation to our many friends for the sympathy and kindness shown us in the death of our beloved mother, Mrs. Ellen Denson.
Signed: The Denson Family.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

Mrs. Ellen R. Denson

Mrs. Ellen Rosanna Denson, who resided in the Hagan community, Jonesville, Route 2, died at her home March 21, at the age of 73.

She was a member of Lamb's Chapel Baptist Church, where funeral services were conducted at 2:00 p. m., Thursday, March 22, by the Rev. S. F. Way. Burial followed in Hamilton Cemetery.

Mrs. Denson is survived by three sons, Granville and Tony Denson, of Jonesville; Daniel Denson, Rose Hill; eight daughters, Mrs. Minnie Sage, Mrs. Meda Fee, Mrs. Rose Matlock, Mrs. Flora Wilson, Mrs. Mary Speak, Mrs. Ethel Fee, all of Jonesville; Mrs. Myrtle Kirk, of Pennington Gap; and Mrs. Ada Fee, Sheridan, Ark.

William A. Thacker

William A. Thacker, of Ewing, died at his home on March 20, at the age of 72, following an illness of several months. He was a member of the Methodist church.

Funeral services were conducted March 22, at 2:00 p. m., by the Rev. M. H. Rambo, assisted by Rev. Brister. Burial took place in the Dean Cemetery at Ewing. Richmond Funeral Home in charge.

Pallbearers were A. H. Eddie, Benton Marcum, J. H. Chadwell, T. F. Whitted, Alawayne Brooks, O. H. Manning, Gene Eldridge.

Surviving is one daughter, Mrs. Biannie Deemer, Covington, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Hargraves and children, of Oak Ridge, visited last week-end with Mrs. T. H. Hargraves and Margueritte.

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Lee County Tourney Ends Saturday Night

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St. Charles boys will make the same decision in the boys' race. The winners in these respective gamed will play for the titles Saturday night, the girls teeing off at 8:00 p. m., the boys at 9:00 p. m.

Tuesday night's eliminations expelled the Thomas Walker and Pennington girls from further participation in the tournament, with the Thomas Walker and Flatwood boys going out via the elimination route.

The Jonesville girls eliminated Thomas Walker 29 to 21, Morris leading the Jonesville scoring with 15 points. Thomas topped Thomas Walker with 11.

Pennington Gap eliminated the Thomas Walker boys 29 to 15, with Williamson scoring 12 for the winners. Shackleford paced the losers with 9.

The St. Charles girls eliminated Pennington 19 to 11, with Theda Parsons, the high scoring queen of the conference, leading the victory basket parade with 12 tallies. Wooliver led the losers.

The St. Charles boys eliminated the hard-fighting Flatwood aggregation 42 to 23, with Kirk fronting the scoring with 13. Williams followed with 9, and Russell looped 12 for Flatwood.

The Keokee girls won over Dryden 32 to 24, Arnett scoring 15 for Keokee to lead the tournament high scoring bracket. Calton followed with 11. Reasor looped 19 for Dryden.

The Jonesville boys, who present a concrete defense system, defeated the Keokee boys 17 to 11, with Minor leading the basket parade for the winners with 10 points.

Tournament records again put the Keokee girls out in front with 124 points in three games. Virgie Arnett is leading the tournament with 69 points in three games. The St. Charles boys lead in the masculine division with 104 points for three games. No one is outstanding in the high scoring field in the boys' division.

Theda Parsons, of the St. Charles girls, who led the conference and the State of Virginia with 275 points, is second in the tournament with 40 for three games.

First Christian Church

Sunday, April 1: Bible School at 10:00 a. m., F. M. Smalley, Supt. Worship with communion at 10:45. Sermon subject: "The Living Christ".

This church will, under the direction of the Women's Missionary Society, observe Easter week of Prayer, with public services Friday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock March 29th, and Sunday night, April 1st, at 7:00 o'clock, and will also join in the Easter Sunrise community service at the Methodist Church Sunday morning at 6:30 o'clock, directed by the young people of the churches.

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening, April 4th at 7:00 o'clock, followed by the regular monthly meeting of the Church Board. W. B. Moore, Pastor.

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News From
MILLER'S CHAPEL

(For week of March 22)

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Bledsoe and family were visiting Mrs. Bledsoe's sister, Mrs. Andy McMillan, and mother, Mrs. Susie Edens of Rose Hill, Sunday.

Miss Arlean Parsons, of Stone Creek, spent Friday night with Misses Mary Lee and Thelma Jean Garrett.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Bledsoe had as dinner guests Sunday, Rev. Mac Butler, of Scott County, and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Bledsoe, of Stone Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Bledsoe and son, Bobby Gene, were visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bledsoe and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Napier, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Bledsoe and family were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Allen, of Long Hollow, Sunday afternoon.

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Mrs. Hyatt Quesenberry spent Sunday with her daughter Mrs. Henry Allen.

Mrs. Cylde Flannigan and little daughter spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tyde Haynes.

Miss Joyce Davis, of Sugar Run, spent the week-end with her cousin, Jean Davis.

News From
BENEDICT

Mrs. Leontine ——, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., visited relatives here last week.

Albert Smith, of Harlan, Ky., spent last week here with his sister, Mrs. Bessie Serette.

Luther Roberts made a business trip to Charlottesville last week.

Mrs. Callie Flanary, of Virginia Lee, spent Tuesday here with friends.

Mrs. Fred Laws and children visited relatives at Sneedville, Tenn. recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Arnette and daughter, Miss Inez Ewing, visited relatives and friends at Virginia Lee, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Scarborough and little daughter, of Monarch, spent last week-end visiting relatives here.

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News From
POOR VALLEY

By Carson Horton

Rev. Johnny Coffman, Edd and Jackie Etter and Carson Horton were visiting in Fleenor Town, Sunday, where Rev. Coffman is pastor. Later they had lunch at Davidson's restaurant in Jonesville.

Miss Nonie Gravette and assistant teachers were at Poor Valley Church, Sunday, March 18, for the purpose of having a mission study.

The children of Poor Valley plan to have an Easter egg hunt Easter Sunday.

Pvt. Lewis Bart Roberts, of Blackwater, Va., who has recently entered service, is now stationed at Fort Gregory, Md. His brother, Pfc. Calvin Roberts, is serving somewhere in the Pacific.

Everybody is invited to attend Poor Valley Church, Saturday night through Sunday night. It is the regular church time for the Primitive Baptist. Rev. Logan Willis will preside.

Miss Bernice Reynolds, of Oak Ridge, was visiting in Poor Valley over the week-end.

W. H. Engle and Ballard Horton went to Harlan, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lenville Dupee and family, of Tennessee, visited here over the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Creekmore and family.

NOTICE

That B. D. Ferrill, Resident Engineer, State Highway Department, for Lee County, will meet with the Lee County Board of Supervisors at their next meeting, Wednesday, April 4, 1945, at 9:00 a . m., C.W.T., to discuss the Secondary Road System.

Teste:

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News From
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A special dinner was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Gilliam, Sunday in honor of Pvt. Guy Gilliam, who is home on furlough from Scott Field, Ill. At the expiration of his furlough, Pvt. Gilliam will report to Sheppard Field, Texas.

Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Gilliam and family; Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Gilliam and family, C. S. Gilliam and children, Mrs. James Yost, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Gilliam and Miss Pearl Gilliam.

Mrs. Jake Smith and Mrs. C. A. Ledford were shopping in Harlan, Ky., Monday.

Charles Bruner has returned to Oak Ridge, Tenn.

Miss Helen Tate has been visiting relatives in Clintwood.

Mrs. Margaret Denny, of Baltimore Md., was visiting Pearl Gilliam and relatives here this week.

Misses Nanette and Elizabeth Wynn were visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kemp Wynn, this week.

D. M. Robinson is recovering from an illness of several days.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 22nd day of March, 1945.

Gladys Fitzgerald...Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
C. B. Fitzgerald.....Defendant

The object of this suit is a divorce a vinculo mantrimonii on grounds of wilful desertion. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, C. B. Fitzgerald, is non-resident of the state of Virginia, and his last known address is 1890 East Ninth Street, Cleveland, Ohio, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:

D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
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Adv. No. 12-4t.

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No matter what happens to Germany, or when, there'll be no easing up! The quickest way to end the whole nasty business is to keep going full steam ahead.

But this year, there will be only TWO War Loans—instead of three, as there were in 1944.

That means we've got to lend, in 2 chunks, as much as we lent last year in 3! It means that, in the 7th War Loan, which starts next month, each of us will have to buy a BIGGER share of *extra* War Bonds!

And right there is where the men and women on the Payroll Plan are being *extra* smart.

Right *now*—they're boosting their allotments for April, May, and June. Saving extra money so that they can buy *more* extra Bonds, and spread their buying over *more* pay checks.

When the big 7th War Loan starts, these people won't have to scrape so hard for extra cash. A good share of their extra Bonds will be already paid for—because they're putting part of the extra money aside *right now!*

That's a swell idea for *all* of us. It's better for us—better for Uncle Sam. It's the *easiest* way to fulfill our obligation to the men who fight. Let's *all* start saving *now* for the 7th War Loan!

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Social and Personal

Elizabeth Wynn, of Baltimore, Md., spent last week-end with her parents.

June Bledsoe, of L.M.U., spent last week-end with Janelle Howard.

Dinner Party

Betty Rhea Stout entertained the following friends with a dinner party Monday night: Peggy King, Tech. Sgt. R. B. Pennington, and Arthur Lane Livesay.

Dinner Party

Janelle Anne Howard entertained the following former classmates of L.M.U., with a dinner party Sunday at her home: Margaret Rasnic, June Bledsoe, Lee Davis, Joseph (Scotty) Dowling.

Don't fail to see "Since You Went Away", coming to Lee Theatre on Monday and Tuesday, April 16 - 17.

Birthdays Honored

The dining room of Cooper's Cafe on Stone Creek was the scene of a gala affair Saturday night, March 24, when a triple birthday dinner was given for E. R. Cooper, who that day became 45; Lt. James D. Haburn, 26; and a much younger gentleman, Roma Gene Kirk, son of Cpl. and Mrs. Stanley Kirk, who had attained the age of two.

Two large tables bore decorations of cut flowers, lighted tapers and huge birthday cakes, iced in white and with "greetings" in pastel colors.

Lt. Haburn, who is among the war prisoners recently liberated in the Philippines, was introduced by Charles Cole, Sr., of Harlan, Ky., and asked to make a speech. Lt. Haburn's remarks were brief but very impressive, and revealed his great thrill of being home again after his terrible experience in a war prison and in the jungles of the Philippines.

The guests attending the dinner, sponsored by special friends of the honorees, were: The honorees, Cooper, Haburn and Baby Kirk; Mrs. Irene Kirk, Mrs. Ollie Garrett, Mrs. Mabel Paluso, Mrs. Lena Massengill, Misses Claris Sprinkle, Thelma Rigsby, of Grundy, Va.; Virginia Massengill, Christian Osborne, who assisted with the serving; Staff Sgt. G. L. Martin, Pfc. Leslie Rhea, Pvt. Allen Cooper, Jr., Pfc. Baylor E. Farly, Pvt. and Mrs. Cam B. Rutherford, Messrs. Charles Bruner, Dexter Hughes, Omar Dee Warf, Charles Cole, Jr., Billy Cooper, Virgil Q. Wacks, Fred Parsons, G. C. Warner, Charles Cole, Sr., of Harlan, Ky.; Frank Ingle, Everette Cooper, Tennessee Parsons, Allen Cooper, Hobart Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Lee Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Haven Parsons, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Welch, Mrs. Gilmer Moore and son, Jimmie; Faye Parsons, Mrs. Ruth Parsons, Mrs. Innis Ray and son, Mrs. Jeff Cooper, Harlan, Ky., and Mrs. J. H. Cooper.

Music and dancing followed the dinner.

Mrs. G. I. Rowe, of Louisville, Ky., and Mr. and Mrs. Royce Chambers, of Detroit, are spending a brief visit with Mrs. E. F. Zion and family. They, with Mrs. Charlie Vanhuss and Mrs. Katherine McFarland, attended the funeral of Charles Chambers, at Corbin, Wednesday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Cox, at Lee General Hospital on March 3, a son, to whom has been given the name Donald Lee Cox, Jr.

Cpl. Cylde Myers is home with his parents, who live in the Dry Branch community, for a several days' furlough, after serving overseas three years.

Iris Cooney, of Dayton, Ohio, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hughes, and family, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Burgan and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Carson, of Kingsport, were guests of Mrs. Grace Burgan and daughters last Sunday.

Mrs. Walter J. Keel left Monday morning for Washington, D. C., to visit with her sons, Elmo, Sherman and Jack, and with her daughter, Mrs. Holly Vancy. She was accompanied by Mrs. Dewey Stallard.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Barlow spent the week-end with relatives in Amanata, W. Va.

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Mrs. Mattie Ely, who resides on Dry Branch, is slowly improving after an illness.

Mrs. O. E. Willis and little daughter, Virginia Sharon, left Friday morning to spend a few weeks' vacation in Florida. They went via Chattanooga to stop over the week-end with Rev. and Mrs. O. H. Troy, proceeding on their way to Florida Monday morning.

Mrs. Carter Howard, of Loyall, Ky., and son, Cecil, at home from the U. S. Navy, spent Sunday here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Olinger.

Mrs. Hugh W. David and little son, Johnnie, are visiting at the home of Lt. David's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. David.

Misses Nora Kinzer and Doris Ann Keel, of Jonesville, spent Friday shopping in Big Stone Gap.

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Mrs. Bill Harris and Mrs. Ernest Hoskins, of Greensboro, N. C., were visiting their sister, Mrs. V. C. Hall, last week-end.

Mrs. G. E. Harber, Mrs. T. H. Olinger, Mrs. G. W. David and Kenney David went to Loyall, Ky., last week to visit with Mrs. C. S. Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Harber have a letter from their son, S. Sgt. Ty Harber, stating that he is somewhere in Germany.

Jimmy Tom Laningham and Henderson Graham are among the young Navy recruits at home for the Easter holidays. They are both stationed at Bainbridge. Their sisters, Jane Graham and Mary Ann Laningham, are home from college.

A. J. Hall, of Maryville, Tenn., came to Pennington Sunday to visit with his daughter, Miss Mozelle Hall, nurse at Lee General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stout left Tuesday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Henry Garrett, and family, at Lake City, Tenn. They will also visit a while in Knoxville.

Mrs. Harold Kelly and little daughters, Joan, Mary Jane and Patricia, left Wednesday for an extended visit with relatives in Los Angeles, Calif., and Portland, Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Burgan have received word that their son, Pfc. Billy Burgan, has arrived safely somewhere in England.

Mrs. Helen Eldridge has received news that her son, Pfc. Milton A. Eldridge, is seriously wounded. This is the third time he has been wounded.

Mrs. D. L. Jones and Miss Myrtle Harris, of Jonesville, were among the shoppers in Bristol this week.

New Beauty Shoppe For St. Charles

Miss Geraldine Warf, of St. Charles, has just completed a course with the Tennessee Beauty School at Knoxville, Tenn., and is this week opening a beauty shoppe in St. Charles, which will be known as "Gerry's Beauty Shoppe".

Before leaving Knoxville, Miss Warf was honored with a farewell party at the Andrew Johnson Hotel, and a birthday party at the 509 Club.

Pat Carter Gives Birthday Party

Pat Carter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Carter, was honored on his nint hbirthday with a party at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McElyea, on Saturday afternoon, March 24, from 1:00 to 3:00 o'clock.

Mrs. McElyea and Gadis Sally delightfully entertained the following young guests: Suzanne David, Sally Ann Adams, Bar-Ann Shell, Shirley Doss, Jack Leinart, Ervin Carp, Pete Ferguson, Wendell Hall, Junior Jackson (col.), Sam Bradley Cecil, Patsy Doss, Florence Hall, Belva Doss, Parthena Cecil, Billy Shell, Jack Grubb, John Grubb, John Ed Rhea.

Pat received many nice birthday gifts.

W. A. Arnold was called to Tazewell, Tenn., Sunday, on account of the death of his brother, James Arnold.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Crowell and daughters, Ernestine and Mrs. Mary Isobel Duncan, motored to Greenville, S. C., Sunday to see Tech. Sgt. R. P. Crowell, who is confined to the Army hospital theer recuperating from wounds received in combat overseas. They found R. P. getting along well, they said, and seemingly on the way to recovery.

Miss Lucy Adams left Thursday morning for Oak Ridge, Tenn., where she has accepted employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Rich Myers are very happy because, their son Pfc. Clyde Myers is home after serving three years in Italy. Pfc. Myers is in the Quartermaster Corps.

The following L. M. U. Students attended the basketball tournament here Tuesday night: Leonard Lambert, Margaret Rasnic, Josephine Williams, Helen Fraisure, Arlene Isham, Culbertson and Jewel Taylor.

Eleanor Housley, of Fountain City, Tenn., is visiting friends here this week.

TOWN TALK

(Continued from page 1)

will take the apartment over the Old Dominion office where the Smalleys now live; Dr. D. E. McDaniel has bought the E. C. Hall property and will move into it soon, while Mr. and Mrs. Hall will share the home with Mrs. T. B. Quinley for the present.

Other moves are being contemplated, we have heard.

Drug Store Are So Cruel!

A colored lady came into the Lee' Drug Store and asked for some chewing gum. When told they didn't have it she said: "Humph! I thought sure you'd have some for Easter!"

A nurse at Lee General Hospital reports they have fourteen bran new babies over there at the present.

Appreciates the Home News

Mrs. Bonnie S. Ball, a former teacher in Lee County public schools, and now of Hazel, says of the P. V. N.: "I cannot refrain from expressing appreciation of a publication that keeps me in such close touch with my native county. Even though it makes me feel older than I like to admit, I am proud of my ex-pupils (in the primary grades) who are now in our country's service, such as Kenneth Hedgecoth, of St. Charles; Major Tyler Young, of Stickleyville, and others. When I tell where I am from I always emphasize 'Lee County'."

Mrs. Ball was formerly Miss Bonnie Sage, of Stickleyville.

Fisherman's Luck

The traditional "fisherman's luck" is on the level this time, for Harry Tiller and E. T. Barker, employed at Bonny Blue, really had it.

They went fishing on Norris Lake last week-end, and in addition to a large string of other fish, Tiller caught a six and a half pound smallmouth bass, and Barker caught one weighing four and a half.

Sunrise Easter Service At St. Charles Church

An Easter Sunrise Service, beginning at 6:00 a. m., will be observed at St. Charles Methodist Church on Easter morning. Everyone invited to attend.

C. R. McPherson, Pastor.

Good Friday Service At First Baptist Church

A special Good Friday service will be held at the First Baptist Church, Friday evening, March 30, at 7:30 o'clock.

As has been the custom for several years, all the churches in town will participate in this Good Friday service. Sermon will be by the pastor, Rev. P. R. Stubbs.

GROUP MEETING

The W. M. U. No. 1 Group meeting will be held at the Darby Baptist Church on Wednesday, April 4, beginning at 10:00 a. m. Dr. Hart, missionary to Chile, will be the guest speaker. Members are urged to attend.

Pennington Methodist Church

Sunday morning, April 1: Church School at 9:30, Clyde M. Kirk, Supt. Preaching at 10:45. Sermon theme: "Sewing The Living". Special music: Anthem by choir; solo by Miss Laura Jean Fugate.

Opportunity given to parents to have their babies baptized and dedicated to God.

Sunday evening: Musical program by Adult Choir at 7:30 o'clock. The public invited.

Charlie D. Mehaffey, Pastor.

Miss Irma Shufflebarger is spending this week-end with Mrs. Ollie Shufflebarger at the hotel.

From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

Bert Loses the War, Single-Handed

Bert Childer's house burned down last week, and the only good thing that came out of it was it cured him of swearing. Bert just couldn't think of words to fit the occasion, so he just gave up.

Bert admits it was his own fault. Started with a field fire which he thought he had under control, and when he turned his back a minute for a breathing spell, the fire sprang up twice as fierce. By the time the firemen arrived, there wasn't much that they could do.

From where I sit, there's a moral in Bert's experience. A lot of us feel we've got the fires of this war under control... that we can relax a little, maybe let up on buying bonds, donating blood, or fighting inflation.

Just like Bert lost his fight against the fire, we can lose this fight against our enemy if we let down now. Because war, like fire, is never over till the last spark is extinguished.

Joe Marsh

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News and Shorts

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LOUIS ARMSTRONG AND ORCHESTRA
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Thursday and Friday, April 5 - 6
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with
GENE TIERNEY — DANA ANDREWS
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Latest War News

Saturday, April 7 — DOUBLE FEATURE
PRIDE OF THE PLAINS
with
BOB LIVINGSTON — SMILEY BURNETTE
NANCY GRAY
also
GESTAPO

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are eased, sticky phlegm loosened up, irritated upper breathing passages are soothed and relieved, by rubbing Vicks VapoRub on throat, chest and back at bedtime. Blessed relief as VapoRub
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As we observe this Easter with its full significance, we extend to all our friends sincere greetings that another Easter soon to come will find the world at peace and all who are now far from home returned to our midst. Enjoy Easter services in Church, faithful unto Him who was resurrected on this day.

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Town Talk

About This, That, And The Other

Ye that have faith to look with
fearless eyes
Beyond the tragedy of a world
at strife,
And trust that out of night and
death shall rise
The dawn of an ampler life,
Rejoice, whatever anguish rend
your heart,
That God has given you for a
priceless dower
To live in these great times and
have your part
In freedom's crowning hour;
That you may tell your sons who
see the light
High in the heavens—their heritage to take—
"I saw the powers of darkness
put to flight;
I saw the morning break".

Easter Greetings

Captain Sherman F. Andis, serving with the U. S. Army in Africa, never fails us on holidays with greetings from the "Dark Continent".

The Easter greeting was both attractive and significant. In large letters was "Easter Greetings from the land beneath the Southern Cross". On a dark background, rays of light, above which white stars gleamed, was pictured descending on home and church.

As ever, we thank you, Captain.

Spring Retreats

Spring seems to be in retreat today, leaving in its stead some pinching cold and cloudy weather. But this is to be expected, for regardless of how early spring may arrive, the Easter squall must do its squalling; and just as sure as the dogwood and redbud bloom, just that sure we must have dogwood and redbud winter.

But with it all, springtime has been doing some fine "howdy-do's", to the extent that many of the elderly people declare they've "never seen anything like it" for early and beautiful spring weather.

"America is doomed, just as sure as we are here, if we can't do something to stop this liquor traffic."—Rev. Creswell in his Wednesday night's sermon.

J. V. Graham declares the most interesting feature of spring that he has seen is the new

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Jonesville District War Fund Quota Fully Met

Although last week's report of the Red Cross War Fund Drive in Lee County showed our assessed quota of $10,000 more than met, Jonesville District was not content to be in arrears with their part of the quota, even by a small margin.

At a meeting of the Jonesville Lions Club, sponsors of the drive, Tuesday evening, members rallied to the support of the District quota, and very soon swelled the $1,303 reported last week to the $1,500 allotted them.

A few other areas that had not quite met their quotas when the report was published were said to be still working and are yet to be heard from; and in all probability when final returns are made the county's quota of $10,000 will be exceeded by the largest sum of any local campaign during the war.

County Chairman C. F. Connelly again and again expresses his appreciation of the fine work done by the chairmen, workers and contributors in the county.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Weather Bureau report for weeking ending April 1, 1945, for Lee County, furnished by Cam J. Lewis, official observer:

Date	Temperature		Rainfall
26	83	46	.00
27	64	44	.68
28	76	49	.00
29	79	49	.60
30	79	51	.22
31	79	52	.00
1	65	38	.00

Prominent Local Man Died Here Saturday

A. G. Hyatt Succumbs To Asthma and Heart Attack At Hospital

A. G. Hyatt, for many years a resident of Pennington Gap, died at Lee General Hospital Saturday, March 31, at the age of 77. Death was directly attributed to an asthma and heart attack, although he had been in declining health for several months.

Mr. Hyatt was the son of the later Major J. A. G. Hyatt and Mrs. Eliza Slemp Hyatt, of Jonesville. He came to Pennington when a young man, and through the years was active in religious and civic interests of the town. He was a member of the Methodist Church.

He was cashier of the first bank to be organized in Pennington Gap under the late Captain Hurst, and later served as president and cashier for Lee Bank & Trust Company. Also for a period of a few years he owned and operated the Pennington Milling Company. When his health began failing he retired to his suburban home south of Pennington Gap, just opposite Lee General Hospital.

Funeral services for Mr. Hyatt were held from the Methodist Church Monday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, conducted by his former pastor, Rev. Clyde Watkins, assisted by the present pastor, Rev. Charlie Mehaffey, and Rev. W. B. Moore, pastor of the First Christian Church. Burial followed in Cecil Cemetery, Estes & Cecil in charge.

Active palbearers were: A. S. Pennington, R. E. Beeler, Jr., R. S. Banner, W. D. Harr, Jack D. Hyatt, Ossie Hyatt, John M. Fry, Dr. R. C. Parsons.

Mr. Hyatt is survived by his widow, Mrs. Elizabeth Orr Hyatt; two step-children, Miss Perdia Orr and R. S. Orr; one sister, Miss Cora Hyatt, Jonesville; five brothers, L. T. and F. K. Hyatt, Jonesville; H. E. Hyatt, Norton; C. C. Hyatt, Richlands, Va.; and J. W. Hyatt, Lynchburg, Va.

Jonesville High School To Present Two Recitals

The Jonesville High School will present two recitals this year in order to have a shorter and more interesting program.

The first will be the junior children from the first grade to the sixth. The senior program includes children from seventh grade through high school.

The first recital will be presented May 1st, the second on May 8th, both at 8:00 p. m. The public is invited.

The First Baptist Church of St. Charles held a baptismal service Sunday, April 1, at Puckett's Creek.

WANTS TO HEAR FROM FRIENDS

PVT. GEORGE PHILLIPS

Pvt. George Phillips, son of Mrs. Tom Phillips and the late Mr. Phillips, of Pennington Gap, entered service February 7, 1943, and is now somewhere in France with Field Artillery headquarters. Before entering service, Pvt. Phillips was engaged in defense work at Kingsport, Tenn. He asks that the boys and girls of Lee County write him, addressing him as follows:

Pvt. George Phillips, Btry. B, 601 F. A. Bn., A.P.O. 758, c-o P. M., New York, N. Y.

The mother is also asking that the boys and girls write her lonely son.

SAILS THE WILD SEAS

BILLY G. TOMLINSON

Billy G. Tomlinson, Seaman First Class, son of Mrs. Minnie D. Tomlinson, of Pennington Gap, is now serving somewhere in the Pacific area.

He has been in service since May 25, 1944, and prior to his enlistment was employed at Oak Ridge, Tenn. He attended both St. Charles High School and Pennington High School.

Most Of April Included In Seventh War Loan

The Seventh War Loan Drive is booked for May 14-June 30 but this campaign will also include most of April, it is announced by the War Finance Committee of Virginia.

The Seventh War Loan itself will not cover three months as it may seem, James S. Easley, manager, War Finance Committee of Virginia, said, but the intensive drive during April in every industrial, business and governmental operation in Virginia is to increase participation of employees in payroll savings for the purchase of War Bonds, to increase the allotments of those already on payroll savings and to increase the sales of extra bonds among employees.

Bond sales reported to the Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond between April 9 - July 7, inclusive, will be credited to Seventh War Loan quotas.

The special payroll savings emphasis during April, which is a nation-wide program, will be in lieu of the usual payroll savings drive which has been conducted in past war loans as a part of the campaign itself.

Virginia's quotas for the Seventh War Loan will be announced later, as will also the quotas for the cities and counties. However, advance notice of the national goal shows that the quotas for bonds for individuals will be the highest in war financing history. The overall national goal will be $14,000,000,000, the same as the Sixth War Loan, of which $7,000,000,000 is to come from the sales of all bonds for individuals. Of that sum, $4,000,000,000 will be sought in E Bond sales.

Virginias quotas for individuals during the Seventh War Loan is expected to be increased by an amount equal proportionately to the increases in the national quotas in these securities. The same will apply to local quotas.

Chief County Forest Warden's Report, 1944

Board of Supervisors,
Lee County, Virginia.
Gentlemen:

During the calendar year 1944, 40 fires were reported in Lee County, which burned a total of 1,486 acres and caused damage estimated at $6,122. The average area burned per fire was 37.15 acres, and the total burned represents 1.045 per cent of the 142,220 acres protected by the State.

Causes of these fires were reported as follows:

Railroads, 2 fires; campfire, 3; smokers, 17; brush burning, 6; incendiary, 4; unknown, 6; miscellaneous, 2.

Total disbursement in forest fire suppression and prevention costs for Lee County during the year amounted to $2,889.39. Of this amount, $1,851.91 was borne by the State and $1,037.48 by the county. Suppression costs collected by the Chief Forest Warden from persons responsible for fires amounted to $129.46, of which $22.88 was reimbursed to the State and $106.58 to Lee County.

It will be noted that the above disbursements include all money disbursed during the calendar year 1944. Actually a part of these county costs were incurred on fires which occurred late in the fall of 1943.

Sincerely yours,
GEORGE T. BAILEY,
Chief Forest Warden.

Baseball Exhibition At St. Charles Sunday

The St. Charles Lonesome Pine League champions of 1944, under the super-duper vision of "King Tut" Stapleton, will journey back to the playing field again to stimulate interest at St. Charles Sunday, to play an exhibition game with the former Stickleyville team, member club last year which will play under the name of Elk Knob Ramblers.

The St. Charles Lonesome Piners will play a double exhibition in a couple of weeks with the strong Lincoln Memorial University team of Harrogate, Tenn.

The Lonesome Pine League will start about April 19.

Staff Sgt. Richard Hayes is at home on furlough after completing 50 missions in the European theater. Sgt. Hayes has a son, Richard, Jr. (Dickie), whom he had never seen until his recent return.

Methodist Revival Has Good Beginning

According to previous announcement, the Rev. George J. Creswell, pastor of the Second Methodist Church of Knoxville, began a two weeks' series of evangelistic services at the Methodist Church here on Monday evening, April 2.

His first message was an able and inspiring one on the theme: "God's Search For Man and Man's Search For God". Among the many fine things Rev. Creswell said, he made the statements in his opening sermon: "Our hearts cannot find rest until we find it in God"; "There has never ben more people reaching out for God than at the present time".

The meetings are being well attended at each service, and the choir, representing singers from all the local churches, is rendering very fine music.

Jonesville Woman's Club Sponsors Clothing Drive

The Jonesville Woman's Club will sponsor the collection of serviceable used clothing for the benefit of the liberated countries of Europe and the Pacific in the United National Clothing Campaign, which will be launched from April 1st to April 30.

Type of clothing needed is good, substantial used clothing for both winter and summer wear — infants' garments, men's and boys garments, women's and girls' garments, caps and knitted headwear, bedding, shoes and usable remnant piece goods.

Although they need not be in perfect repair, they must be useful to the people who will receive them. Underclothing and all types of cotton garments should be washed before they are donated, but need not be ironed. Shoes should be tied in pairs.

This is a nation-wide campaign and deserves the support of every citizen. Bring your used clothing to contribute to this most worthy and humanitarian cause to Hella Conn's store and Jonesville High School during the second week in April.

Mrs. Ruth Wygal and Mrs. Vesta Sewell are in charge of the drive.

Important Announcement

The Evangelistic Services now in progress at the Methodist Church will be held in the First Baptist Church on Sunday evening, April 8, at 7:30 o'clock, through invitation of the pastor, Rev. P. R. Stubbs. Rev. George J. Creswell will be the speaker.

After Sunday evening the services will continue through next week at the Methodist Church.

Many Chosen For Two Pre-Induction Calls

CARPENTER - SOLDIER

PVT. JAMES HUSKEY

Pvt. James Huskey, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Huskey, of Jonesville, Route 2, is serving with the U. S. Army Infantry, Rainbow Division, somewhere in France.

He entered service September 6, 1944, and took his basic training at Camp Wheeler, Ga. Prior to his entering service he was a carpenter by trade. Pvt. Huskey has a wife and three children.

Hybrid Corn Contest Sponsored By Collier

In cooperation with the American farmer, to whom not only our own nation, but the United Nations and all liberty-loving peoples of the world are looking for food, the M. D. Collier Furniture Company of Pennington Gap, is sponsoring a Lee County Hybrid Corn Contest.

The contest is sponsored for the purpose of encouraging the farmer to utilize his land, plant recognized varieties of hybrid seed corn, and make every effort to produce more "in the name of freedom".

Look on page five for rules of the contest and prizes offered.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our many friends for their expressions of sympathy and acts of kindness in the death of our dear husband and father, Joseph T. Hounshell.

Mrs. Joseph Hounshell
and Family
O. C. Hounshell
Mrs. Mossie Lawson.

Ninety-Nine Go For Pre-induction Exams; 13 For Actual Service

Selective Service Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, Va., announces the following list of registrants who will fill the first and second pre-induction calls for April, as well as one induction call. The men in the first pre-induction and induction calls left Wednesday, April 4th. They are:

Pre-Induction Call:

Ben Julius Seymore, Pennington Gap; Cecil Johnson, St. Charles; Jack Blevins, Bonny Blue; George Raymond Parks, St. Charles; Aaron Zelious Hendricks, Route 1, Pennington Gap; Claude Thomas Pennington, R 1, Keokee; Elmer Biggs, Cleveland, Ohio; Samuel Bruce Young, Woodway; Clarence Coby Cooper, Pennigton Gap; Ambrose E. Parks, Slemp, Ky.; Harry Denton Daniels, Crawford, Tenn.; Ernest Allen, Louellen, Ky.; William Milton Oliver, Calvin; Hansford James Chester, Chevrolet, Ky.; Trumond Head, Route 1, Pennington Gap.

Carl Edward Wells, Bonny Blue; Delmas Milbern Holmes, Pound, Va.; Odson Frazier West, St. Charles; Patton Kyle Gibson, Baltimore, Md.; Curtis Lester Creech, Pennington Gap; Leclen Thomas Stepp, Dayton, Ohio; Harrison McCann, Duffield; Ben Franklin Newson, Kona, Ky.; James Bascom Ely, Woodway; Arvil Garrett, Pennington Gap; Kermit Grant Witt, Keokee; Phillip David Williams, St. Charles; Ralph David Baker, Route 1, Pennington Gap; John Bradshaw, Keokee.

Induction Call:

Bruce Sprinkle, Pennington Gap; Emory Hampton Parsons, Pennington Gap; Grant Hubert Greene, Oak Ridge, Tenn.; Samuel Stewart, Pennington Gap; Forrest Gilmer Orender, Keokee; Rudolph Herman Parsons, Pennington Gap; Joseph Carl Hatmaker, Bonny Blue; Toy Everett Vanzant, St. Charles; Johnson Sweeney, Pennington Gap; Carl Mallie Wolfe, Pennington Gap; Sam Charles Kirk, St. Charles; John Gibson, Jr., R 1, Duffield; James Isom Ely, Route 1, Pennington Gap.

Second Pre-Induction

The registrants comprising the second pre-induction call will report April 10, and are as follows:

Lee Roy Sutton, Detroit, Mich.; Hershie Tinnell, Richmond, Va.; Paul Howard Skeen, Pulaski, Va.; Randall Clifford Trent, Kingsport, Tenn; Ralph Tinton Ely, Pennington Gap; Daniel Paul Spurlock, Ypsilanti, Mich.; Charles Stanley Cross, Oak Ridge, Tenn.; Paul Erve Wyatt, Baltimore, Md.; John Wesley Baille, Baltimore, Md.; Thurman Robert Baille, Baltimore, Md.; Herman Casper Mooney, Pennington Gap; Hamp B. McConnell, Richmond, Ind.; Millard Fillmore Bruner, Bellbrook, Ohio; Harold Frank Herron, Baltimore, Md.; Howard

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COMING TO ST. CHARLES

REV. FRANK K. SMITH

Rev. Frank K. Smith, of Knoxville, Tenn., will be the evangelist to conduct a two weeks' revival at the St. Charles Methodist Church, beginning Monday night, April 9, through April 23.

Rev. Smith has had wide experience in evangelistic work and wil lconduct services twice daily: at 10:00 o'clock a. m., and 7:30 p. m. The public cordially invited.

Registrants to Fill April Calls Listed By Board 1

Two Induction, One Pre-Induction Calls Issued To Fifty Men

Selective Service Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va., lists the following registrants who have been selected to fill the one pre-induction call and two induction calls for April:

Pre-Induction Call:

John Tip Ledford, R 1, Gibson Station; Richard Lee Davis, Blackwater, Va.; William Lewis, Rose Hill; Jessee Tyler Davis, Ocoonita; Earl Leslie Thomas, R 1, Ewing; Stephen Wallace Hensley, Rose Hill; Arley Lake Pace, Rose Hill; Tilmon Ramsey Clark, R 4, Jonesville; Edgar Emory Crockett, Rose Hill; Ransom Scalf, R 1, Blackwater; William Lester Edds, Rose Hill; Arthur A. Sturgill, R 1, Blackwater; Bradley King, R 3, Jonesville; James Frank Ely, R 4, Jonesville; Estle Campbell, Rose Hill.

Roy Estle Hobbs, Rose Hill; Joseph Hubert Marcum, Ewing; Earl Eugene Kinzer, R 2, Jonesville; Hura Harrison Payne, R 1, Jonesville; Walker James Cross, Ben Hur; Clarence Henry England R 1, Ewing; James Lee Bledsoe, Blackwater; Samuel L. Pendleton, R 2, Jonesville; Charles Henry Fields, R 3, Jonesville; Clarence W. Martin, Ewing; Ermil Broten Smith, Kyles Ford, Tenn.; George Washington Daniel, Rose Hill; Ralph Jefferson Chandler, R 3, Jonesville, Henry Sewell Davis, Rose Hill; Robert B. Williams, Jonesville.

First Induction Call:

Josephus Nathaniel Gibson, Gibson Station; Tim Ely Mise, R 2, Jonesville; Earl R. Coldiron, Jonesville; Paul Roop, Jr., Jonesville; Hubert H. Brooks, R 1, Ewing; Roy Mathis Roop, R 4, Jonesville; Charlie Emery Martin, Hubbard Springs; Floyd Leonard Miner, R 2, Jonesville; Warner Warf, R 1, Gibson Station; Harvey Loop, R 1, Gibson Station; Guy Wilson Davis, R 3, Jonesville; Vance M. Yeary, Rose Hill.

Second Induction Call:

Carson V. Lawson, R 1, Fairview, Va.; John Logan Snodgrass, Jr., Rose Hill; James Tommy Bledsoe, Ewing; Walter Homer Mombree, Gibson Station; Ira Sherrill, Rose Hill; Ernest W. Henry, Ben Hur; Edward Bruce Long, Jonesville; George Newton, Rose Hill.

St. Charles Boys and Keokee Girls Win Titles

Pennington Boys, Dryden Girls Are Runners-up

The most successful and exciting basketball tournament in the history of the Lee County High School Conference is now over, but the echoes linger on—the echoes from a girls' team that has found no equal in Virginia—the Keokee girls, who well deserve the name of super-duper, and the 1944-45 title they now hold by virtue of defeating the hard-fighting Dryden girls Saturday night in the grand finals by the very close, breath-taking score of 24 to 22, the 61st consecutive victory over a three-year period.

Virgie Arnett was the basket shark of the Keokee organization, looping 95 points in the five tournament games for an average of 19 points per battle. She was second to Theda Parsons, of St. Charles, with 262 points for the 14-game conference season, Miss Parsons having shot 275 to lead the league, but was far behind Arnett in the tournament.

Keokee had strong competition in the tournament from a team which didn't figure to even get by the early stages of the eliminations—the Dryden girls. They came up from nowhere and came within three points of becoming the new champions of the Southwest in the finals. They mowed down every team they met with the exception of Keokee, and came within three points of taking the finals from them. They, too, boast a scoring star in Reasor, a gallant forward who has had a high scoring average all season, and greatly aided their cause in the tournament with 31 points in the five games to impose considerably on Arnett's honors.

In their final game, Calton led Keokee with 10 points, Arnett looped seven and Thomas seven. For Dryden, Reasor looped 12, B. Gilbert 6, and A. Gilbert 4.

The well balanced St. Charles Blue Boys are the new 1944-45 champions in the boys' division, winning a title match from "Salty" Foster's Pennington Tom Cats which came near being an upset, by a 19 to 17 score.

Foster and his Pennington boys did the surprise trick of the tournament when Foster pulled the rabbit out of the hat that almost netted his fourth place team a title, falling short by only three points in the finals. With an ungroomed team of youngsters who started the season with very little experience, Foster polished them into a winning combination who fought their way to the top, upsetting the top ranking boys in the semi-finals by a last second point, and then almost taking the big game away from the league-leading St. Charles clan, losing only by a 19 to 17 score in the final affray.

Dean led the St. Charles boys' scoring with 8 points; Williams had 4, and Grayson and Kirk 2 each. Myers led Pennington with 6; Williamson had 5, Kelly 4, and Graham 2.

The largest crowds ever to attend a tournament in Lee County were present throughout the four-day event. College coaches were present to scout outstanding talent.

News From FRIENDSHIP

(For week of March 26)

Regular church services will be be conducted here Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, following Sunday School; also Sunday evening at 8 o'clock, following B. T. U.

The Missionary Society will meet with Mrs. Walter Spangler Wednesday afternoon, April 4.

The Y.W.A. and R. A.'s will meet at the church March 31, at 1:30 p. m., and following their program will be an Easter egg hunt for everyone in the community. Please come and bring some eggs.

Jett Spangler who is employed at Maryville, Tenn., is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Spangler.

Harold Willis, of the U. S. Naval Training Station, Bainbridge, Md., spent Monday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Willis.

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE

Powell Valley National Bank

Of Jonesville, in the State of Virginia, at the close of business on March 20, 1945. Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS

Loans and discounts (including $14.01 overdrafts)	$	199,998.54
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed		871,557.81
Obligations of States and political subdivisions		20,162.50
Corporate stocks (including $1,550.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank)		1,550.00
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection		554,629.17
Bank premises owned $3,000.00		
Furniture and fixtures 1,500.00		4,500.00
Real estate owned other than bank premises		1,320.26
Total Assets	$	1,653,718.28

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	$	1,138,526.43
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		297,390.11
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)		43,468.22
Deposits of States and political subdivisions		101,739.46
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)		5,641.28
Total Deposits	$	1,586,765.50
TOTAL LIABILITIES	$	1,586,765.50

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital Stock:		
Common stock, total par $25,000.00	$	25,000.00
Surplus		25,500.00
Undivided profits		15,452.78
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred stock)		1,000.00
Total Capital Accounts	$	66,952.78
Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts	$	1,653,718.28

MEMORANDA

Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):		
(a) United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities	$	310,000.00
(e) TOTAL	$	310,000.00
Secured Liabilities:		
(a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law	$	137,537.52
(d) TOTAL	$	137,537.52

State of Virginia, County of Lee, ss:

I, D. C. McClure, president of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

D. C. McCLURE, President.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 28th day of March, 1945.

R. P. HIMES, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
W. L. DAVIDSON
J. O. WOODWARD
D. C. McCLURE
Directors.

News From EWING

(For week of March 26)

Mr. and Mrs. Ryland Grace were shopping in Middlesboro, Ky., Saturday.

Harry Rowlett, A. S., has completed his boot training at Baltimore, Md., and is spending the Easter holidays with his parents.

Mrs. Pearlie Wolfenbarger and daughter, Arelle Wolfenbarger, and Charlie Estep were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Rowlett, Wednesday.

Don H. Rowlett, S. 2-C., has returned to his base at Camp Parks, Calif., after spending a three-day leave with his parents.

Mrs. Houston Rowlett was shopping in Middlesboro, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rowland and family, of Loyall, Ky., visited Mr. and Mrs. Brooks over the week-end.

Mrs. H. R. Chadwell was in Middlesboro on business, Friday.

A large crowd attended the baptismal service at the Ewing Baptist Church Sunday night. Five were baptized.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Thomas, of Ewing, announce the marriage of their daughter, Jennie Thomas, of Baltimore, to Ferrill Holmes, of Birmingham, Ala. The wedding took place in Baltimore, where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Brooks and family, of Loyall, Ky., visited Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Brooks, Wednesday.

Mrs. Lucy Carmony is able to be out again after several weeks of illness.

Mrs. Cora Chadwell, of Caylor, is very ill at her home.

News From BURKHART'S CHAPEL

(For week of March 26)

Arnold Parsons, of the Navy, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Parsons, last week.

Cpl. Leo Madden is spending a twelve-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Madden.

Friends here regretted to see Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Ely move from this community last week.

Mrs. Bill Madden and daughter, Jimmie, and Cpl. Leo Madden were visiting in Lynch, Ky., last week.

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Clint Woodard, who is employed at Oak Ridge, Tenn., spent the week-end with home folk here.

B. H. Parsons, of Robbins Chapel, attended church services here Thursday night.

Mrs. Bessie Bailey and little daughter, of Monarch, spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Rebecca Pennington, and family.

Misses Octavia and Frances Bailey, of Blackwood, Va., were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Truman Bailey, Saturday night.

Mrs. Tina Parsons was visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Ely, of Poor Valley, last Monday.

Mrs. Marthann Capps, of Robbins Chapel, was visiting at the home of Mrs. Myrtle Robbins on Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Woodard and Mrs. Dillard Griffin, of Monarch, visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Griffin, Saturday night and Sunday.

Truman Bailey was visiting relatives in Jonesville, Saturday.

Miss Genette Wade, of Leona Mines, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Wade, over the week-end.

Tan or black shoe polish stains will usually come off upholstery if sponged lightly with a cloth dipped in carbon tetrachloride.

State No. 506

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE

Peoples Bank of Ewing

Of Ewing, in the State of Virginia, at the close of business on March 20, 1945. Made to the State Corporation Commission.

ASSETS

Loans and discounts (including $0.00 overdrafts)	$	185,447.93
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed		500,300.00
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection		475,837.84
Bank premises owned $1,800.00		
Furniture and fixtures 1,000.00		2,800.00
TOTAL ASSETS	$	1,114,385.77

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	$	806,992.66
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		93,054.28
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)		75,459.05
Deposits of States and political subdivisions		81,357.05
TOTAL DEPOSITS	$	1,056,863.04
TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated liabilities shown below)	$	1,056,863.04

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital*	$	25,000.00
Surplus		25,000.00
Undivided profits		7,522.73
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	$	57,522.73
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	$	1,114,385.77

*This bank's capital consists of:
Common stock with total par value of $25,000.00.

MEMORANDA

Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):		
(a) United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities	$	300,000.00
(e) TOTAL	$	300,000.00
Secured and preferred liabilities:		
(a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law	$	156,816.10
(e) TOTAL	$	156,816.10
(a) On date of report the required legal reserve against deposits of this bank was	$	99,172.50
(b) Assets reported above which were eligible as legal reserve amounted to		475,837.84

We, T. B. Fugate, president, and H. T. Ritchie, cashier, of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

T. B. FUGATE, President
H. T. RITCHIE, Cashier.

Correct—Attest:

H. C. T. DEAN
C. D. FUGATE
T. B. FUGATE
H. T. RITCHIE
M. H. SHIFLEY
S. A. YEARY
Directors.

State of Virginia, County of Lee, ss:

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 28th day of March, 1945, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank. J. N. PARKEY, Notary Public.
My commission expires Sept. 7, 1947.

State No. 164

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE

Lee Bank & Trust Co.

Of Pennington Gap in the State of Virginia, at the close of business on March 20, 1945. Made to the State Corporation Commission.

ASSETS

Loans and discounts (including $1.05 overdrafts)	$	191,190.17
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed		1,348,060.99
Obligations of States and political subdivisions		74,970.90
Other bonds, notes, and debentures		19,050.00
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection		756,741.30
Furniture and fixtures		2,610.00
Real estate owned other than bank premises		3,900.00
Other assets		376.00
TOTAL ASSETS	$	2,396,899.36

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	$	1,537,187.72
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		497,942.01
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)		111,925.19
Deposits of States and political subdivisions		77,427.72
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc)		9,036.62
TOTAL DEPOSITS	$	2,233,519.17
Other liabilities		695.17
TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below)	$	2,234,214.34

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital*	$	96,000.00
Surplus		25,000.00
Undivided profits		10,206.55
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred capital)		31,478.47
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	$	162,685.02
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	$	2,396,899.36

*This bank's capital consists of:
First preferred stock with total par value of $46,000, total retirable value $46,000; Common stock with total par value of $50,000.

MEMORANDA

Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):		
(a) United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities	$	383,512.71
(b) Other assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities (including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold under repurchase agreement)		28,000.00
(e) TOTAL	$	411,512.71
Secured and preferred liabilities:		
(a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law	$	177,078.90
(e) TOTAL	$	177,078.90
(a) On date of report the required legal reserve against deposits of this bank was		188,495.97
(b) Assets reported above which were eligible as legal reserve amounted to		756,741.30

We, M. E. Flanary, president, and W. D. Harr, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

M. E. FLANARY, President
W. D. HARR, Cashier

Correct—Attest:

M. D. KELLY
W. D. HARR
J. E. JESSEE
M. E. FLANARY
S. J. SHELBURNE
THOS. M. KING
Directors.

State of Virginia, County of Lee, ss:

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30th day of March, 1945, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank. FRED L. QUINLEY, Notary Public.
My commission expires January 20th, 1947.

THE OLD JUDGE SAYS...

"That's news to me, Judge. From the way some people talk you would think it was at least 50%."

"No, Clem, there's the statement right here in the paper... from authorities who have made an exhaustive study of the subject. Only about 5% of the people who drink occasionally abuse the privilege... 95% drink sensibly."

"No wonder you say it wouldn't be fair to take the privilege away from the other 95%, Judge. I agree with you."

"I can't see it any other way, Clem. No more than I could see taking automobiles away from everybody because a few drive recklessly and have accidents. Or preventing the making or sale of cake or doughnuts because some folks eat too much and get indigestion."

"In the case of spirit beverages, the answer is one of education and better control."

"As a matter of fact, the responsible members of that industry are working constantly toward that end. They don't want folks to abuse the use of their product any more than we do."

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Monday and Tuesday, April 9 - 10
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SIGNE HASSO
Also News and Shorts

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DOUBLE FEATURE
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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

America and her "Underground"

We were sitting around after chores the other night talking about the progress of the war. Chad Davis was saying how, in spite of Germany's defeat, there was still the German underground to cope with.

"I don't worry about them," says Sober Hoskins. "So long as we got our own underground in working order."

"What do you mean—our underground?" says Chad. And Sober points out to the fields. "There it is," he says, "under that soil lies the most important weapon that we've got. American crops—from American fields—strengthening our position overseas in a way no other underground can shake."

From where I sit, Chad's absolutely right. Whether it's for the glass of beer that cheers a tired soldier's spirits, or the bread that feeds our armies and our allies, every bit of grain that American farmers harvest is a part of America's great strength.

Joe Marsh

With Our Service Men

Pfc. Henry Ealy, husband of Mrs. Mary E. Ealy, Route 1, Pennington Gap, Va., serving with the 88th Division on Bataan, has been awarded the Combat Infantry Badge for his participation in the battle of Zig Zag Pass.

He now holds the Good Conduct Medal, Philippines Liberation Ribbon, and the Asiatic-Pacific Theater Ribbon with two campaign stars.

Ealy was employed at Bonny Blue Coal Co., before entering service in August, 1942. He has been overseas more than a year.

Staff Sgt. Carl R. Green, of St. Charles, has arrived at the Army Air Forces Redistribution Station No. 2, in Miami Beach, for reassignment and processing after completing a tour of duty outside the continental United States.

Staff Sgt. Green was a [illegible] sergeant during 31 months in the Asiatic-Pacific theater of operations. Son of Mrs. Ellen Green, of St. Charles, he entered the Army in April, 1941.

Pfc. Otto M. Ledford, Jonesville, a rifleman serving with the Fifth Army in Italy, recently became a member of the 339th "Polar Bear" Regiment, which helped to shatter the vitals of the vaunted Gothic Line, taking Italian peaks as high as 3,400 feet east of Highway 65 and Futa Pass. The 339th Infantry Regiment is in the "Custer" Division, part of the Fifth Army.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hays Ledford, of Jonesville.

Pfc. Edward J. Hester, of Rose Hill, is serving with the Third Infantry Division, Seventh Army, France. Recently he was awarded the Silver Star for gallantry in action while fighting with the Third Infantry Division. His mother, Mrs. Rachel Hester, resides a t Route 1, Rose Hill.

Cpl. Thomas H. Irvin, son of Mrs. Nora Irvin, Hagan, Va., is with the Fifth Army in Italy, and is a member of the 173rd Field Artillery Battalion, which recently fired its 110,000 round into German positions on the Fifth Army front in Italy. Operating twelve 155-millimeter rifles, known to the Jerries as "Whispering Death", the battalion is now blasting targets before and in the Po Valley, at ranges between five and twelve miles.

The outfit recently completed its 400th day of combat. During four of these days, the "Long Tom" operators fought as doughboys, holding a 400-yard interval between British and Moroccan troops in the vicinity of Rochetta.

Staff Sgt. Harless Hammons, of Johnson's Mill, Va., has been awarded the Bronze Star for meritorious achievement in actual combat while fighting with the Third Infantry Division in France. His father, Elijah Hammons, resides at Johnsons Mill.

Returning home on furlough from overseas service is Walter D. Montgomery, Staff Sgt., Air Force, who has served 11 months in the China-Burma-India theater of operations.

He was due to arrive on or about March 14th at a reception center, and from there be processed to his home at Rose Hill for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Montgomery.

Pvt. Stanley R. Toomery, of St. Charles, is serving with the 101st Airborne Division on the Western Front. Within two days after the 101st Airborne Division pulled into Bastogne shortly after the start of the Battle of the Bulge, it was completely sealed from outside help. When the Germans demanded surrender, acting Division Commander Brigadier General Anthony G. McAuliffe answered "Nuts!"

Luther J. Fletcher, son of Mrs. Rozella Fletcher, of Jonesville, Route 3, was recently promoted to T.-5 from the rank of private first class.

Fletcher has participated in the campaigns of Normandy and Northern France, where he has served as linesman. He is 23 years old.

Cpl. Eugene P. Humphreys, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Humphreys, of Jonesville, is company clerk of a Quartermaster unit commanded by George L. Cadwalader, of San Francisco, Calif. His company has been cited for "distinguished and outstanding performance of duty from November, 1943, to November, 1944 . . . . The never-ending attention and devotion to duty, efficiency and diligence displayed by all concerned on all occasions reflect great credit on the officers and men of the Quartermaster Company Service Group and upon the armed forces of the United States."

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of Lee County, Virginia, In Vacation, the 10th day of March, 1945.

Joe Ayers ..... Complainant

Vs. Order of Publication

Loretta Ayers .....Defendant

The object of the above styled suit is to obtain a divorce on behalf of the complainant, Joe Ayers, from the defendant, Loretta Ayers, on the grounds of adultery, which it is alleged the defendant has committed since the aforesaid marriage. And it appearing by affidavit filed according to law that Loretta Ayers, said defendant, is not a resident of this State, it is therefore ordered that the said Loretta Ayers do appear here within ten days after due publication of this order, in the Clerk's Office of our said Circuit Court, and do what is necessary to protect her interests. It is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a newspaper published in Lee County, Virginia; and it is further ordered that a copy hereof be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, on or before the next succeeding rule day, and another copy of this order be mailed to said defendant at the Post Office address given in the affidavit.

D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D. C.
Robt. B. Ely, p. q.
Adv. No. 11-4t.

"IF WE KNEW"

Not long ago in the Coffee Shop of a great hotel a waitress seemed absent-minded and a customer asked her why she did not pay more attention to her job. "I am sorry," she said, "but I lost my husband in the Pacific last week and my brother is wounded." "I am sorry," he replied, "I didn't know."

Here and there we criticize people for failure to be prompt and efficient. We do not know what lies behind the curtain. A man makes an error in the books and loses his job, when he has been up of nights with a sick wife. He may smile when his heart is heavy or frown because he has a toothache.

We need to make allowance for human stresses and weaknesses. If we knew of the trials and temptations some have, we would be more merciful when they fail or fail.

Maybe that is why Jesus said "Blessed are the merciful" and "Judge not that ye be not judged".

Not many people are, by nature, gruff or discourteous. Not many people are bad at heart. Usually there are reasons—good reasons—and while we may not ever know what these reasons are, we can make allowances.

To Whom It May Concern

By W. I. Jones

News From POOR VALLEY

(For week of March 26)

Mrs. Tom Gilbert and sons Johnny Ray and James Thomas, of Dryden, visited her father, Ballard Olinger, and family, Sunday.

Friends here have received announcement of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest White, of Deep Springs. Mrs. White was formerly Miss Gladys [illegible]. Her husband is in the Navy.

Mrs. Ida Kelly is ill at this writing. All her friends hope she will soon be well again.

Floyd Olinger and daughters, Albertine Olinger and Mrs. Nadine Ward, of Exeter, Va., were visiting his father Ballard Olinger, and family last week. Mrs. Ward's husband is stationed in England.

Sgt. Charles Giles, of Olinger, writes from France that he is getting along fine, and hopes to see everyone soon. He has been overseas 30 months, most of the time in England.

James and Ernest Olinger made a trip to Jonesville, Saturday of last week, buying their new 1945 car tags.

Misses Ethel and Clara Olinger were shopping in Appalachia last week. Saw many of their friends there. They also spent Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Skidmore, Pennington Gap.

Johnny Riddle, who works at Lynch, Ky., spent the week-end with his family here.

Pfc. Charles Riddle writes from Burma for thirty song ballads. Miss Clara Olinger and Mrs. Nadine Ward mailed them to him.

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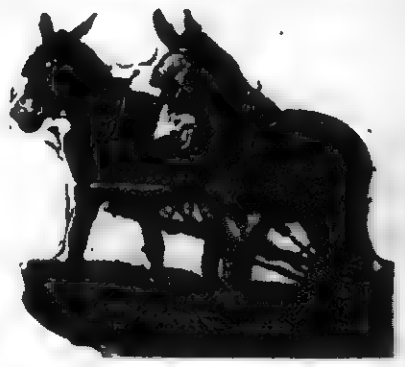

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DEATHS AND FUNERALS

Mrs. Mattie Banner

Mrs. Mattie Banner, 82, died at her home in Stickleyville on Saturday, March 24, following a long illness. Funeral services were held from the home Sunday, in charge of the Rev. W. B. Moore. Burial followed in Banner Cemetery. Pallbearers and flower bearers were close friends.

Mrs. Banner is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Mabel Parkey, Gibson Station, and Mrs. Jennie Allen, Stickleyville; three sons, R. S. Banner, Stickleyville; P. C. Banner, Meadow View, Va., and Hugh Banner, Houston, Texas. One brother, Frank Wilson, of Stickleyville, and several grandchildren and great-grandchildren also survive.

Miss Mattie Kirk

Miss Mattie Kirk was born July 29, 1911, at Jonesville, Va., and departed this life on March 19, 1945, at her home in Jonesville. She was the daughter of John and Addie Kirk. She had been an invalid since the age of 11, when she suffered an attack of infantile paralysis. She had been confined to her bed for 12 years.

Mattie was a ray of sunshine to all who knew her. She had many friends that were won by her cheerful smile, which carried her through her long illness. She was a loving sister and a great companion to her mother, who stayed by her bedside to the end.

Funeral services were held at Miller's Chapel on March 12, at 2:00 p. m., conducted by Rev. N. P. Graham, of Dryden. Burial followed in the Miller's Cemetery.

She is survived by her mother, Mrs. Addie Kirk, of Jonesville; four sisters, Mrs. Alpha Rhea, of Benedict; Mrs. Ray Hall, Jonesville; Mrs. Ida Poteet, Jonesville, and Mrs. Ross Heck, of Pennington Gap; and three brothers, Guy Kirk, Lynch, Ky.; Pvt. Carl Kirk, of the U. S. Army at Fort Knox, Ky., and Pfc. Edgar Kirk, in an Army hospital somewhere in England.

She was preceded in death by an infant brother and her father.

Mrs. Sally Chadwell

Mrs. Sally Robinson Chadwell, 68, died at her home in Ewing, Va., Saturday night, March 24. Funeral services were held at the Marble Hill Methodist Church at 10:00 o'clock Tuesday morning, March 27. Interment in Brooks Cemetery at Ewing.

Mrs. Chadwell is survived by her husband, Dow Chadwell; three sons, Morrison Chadwell, of the U. S. Army in France; Hubert Chadwell, of Ewing; and Sherman Chadwell, of Ewing; three daughters, Mrs. Hettie Marcum, of Clyde, Ohio; Mrs. Lizzie Clouse, of Ewing; and Mrs. Lucille Barnes, of Ewing; four brothers, Ben Robinson, R. L. Robinson, Jim Robinson and Tom Robinson, all of Ewing; one sister, Mrs. Allie Bailey, of Ewing; nineteen grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Sarah M. Burchette

Mrs. Sarah Munsey Burchette, 74, wife of William Mach Burchette, died at her home on Route 1, Jonesville, on Sunday, March 11, after a brief illness.

Funeral services were conducted March 13 by her pastor, Rev. C. G. McKay, assisted by Rev. E. C. Knicely. Interment in the Munsey Cemetery. She was a member of the Greenleaf Methodist Church.

Surviving are the husband, two daughters, Miss Golden K. Burchette and Mrs. James Burchette; four sons, Sgt. Mack Burchette, serving somewhere in the Pacific area; Emmett, Ellis and Otis, of Colby, Kansas; two sisters, Mrs. L. J. Hobbs and Miss Fannie Munsey, of Jonesville; three brothers, A. M. Munsey, of Tazewell, Tenn.; T. P. Munsey, Morristown, Tenn., and James Munsey, of Santa Monica, Calif.; ten grandchildren, seven great-grandchildren, a number of nieces and nephews, and a host of friends.

Mrs. Cassie Hobbs Bales

Mrs. Cassie Hobbs Bales died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. B. Fee, at Rose Hill, on Saturday evening, March 24. She was 89 years of age.

Mrs. Bales was the widow of the late Harve Bales, of Rose Hill, and for 55 years had been a member of the Silver Leaf Baptist Church. Funeral services were held at Speaks Chapel Church Tuesday morning, March 27, at 10:00 o'clock, with the Rev. Tip Parkey officiating.

Mrs. Bales is survived by three daughters, Mrs. C. B. Fee, Rose Hill; Mrs. Jennie Bales Fulker, Rose Hill; and Mrs. Lizzie Ramsey, Speedville, Tenn.; four sons, Henry Hobbs and Lawrence Bales, Rose Hill; Will W. Hobbs, Tipton, Ind.; and Ernest A. Bales, Lawrence, Kansas. Thirty-four grandchildren, twenty-five great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren survive.

Roy E. Parsons

Roy E. Parsons, a farmer residing on Route 2, Pennington Gap, died at his home Sunday, April 1. Although he had been in ill health for some time, his death was very unexpected. He was about 56 years of age.

Funeral services were conducted from the home Tuesday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, and burial followed in the Smith Cemetery near the home.

Mr. Parsons is survived by his widow, Mrs. Cora Allen Parsons; one daughter, Mrs. Ruby Peters, of Bonny Blue; two sons, Martin Parsons and John Allen Parsons, of Pennington, Route 2; four grandchildren; five sisters, Mrs. Callie Smith, Appalachia; Mrs. Rena Everidge and Mrs. Dora Oakley, of Pennington, Route 2; Mrs. Rosa McConnell and Mrs. Minerva Reece, Kingsport; and one brother, William Parsons, of Harlan, Ky.

Joseph T. Hounshell

Joseph T. Hounshell, 65, died at his home in Jonesville, March 24. Funeral services were conducted at the Jonesville Baptist Church by Revs. Moore and Jackson. Hymns weer sung by the Waddell quartette, and active pallbearers were: Guy Walton, C. C. Williams, Kyle Edwards, G. C. Warner, Frank Ingle, and Ora Edwards.

Mr. Hounshell is survived by his wife, Mrs. Rebecca Hounshell; six daughters, Mrs. Moesie Lawson, Converse, S. C.; Orlie C. Hounshell, Rochester, Ind; Mrs. Josie McConnell, Osa Covey, and Ada Hounshell, Jonesville; and Mrs. Ruth Noe, Kingsport, Tenn.; two sons, O. D. Hounshell, C.B.M., and G. B. Hounshell, of the U. S. Navy.

Pennington Methodist Church

Sunday morning, April 9th: Church School at 9:30 a. m., Clyde M. Kirk, Supt. Preaching service will begin at 10:30 instead of 10:45, as heretofore. Sermon by the evangelist, Rev. George. J. Creswell. Theme: "Saving the Saved".

Groups will meet at 6:30. There will be no preaching services in our church, as we will accept the invitation of Rev. Stubbs to worship with them at the First Baptist Church. Rev. Creswell will bring the message on the theme of "A Great Recovery".

Charlie D. Mehaffey, Pastor.

FOR SALE—100 2-year-old and 80 yearling Hereford steers. Will sell any number. E. M. RUGGLES, Mt. Zion, Iowa.
Adv. No. 14-2t pd.

Misses Edna Ruth and Mary Bailey, of Oak Ridge, spent last week-end with their mother, Mrs. E. L. Bailey.

TOWN TALK

(Continued from page 1)

styles of women's hats.

The Coming and Going

The other day an elderly and very kind looking gentleman came into the drug store and seated himself at a table. His whole attention seemed centered for awhile on a baby, apparently around a year old, laughing and wriggling about in it's mother's

Finaly the gentleman arose, walked over to the baby, and slipped a piece of money into its's hands. "Honey," he said, "you're just beginning life—I'll soon be going out; take this souvenir from me."

The Triplets

Just happened to call at the Kirk home a few days ago and learned that last Thursday, March 28, was the triplets' second birthday. They're very fine babies — or rather more like "children" now, for they're hale, husky and large for their age. All three are identically alike, except that the boys, Ciel and Clark, wear their hair short while Gail wears her's falling about her shoulders.

The mother says they have good times playing together, but sometimes fall out and fight "like cats and dogs".

Soldiers Remember

One of the many fine things about our soldier boys is the fact that they remember folks back home, even though they themselves may be in the fox holes or on the firing lines.

Mrs. E. R. Gilbert, of Dryden, received a lovely bunch of carnations from her son, Pfc. Harold Gale Gilbert, now somewhere in Germany. Many girls and women wore Easter corsages wired by their soldier sweetheart, husband or son overseas. One girl received her Easter flowers from a florist in Harlan, although her lover had been killed after he placed the order.

Song in the Dark

Harold Burgan, the ten-year-old son of Mrs. Ruby Doss, has been a cripple since birth, and walks only with the aid of crutches. He has quit trying to go to school, as he finds it difficult to get about like the other children.

Unhappy? — not a bit of it. Harold finds plenty of interests in life. He is taking music lessons, and doing a fine job of it, his sister says. As a hobby he does lovely crochet work and sells some of it to help earn his spending money. Harold attended every service during the recent revival at the First Baptist Church, and says he's planning to attend the one now in progress at the Methodist Church.

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TAXES. . .
WHO PAYS YOUR TAXES?

Mr. Property Owner and Mr. Taxpayer of Lee County: You will, of course, say you do —but you have help that you probably never thought of. The Virginia A B C Board pays into the Treasury of Lee County close to $100,000 annually. That's a lot of money and a mighty big help to the taxpayers of Lee County.

The Eastern part of Virginia, where the population is greatest, is where a big part of this money comes from. Hence, our Eastern Virginia neighbors help pay a lot of our taxes.

There has been some movement in our State Legislature to allocate these funds only to the counties from which this source of tax revenue is derived. Do the seven or eight thousand taxpayers in Lee County wish to shoulder this extra burden if the present system of allocation should be discontinued?

My taxes here in Lee County last year (1944) on my store and personal property were less than $40.00. In Oklahoma, where the county had no other source of income other than local taxes, I paid over $320.00 taxes on similar business and property. That's a big difference!

FOLKS — LET'S SEE THAT THERE IS NOTHING DONE THAT WILL KILL THE GOOSE THAT LAYS THE GOLDEN EGG!

G. B. Shoun
St. Charles, Virginia.

DO'N'T FOREST RANGERS EVER SMOKE?

SURE they do, but they know when, and where, and how to smoke.

Just because they keep telling us "PUT OUT THAT CIGARETTE" doesn't mean they aren't human. They enjoy one, just as millions of others do.

Nobody needs to be warned not to light up in a powder factory. But a lot of people don't know that a dry forest is only a mite less explosive, and that a single spark can blow up thousands of forested acres faster and more thoroughly than a thousand-bomber raid.

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First Christian Church

Sunday, April 8: Bible School at 10:00 a. m., F. M. Smalley, Supt. Worship with communion at 10:45 a. m. Serman subject: "The Church and the World".

Christian Endeavor Societies meet at 6:15 p. m. Sunday night and mid-week services will not be held at this church during the revival meeting now being conducted at the Methodist Church. It is the wish of the pastor that members of this church will attend the revival.

W. B. Moore, Minister.

George Reep, employed at Oak Ridge, Tenn., has been very ill at his home here for about two weeks. He is reported improved but still not able to return to his work.

Mrs. Mary Adams Tueting left today for Cincinnati, Ohio, to attend the funeral of her husband's grandfather.

ST. CHARLES PERSONALS

Hazel Creekmore has recently returned from Cincinnati, where she has been visiting relatives.

Harold Collier, of the U. S. Navy, is at home on furlough after spending the past 28 months in the Pacific area.

Ezra Gilliam was in Appalachia on business Thursday.

First Baptist Church

Sunday morning, April 8: Sunday School at 9:30, A. T. Burchette, Supt. Preaching at 10:45. Sermon Theme: "A Seven-Story Building".

Sunday evening: Training Unions will meet at 6:30. Preaching at 7:30 by the Rev. George J. Creswell, guest evangelist, who is holding a revival at the Methodist Church.

No mid-week prayer services, due to the revival.

P. R. Stubbs, Pastor.

NOTICE

OF SPECIAL ELECTION

TO THE VOTERS OF LEE COUNTY, VIRGINIA:

Take notice that, pursuant to an order of the Circuit Court of Lee County rendered and entered on the 20th day of March, 1945, the regular election officials of Lee County will, on the 29th day of May, 1945, open the polls at the various voting places in said county and take the sense of the qualified voters of the said county on the questions:

(First) Shall the sale of beer and wine be permitted in Lee County; and,

(Second) Shall the sale of alcoholic beverages, other than beer and wine, be permitted in Lee County.

Given under my hand this the 3rd day of April, 1945.

CHARLES N. HAWS,
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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 3rd day of April, 1945.

Leonard Sexton .....Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Emma Sexton ..... Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce A Vinculo Matrimonii on grounds of wilful desertion. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Emma Sexton, is nonresident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address is Kingsport, Tenn., it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:

D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p. q. W. L. Davidson.

Adv. No. 14-4t

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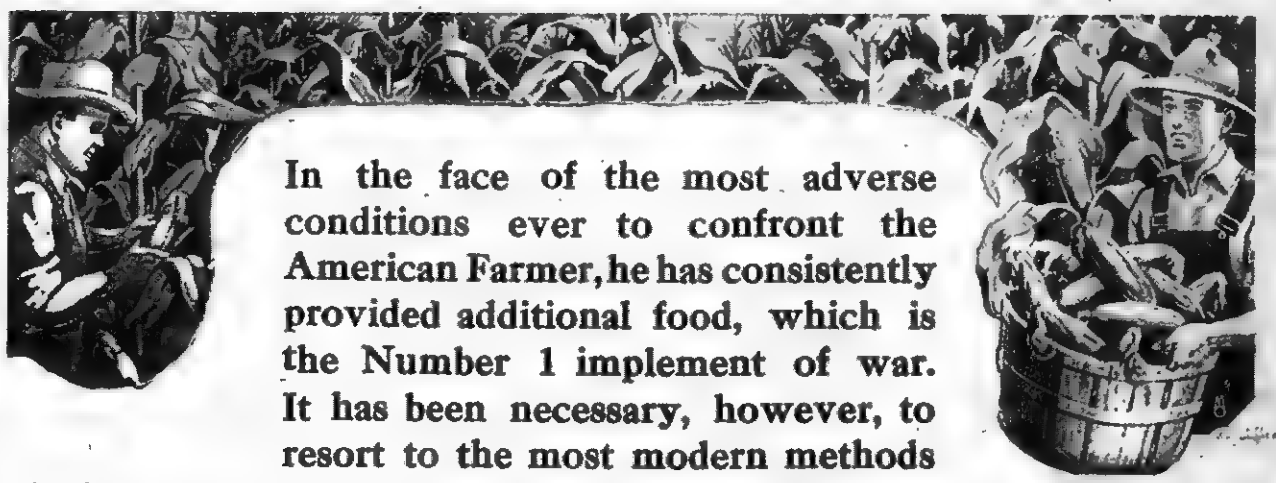

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Rules of the contest:

1. **Any farmer in Lee County is eligible to participate**
2. **Contestants should plant recognized varieties of Hybrid seed corn**
3. **Prizes will be given on basis of highest yield per acre**
4. **Any individual farmer is limited to one entry**
5. **Winners will be determined by a committee appointed by the County Agent**
6. **All contestants must notify the committee [to be announced later] or the Collier Furniture Company, Pennington Gap, Va., of their intention to compete by September 1, 1945**

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News From BLACKWATER

(For week of March 26)

Tech. 5 Homer L. Creech, of the U. S. Army, stationed at Camp Walters, Texas, spent a ten-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Creech.

Mr. and Mrs. Simpson Baker and daughter were dinner guests of Mrs. John Russell and children, Sunday.

Miss Mildred Osborne, of Dayton, Ohio, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Osborne, recently.

Sgt. Harold Satterfield, of the U. S. Army, stationed at Fort Ord, Calif., is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Satterfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Richardson went to Kentucky Sunday to see her brother, who was injured in mine accident.

Sgt. Loren L. Flahary, of the U. S. Army, spent last week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William (Doc) Flanary.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Perry have moved into their new home at Ben Hur.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Johnson and children, of Oak Ridge, are here for a visit with her father, Bradley Walton.

Sgt. Carter Eldridge, of the U. S. Army, who has been overseas for several years, is at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Eldridge.

Clyde Joyner, of the U. S. Navy, is spending a few days here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Zack Joyner.

Mr. and Mrs. Echol Satterfield, of Great Falls, S. C., spent a few days here with relatives.

Paul Willis, formerly of this place, but now of Kingsport, has enlisted in the U. S. Navy and is stationed at Bainbridge, Md. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Willis.

Sgt. Lee Bledsoe, serving with the U. S. Army in Italy, is at home for a furlough visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bledsoe.

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News From DRY BRANCH

(For week of March 26)

Mrs. Myrtle Stidham was visiting her daughter, Mrs. Wiley Frank, at Imboden, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Corbitt Astrop were visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Earley in Poor Valley last week.

Rev. Gibson, of Rock Lick, is conducting a revival at Valley View Church. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Clyde Myers, who has been in service for the three years and has been overseas, is spending his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rich Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. Chilton Edens were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Otis Ely, Sunday.

Rev. Ray Davis is assisting Rev. Gibson in conducting a revival at Valley View Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Edens and children, Jack and Myra, attended church services Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Holley Astrop and family, Mr. Blaine Bailey and sons, Everett and Tommy, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jones, of Rock Lick, Sunday.

Pvt. George Parsons is now in a hospital in England after recently being in combat duty.

Mr. Marion Kelly, of Pennington, made a business trip to Dry Branch last Thursday.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 22nd day of March, 1945.

Gladys Fitzgerald....Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
C. B. Fitzgerald ...... Defendant

The object of this suit is a divorce a vinculo mantrimonii on grounds of wilful desertion. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, C. B. Fitzgerald, is non-resident of the state of Virginia, and his last known address is 1890 East Ninth Street, Cleveland, Ohio, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: LOUISE PARKEY, D. C.
p. q., W. L. Davidson.
Adv. No. 12-4t.

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At a dinner meeting held on Saturday evening, March 17, the Planning Committee of the Lonesome Pine Council formally presented its Five Year Expansion Plan before approximately 100 Scouters and representatives of the Frank Phillips Foundation.

Mr. H. E. Greer, president of the Lonesome Pine Council, presided during the meeting. Mr. Greer stated that the purpose of the meeting was to present the plan formulated by the Lonesome Pine Council's Planning Committee, headed by Dr. A. B. Morgan, or Hazard, Ky. President Greer paid high tribute to the splendid work of the Committee and further expressed the opinion that this area will go forward in Scouting as never before as a result of long term planning.

Mr. Greer introduced Mr. Clarence E. Shriner, Regional Scout Executive of Region Four, who outlined the procedure generally followed by local Councils, giving a brief history of the Phillipe Plan and its entrance into Region Four. Mr. Shriner commended the work of Mr. Greer and the spirit being shown by all people in this area. He further stated that the regional office was highly pleased by the progress being made by this Council, and praised very highly the work of Harold G. Hayes, Scout Executive, and predicted that the Lonesome Pine Council would eventually rank with the top Councils of Region Four.

Mr. Shriner, in turn, presented Mr. Charles N. Miller, Assistant Director of Operations, who spoke of his association with Mr. Frank Phillips and of his sincere interest in boyhood and American life. Mr. Miller spoke at length concerning the history of Mr. Phillips' activities in making available grants to various areas throughout the United States, beginning in Oklahoma and gradually branching out to other areas.

President Greer presented Dr. A. B. Morgan, Chairman of the Council's Planning Committee, who gave a brief outline of the activities of the Committee, and stated that all members had done a very fine job.

Dr. Morgan presented Mr. J. B. DuPuy, of Pikeville, who gave a history of the Lonesome Pine Council, stating that from a very meager beginning in 1934 the Council has grown tremendously. Mr. DuPuy stated that the budget increase over the years is an indication of increased volunteer participation and support. From 1934 to 1945, the Council budget has increased five times, and membership has grown steadily, with the exception of a slight decline in 1842 due to personnel changes and shortage of manpower. One fine feature noted throughout the presentation by Mr. DuPuy, was that there has been an abundance of Scouting activity of a high quality.

Following Mr. DuPuy's presentation, Dr. Morgan presented Mr. H. H. Hendry, of Jenkins, Ky., who outlined the growth objectives for the next five years. Mr. Hendry pointed out that any Council that reaches as many boys as this are boys who annually reach the age of 12; that the Council is doing a fine job. Mr. Hendry stated that the Lonesome Pine Council has an annual 12-year-old crop of 6,000 boys; therefore, to attain a satisfactory number of boys, our membership must be at least 6,000. However, Mr. Hendry was able to show that in five years this Council will do even better, with an anticipated membership of 7,000 boys.

Finally, Mr. R. L. Gordon, of Hazard, Ky., in a very interesting manner, sprinkled his presentation with bits of humor, was able to show that our area will be able to increase its budget in five years to $32,000 annually, which would lower the cost per boy from $8.00 to $5.00, which in consideration of a national average of $7.00 annual expenditure per boy, this Council would be doing an outstanding job. Mr. Gordon ended his remarks with an emphatic statement that this area could and would secure the needed money.

At the conclusion of Mr. Gordon's statement, both Mr. Shriner and Mr. Miller stated that the Lonesome Pine Council's plans were outstanding, even exceeding the expectations of both the regional and national office. Mr. Miller stated that with our great possibilities and strong volunteer interest, that Mr. Frank Phillips would contribute $2,500 to aid in financing one other Field Scout Executive in order that Scouting can be given to more boys.

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Social and Personal

Family Reunion

For the first time in three years, the family, including the parents, eight children and 24 grandchildren, of Mr. and Mrs. Moran Mosley assembled together last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Keel, of Jonesville, Route 2.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Moran Mosley, Ray V. Mosley, Henry Mosley, Mr. and Mrs. Roy C. Mosley and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde A. Mosley and family, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Ely and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Keel and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Parsons and family, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mosley and family.

Don't fail to see "Since You Went Away", coming to Lee Theatre on Monday and Tuesday, April 16 - 17.

Birthday Dinner

Miss Jean Rhea, who says she only has a birthday anniversary once a year, honored her last one last Saturday with a dinner for some of her friends. Those enjoying the affair were: Mrs. Letcher Baker, Mrs. L. V. Minor, and little son, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Tueting, Misses Edith Quinley and Helen Rogers.

Newlyweds Visit At Duffield

Seaman E. J. Hughes, of the U. S. Navy, and his bride, the former Miss Nola Wilder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Wilder, Ellicott City, Md., are visiting his mother, Mrs. Hazel Hughes, of Duffield. The couple were married March 26.

Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Slemp, of Dryden, Va., announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Doris Slemp, to Mr. Dean Inabnett, both of Norwood, Ohio.

Misses June, Doris and Mildred Slemp, of Norwod, Ohio, were visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Slemp, of Dryden, recently.

Birthday Luncheon

Mrs. Ressie White enjoyed her birthday Sunday by serving a luncheon to the members of her family and a few specially invited guests, numbering about 32 in all.

The house was beautifully decorated for the occasion with early spring flowers and potted plants. The table was overlaid with cream lace spread, over pink, and the decorations were pink and white flowers and candles. The centerpiece was a feature of the resurrection, which she herself designed from white paraffine. This artistic novelty depicted in miniature the tomb of Christ, the stone which had been rolled away, the Angel who made the announcement that "He is risen", and even the napkin which had wrapped the body.

Easter Party

Randolph Kesner entertained the Intermediate Sunday School Class of boys and girls at his home last Thursday evening. They enjoyed decorating Easter eggs, an egg rolling contest, and other games.

Rev. and Mrs. P. R. Stubbs are fortunate enough to have both their mothers visiting with them. Rev. Stubbs' mother has been here for some little time, and Mrs. Stubbs' mother, Mrs. J. R. Coleman, arrived this week from Charlottesville, Va.

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Misses Ritchie Lee Fugate and Mildred Patterson, laboratory technicians at Redford, spent the week-end here with Ritchie Lee's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Fugate. Laura Jean Fugate, employed at Oak Ridge, Tenn., joined them. Miss Patterson lived here a few years ago.

C. C. Fugate is on a two-weeks' business trip at Lexington, Ky.

Little Shirley Arbough, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., spent last week here with Mrs. Ross Heck.

Misses Edna Ruth Russell and Jessie Lee Hobbs spent the past week-end at Cumberland Gap, Tenn.

Mrs. John Kirk and Mrs. Carl Kirk were visiting Mrs. Ross Heck last week.

Miss Mattie Hughes, who has been employed at the shipyards in Baltimore, Md., for more than a year, spent her vacation recently with her mother, Mrs. Hazel Hughes, of Stickleyville.

Mrs. Richard Yates Rowe, Jr., and little daughter, Janet Laningham Rowe, of Nashville, are here with Mrs. Rowe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl C. Laningham.

Mrs. R. B. Brown, of Detroit, Mich., is visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Ely, of Dryden. Rev. Ely has been ill for some time, but is slowly improving.

Mr. Galloway Continues Ill

A. J. Galloway, of Pennington Gap, Route 2, continues ill at his home, and still unable to walk from a broken hip suffered in a fall December 19, 1944.

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Mrs. Bill Chatman returned last week from a visit with her brother, Tech. Sgt. Violes Flanary, and Mrs. Flanary, at Smyrna Tenn.

Tech. Sgt. R. B. Pennington left Friday for San Antonio, Texas. Sgt. Pennington has been stationed at Chanute Field, Ill., since his return to America from England in December of last year. He spent several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pennington, of Woodway.

Mr. and Mrs. Commodore West of Knoxville, Tenn., spent the Easter holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Butler West, and Mr. and Mrs. John M. Head.

Hal Worth, of L.M.U., attended the finals in the basketball tournament Saturday night.

Mrs. McCullough and son, Pvt. Bob McCullough; Frank Yeary, and Jenelle Anne Howard were in Appalachia last Friday.

Mrs. Grace Burgan and Mrs. Jake Howard attended the Victory Club meeting at Bonny Blue last Saturday night.

S. 1-C. Norman Campbell, of St. Charles, returned to duty last Friday, after spending several days with his parents and friends.

Jenelle Anne Howard spent last week-end with friends at L. M. U.

Carnell Livingston, a student of L. M. U., spent the week-end with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sproles and daughters, Evelyn, Jackie and Peggy, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., visited relatives here last week-end.

Pvt. Bob McCullough was a dinner guest of Jenelle Howard last Friday.

Mayflower Victory Club Meets

Mrs. Boyd Bailey was hostess to the Mayflower Victory Club Saturday night, assisted by Mrs. John Hawkins. The following members were present: Mesdames Oscar Burden, Bill Casteel, Howard Elliott, Lee Francis, Garland Casteel, King Kelly, Harrold Rogers, Cecil Broyles, Marcus McKinney, Dora Quinley Grace Burgan and Jake Howard.

After the business was disposed of, a social hour and delicious refreshments were enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Bryant, of Norton were here Tuesday night.

Mrs. Dora Quinley, of Wallens Creek, Ky., visited Mrs. Bill Casteel over the week-end.

A. J. Ely, Qm. 2-C., son of Andrew J. Ely, of Dryden, left last week to report for duty at Norfolk, Va.

Miss Rebecca Fry, employed at Washington, D. C., is at home awhile, and assisting her father in the office work for the J. M. Fry Lumber Co., at St. Charles.

Lee Constituent Ill

T. B. Fugate, farmer and banker of Ewing, and D. C. Sewell, Jr., Clerk of the County Court at Jonesville, are seriously ill from heart attacks suffered a few days ago.

Mr. Fugate is at his home in Ewing, and late yesterday evening his condition was reported "fair". From a Norton hospital the report come early this morning that Mr. Sewell has shown some improvement, although yesterday he was reported gravely ill.

Many Chosen For Two Pre-Induction Calls

(Continued from page one)

Hollis Ingle, Birmingham, Ala.

John Riley Gibson, Pennington Gap; Howard Curtis Marcum, Ellis Willard Ferguson, Ecorse Park, Mich.; Bascom Slemp Gilliam, Knoxville, Tenn.; Rufus Lee Salley, Wayne, Mich.; Roy Lee Barker, Oak Ridge, Tenn.; John Bobroaky, Baltimore, Md.; Bill Tom Hatfield, Clesplint, Ky.; David Garland Doyle, Cosaddale, Ohio; Lee Roy Martin, Oak Ridge, Tenn; Bradley Paul Barker, St. Charles; Edgar Morris, Dunbar; Earl Freeman Smith, River Rouge, Mich.; Starling Robert Estep, Calvin; Charles EdwardEase, Pennington Gap.

Luther Dallas Parks, Detroit, Mich.; Owen Clarence Collins, Newport News, Va.; Coy Reasor, Newport News, Va.; Stallard Henley McNutt, Jonesboro, Ind.; James Eli Finch, West Middleton, Ohio; Edwin Baylor King, Kingston, Tenn.; Roy Elgin Barnes, Knoxville, Tenn.; Claude Clayton Legg, Baltimore, Md.; Delmas Lynn Bailey, Baltimore, Md.; Joseph Denver Palmer, Appalachia; Oscar Perle McConnell, Cincinnati, Ohio; Carl Bailey Earley, Route 1, Dryden; Marison Wheeler Hall, Knoxville, Tenn.; Fred Arnold Powell, Detroit, Mich.; Marshall Ellison, Monroe, Mich.

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Town Talk

About This, That, And The Other

"Life is my college; may I graduate well, and earn some honors."

Wise Or Otherwise?

The traditional "wise old owl", when it comes to a show-down, isn't so wise after all, according to Rev. Robert H. Wheeler, who lives on Stone Creek. At least, Rev. Wheeler says, the old bird got himself into an awful "stew", and it happened this way:

Rev. Wheeler's neighbor, Earl D. Miller, awoke one morning to find one of his fine "Dommer" hens lying dead and partly eaten in the chicken lot. Naturally he at once suspected a mountain beast or bird, so he let the carcass alone and that night set a steel trap near it. Next morning a huge owl, measuring 54 inches from tip to tip of wings, and apparently weighing more than the hen, was flopping and fluttering and trying in vain to release himself from the trap. Rev. Wheeler said Mr. Miller killed the owl and cooked it, finding the meat to be white, tender and delicious.

From Out of the Past

Through the courtesy of C. C. Bales, we had the pleasure today of reading "The Lee County Sentinel", published at Jonesville, Va., June 1, 1877. The paper was naturally yellowed with age, but still in good condition. It bore the name of Charles Willoughby as editor and proprietor. There were many interesting features of the paper related to persons now numbered with the elder generation, or those who have passed on to the other life.

The personal column announced

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Down on the Farm

By: R. C. CARTER, County Agent

Raise More Chickens For Meat

I suppose no one needs to be told that we are facing a serious shortage of both red and white meats through the remainder of 1945, or at least until the cattle run starts this fall. Supplies of hogs and fed cattle will be considerably under 1944. Many of us in the livestock business foresaw the situation a year ago when shortsighted policies in the OPA and WFA practically drove the hog man out of production and greatly reduced the number of feeder cattle placed in corn belt feedlots last fall. It will do little good now to say "I told you so", however.

One thing farmers and rural families can do to remedy the situation is to raise more chickens for meat. This is the quickest way to add to the meat supply. It is practical to raise extra broods of chicks this spring and have them on the market before the heavy fall runs of cattle and hogs. The ceiling price on broilers, fryers and roasters will be increased on July 1. The hatcheries have been asked to provide extra chicks during the late spring and early summer.

Farmers who have a brood of early chicks in their brooder houses now should transfer them to range houses or clean ground at about ten weeks of age and may then use their brooder facilities to raise a later group. The cockerels should be fed to a heavier weight this year than usual to add to the total supply of meat. There is a good demand for young roosters weighing 7—8 pounds for heavy roasters.

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WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Weather Bureau report for the week ending April 8, 1945, for Lee County, furnished by Cam J. Lewis, official observer:

Date	Temperature			Rainfall
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
2	67	35	[illegible]	.30
3	70	36	[illegible]	.07
4	81	53	[illegible]	.00
5	70	35	[illegible]	.62
6	50	24	[illegible]	t.r.
7	56	[illegible]	[illegible]	t.r.
8	66	29	[illegible]	.50

Lee Servicemen Win Decorations Overseas

Gallantry and Devotion To Duty Rewarded By Presentation of Medals

A great many of our Lee County servicemen have won various awards for distinguished service in the armed forces in the various theaters of war throughout the world. Lack of space prevents printing a complete list of men who have merited these awards, but following is a list of the most recent winners of the various awards and promotions:

The promotion of Arnold P. Payne, of Pennington Gap, to the rank of first lieutenant has been announced at the San Antonio, Texas, Aviation Cadet Center.

Cpl. Glen V. Spangler, Hubbard Springs, has been awarded a second Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star.

Lt. Earl C. Johnston, 23-year-old co-pilot of an Eighth Air Force B-17 Flying Fortress, has been awarded the Air Medal.

Staff Sgt. Richard H. Hayes, of Leona Mines, has been awarded the Air Medal with five Oak Leaf Clusters, in lieu of other medals.

Lt Carl K. Gibson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Matt Gibson, of Gibson Station, recently was awarded the Silver Star.

Major Harold C. Neff, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Neff, Rose Hill, is the holder of the Distinguished Flying Cross and the Air Medal with two Oak Leaf Clusters.

Pfc. Henry Ealy, of Route 1, Pennington Gap, has been awarded the Purple Heart for wounds received in battle on Luzon Island.

Cpl. Jack A. Collier, aerial radio operator, of Pennington Gap, Route 3, has been awarded a second Oak Leaf Cluster to his Air Medal.

Staff Sgt. George E. Elkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Elkins, of Jonesville, Route 3, has recently be promoted to his present rank with a veteran troop carrier group of the 12th Air Force.

Pvt. John M. Unthank, Jr., was recently promoted to the rank of private first class.

Cpl. Vivian P. Stemp, awarded the Purple Heart for wounds received in the invasion of France, was seriously wounded in action in Germany, March 1.

Lt. Warren Evans, formerly of St. Charles, was recently pictured in the Stars and Stripes receiving the Air Medal (Oak Leaf Cluster) as an individual, and the Unit Badge which was ordered by the President for the entire group.

Pfc. James H. Tonker, son of Mrs. Mary J. Tonker, of Jonesville, now is entitled to wear the Distinguished Unit Badge, the Good Conduct Medal and Expert Infantryman Badge.

IN HOSPITAL SERVICE

PFC. ORVILLE P. KELLY

Pfc. Orville P. Kelly, one of our local boys, is serving somewhere in France with the 23rd General Hospital Corps. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Kelly, of Pennington Gap, and his father is L. & N. agent here.

Pfc. Kelly married the former Miss Tommie Price, of Decatur, Ala. She is now teaching English and Home Economics in Decatur High School.

Prior to his entering service, Pfc. Kelly was employed by the Benedict Coal Corporation. He writes his parents here that he was delighted to get his first copy of The Powell Valley News, dated February 1st.

SAILING THE ATLANTIC

S. 1-C. WM. L. KING

Seaman 1-C. Wm. L. (Billy) King, son of Mrs. F. M. Smalley, of Pennington Gap, entered naval service in May, 1944, and took his boot training at Camp Peary, Va. He is now aboard the U.S.S. "Frost", (D.E.) somewhere in the Atlantic. Billy is a former student of Pennington High School.

Howard Belcher Meets Death In Mine Accident

Howard Belcher, who resided on "Big Hill" near Dryden, was killed Tuesday night by falling slate at Dunbar mines. Mr. Belcher was a former highway employee, and had been working in a war plant at Oak Ridge, Tenn., until two days before the accident, when he returned home to enter the mines.

Funeral services were conducted from the home this afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, in charge of Rev. W. B. Moore. Burial followed in the cemetery nearby. Mr. Belcher is survived by his widow and four children.

SCRAP PAPER DRIVE

Scrap paper will be picked up in Jonesville during the next few days. Please call Mrs. Margaret Halsey if you have any. The paper will be sent to Bristol by truck for disposal. Paper is urgently needed, so please save all you can and turn it in.

Singing Convention At St. Charles April 15th

A Lee County Singing Convention will be held at the Church of God at St. Charles, Va., on Sunday, April 15. All singers are invited.

This singing convention was organized in 1918, by Charlie Waddell, L. V. Jones and Andy Leedy. The present officers are: Olen H. Parsons, president; H. H. Williams, vice president; Coy Martin, secretary-treasurer.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our deep appreciation to our many friends for the kindness and sympathy shown us during the illness and death of our dear husband and father, Amos J. Moore.

Mrs. Amos J. Moore,
Sons and Daughters.

Six Registrants In Second Induction Call For April

Selective Service Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, lists six men who will fill the second induction call for April. They are:

Roy Lincoln Kelly, Dryden; Randolph Sexton, Dunbar; Robert Elro Carroll, Pennington Gap; Clyde Smith, R 1, Big Stone Gap; James William Tooney, St. Charles; Chalmer R. Bailey, R 1, Pennington Gap.

Wounded

Sgt. Don Carter, son of Mrs. Hettie Carter, of Pennington Gap, is in a hospital in France, wounded in action for the second time. Sgt. Carter has served overseas at two different periods, the first time for 18 months and this time since last September.

Wins Battle Stars

Pfc. Virgil H. Carter, brother of Don Carter, writes that he is wearing two battle stars. He has been in France for nearly two years.

GOOD FELLOWS GET TOGETHER

FOUR LOCAL SERVICEMEN

The four soldiers pictured above are Pennington Gap boys. Reading from left to right they are: Cpl. Jack Collier, T.-5 Edgar M. Smith (Jack Hughes), Pfc. J. B. VanDeventer, and Pfc. Tom Tiller.

All are serving with the U. S. Army in India, and recently they met in Karache, an Indian town. They celebrated by having dinner together and later attending a show.

Revival At Union Church

Rev. C. Arthur Burton, State Evangelist for the Christian Church, is conducting a very successful revival at the Union Christian Church, Pennington Gap, R.F.D. The meeting will continue through April 15.

Fugate Only Lee-Scott Candidate For Delegate

T. B. Fugate, president of the Peoples' Bank of Ewing, is the only announced candidate for delegate to the constitutional convention, representing Lee and Scott counties. Wednesday of last week was the deadline for filing.

The election of a delegate to represent the Lee-Scott senatorial district is set for April 24, the convention to be held six days later—April 30—at Richmond.

The only question before the convention, by mandate of the voters of Virginia and opinion by the Virginia Supreme Court of Appeals, will be the removal of the constitutional requirements for men and women in the armed forces to register and pay poll tax for qualification for voting.

First Baptist Church

Sunday morning, April 15th: Sunday School, 9:30, Arthur T. Burchette, Supt. Preaching service at 10:45. Sermon theme: "The Fountain of Youth". Scripture verse, Isaiah 40:31. Special music.

Evening: Training Unions meet at 6:30. Preaching at 7:30, by the Rev. George J. Creswell, revival evangelist.

Quarterly business meeting on Wednesday evening, April 18, at 7:00 o'clock.

P. R. Stubbs, Pastor.

Dryden Girl In College News

Joyce Cox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Cox, of Dryden, was recently elected vice president of the Curie Science Club at Madison College. She will take office at the beginning of next year.

IN PATTON'S ARMY

PVT. JACK E. HALL

Word has been received that Pvt. Jack E. Hall, of Pennington Gap, is with Patton's Third Army in Germany.

Jack finished high school with the class of '44, and entered the armed forces October 11, 1944. He took his basic training at Camp Wheeler, Ga. He spent a few days at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Hall, of Pennington Gap, before going overseas.

Lee Theatre Has Small Blaze Wednesday Night

Last night near the middle of the second show at Lee Theatre, about 11:00 o'clock, the picture was brought to an abrupt end by a flash of fire from the projection booth. It was learned that the film had caught fire, menacing the building and machines.

Fortunately the crowd was small in number and quickly dispersed. The Pennington Volunteer Fire Department did a swell job in quickly getting the blaze under control, and today reports stated that in all probability the show will go on as usual tonight, minus one machine which was burned beyond use. Other equipment was impaired. Damage to the building was reported slight.

Local Man Puts Out Big Forest Fire

Jack Pearce, local Lion, recently put out an 11,000-acre forest fire in New Mexico, unaided except with the help of 3,000 men and one goose trained in this line of work which is so badly needed at this time of year.

Pearce, who is Tail Twister of the local Lions Club, urges all persons to help prevent forest fires in this section. The Club is taking an active part in forest fire prevention. Please give them your support.

The above report comes from R. G. "Shube" Pugh, also an active member of the Lyin' Club; therefore, if there is any contradiction or correction to make, please see him—not us.

Liberated Prisoner Of War Is Coming Home

Capt. Charles W. Willoughby, who has been a prisoner of war in Germany since November 27, 1944, has been liberated and returned to the States.

In the near future Captain Willoughby will be at home in Jonesville, where his wife and son are visiting his mother, Mrs. Jess Willoughby.

Feature Technicolor Movie To Be Made Here

Schools, Mines, Farms, Cattle, Crops, Etc., To Be Featured In Picture

Lee Countians will soon get a chance to see how they look in glowing technicolor from the silver screen of their favorite theatre. A feature length movie is being filmed of the high schools and their activities, the churches, the production of farm crops, how tobacco is handled and marketed, the beautiful Hereford cattle grazing on green pastures, the coal mines, how the coal is produced from beneath the hills, and various other scenes of interesting people, events and progress of the county in an educational film that will attract large audiences.

Virgil Q. Wacks is doing the photography and has leased the best Bell & Howell movie cameras, sound equipment and projectors for the filming and showing that the movie industry has to offer.

Three reels have already been completed and given a test run. They reveal the tobacco crops, cattle and scenic beauty of Lee County in natural color, and are exceptionally beautiful with Lee County's glittering blue skies in the backgrounds that are just as awe inspiring as any scenes ever filmed in the sunny West. More scenic shots are to be filmed before the picture is completed. They will include the famous sand cave near Ewing, the Stone Mountain cliffs and tower, rivers, valleys, etc., that really look wonderful in color.

The films are sent to Washington, D. C., for processing and special preparation after completion.

Town And Community Revivals Nearing Close

REPORTED KILLED

PFC. JAMES H. ELDRIDGE

Pfc. James Howard Eldridge, formerly of Jonesville, was killed in action in Belgium, January 6, 1945, according to the message received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Eldridge, now of Newport News, Va.

Pfc. Eldridge attended school at Dryden, and entered Army service in April, 1944.

Pennington Methodist Church

Sunday morning, April 15th: Church School at 9:30, Clyde M. Kirk, Supt. Services at 10:30: Reception of church membership. Special music.

Sunday evening: Meeting of Young People's Group at 6:15. Communion revival services in the First Baptist Church, conducted by the Rev. George J. Creswell. This will be the closing service of the revival services which began Monday night, April 2, at the Methodist Church. The public cordially invited.

Charlie D. Mahaffey, Pastor.

First Christian Church

Sunday morning, April 15th: Bible School at 10:00 a. m., F. M. Smalley, Supt. Worship with communion at 10:45. Sermon subject: "The Friendship of a Living Christ".

Christian Endeavors will meet at 6:15 p. m., Mrs. Ruth Keith, president. No preaching at night, as the pastor will be with the evangelist, Rev. Arthur C. Burton, in the closing service of the revival at Union Church.

Choir rehearsal Wednesday at 6:30 p. m. Mid-week prayer service at 7:00 o'clock.

West Virginia Men Buy Puckett's Creek Coal Co.

G. W. Robertson and J. L. Chambers, of Princeton, W. Va., have recently purchased Puckett's Creek Coal Corporation from J. R. Tomlinson, and are now operating this mine.

Messrs. Robertson and Chambers were formerly connected in official capacities with Winding Gulf Collieries, Goodwill, W. Va., and Lamar Collieries Co., Lamar, W. Va. Both Mr. Robertson and Mr. Chambers will at a very early date move their families to Pennington Gap. Both men are experienced coal operators, and Puckett's Creek mine is one of the best small operations in Lee County.

We wish to welcome these new residents, and wish them every success in their new endeavor.

Jonesville Club To Aid Wounded Soldiers

The Jonesville Woman's Club is sponsoring a drive for the convalescent soldiers at Camp Pickett. The following items are needed:

Ash trays, cards, records, games, puzzles, books, sheet music, plane model kits, rags for rugs, enamel paints, rubber cement, canes and crutches, magazines (or subscriptions), money for phone calls.

Please send your contributions to Mrs. Brownie Wynn. Members of the Club are asked to bring their contributions to the May meeting.

C. M. Lundy and Frank May are celebrating the new spring season by a fishing trip at Norris Lake this week.

Much Good Has Been Accomplished By Evangelists, Local Ministers

Sunday night, April 15, will bring to a close the revival campaign begun at the Methodist Church on Monday night, April 2nd. The Rev. George J. Creswell, who has been guest evangelist during this revival, had planned to close the meeting Friday night, but due to the increasing interest, and additional conversions each service, he decided to continue through Sunday night. He will return to his own church, the Second Methodist, in Knoxville, for Sunday morning services and, accompanied by some of his Knoxville friends, will be back here for the closing evangelistic service in the First Baptist Church Sunday night.

The revival was moved to the First Baptist Church, which has a more spacious auditorium, in order to take care of the overflowing crowds that attended the meetings for the last several nights.

The local churches have performed fine teamwork in the recent evangelistic campaigns—the pre-Easter revival conducted in the First Baptist Church by the Rev. Henry B. Anderson, and the one following in the Methodist Church by the Rev. Creswell. Under the influence of these visiting ministers, in cooperation with the local pastors and church leaders, the people of Pennington Gap and community have experienced new peaks in Christian living, and an influence for good has been felt that will last through years to come.

During the periods of the two meetings large numbers have found the better way of life, and throughout our town there is a trend of deeper spirituality among our people.

Great success is reported of the revival at Union Christian Church, Pennington Gap, Route 2, of which the Rev. W. B. Moore is pastor. The meeting is being conducted by the Rev. C. Arthur Burton, State Evangelist, of Richmond, and will come to a close Sunday night, April 15.

Similar reports come from the revival at St. Charles, being conducted by the Rev. Frank S. Smith, of Knoxville, and the one at Admant, on Stone Creek, by Rev. Roscoe Dougias, of Harlan.

But with all our new beginnings, our new footholds on life inspired by our revivals, it is inevitable that sooner or later they must come to a close, even though the battles between right and wrong go on forever.

The obligation rests with us to keep in progress the fine work wrought through these meetings, thus making our towns, communities and counties better places in which to live.

To the visiting evangelists, we can only say we're glad you came, sorry to see you leave—come again!

WITH FIFTH ARMY

CPL. JOE E. WARF

Cpl. Joe E. Warf is serving with the Fifth Army somewhere in Italy. He enlisted in service March 20, 1942, and has been overseas since January of this year. He is with the Engineers.

Cpl. Warf took his training at Camp Edwards, Mass., Camp Hale, Colo., and Camp Swift, Texas. He is formerly of Dwight, Va., and is a member of the Mountain View Baptist Church near Ewing. His last furlough home was in September, 1944.

AMONG ODD FELLOWS

By Ellis Roberts, D.D.G.M.

A visit was made by Ellis Roberts, D.D. G. M.; T. P. Scarborough, Grand Herald; Ross Collier, Grand Sentinel and D.D. G.C.P., to Virginia Lodge No. 121, at Jonesville, on Thursday night, March 31. E. C. Duncan, P. G., of Pennington Lodge, and Charlie Bryant were also present. Virginia Lodge had three candidates for the initiatory degree, which was exemplified in an excellent manner. They had a class of five for the first degree, and the members and candidates alike were well pleased with this work.

The Odd Fellows of this District, No. 39, have launched a program for the purpose of raising $250,000, to be designated as the Odd Fellows Emergency War Relief Fund, for the purpose of establishing Odd Fellowship and the rehabilitation of Odd Fellows throughout the world, under the jurisdiction of the Sovereign Grand Lodge.

Saturday night, April 14, the Odd Fellows will meet at Oak Grove Lodge No. 10, Blackwater, Va., in a district meeting to confer some work which will be by a selected degree team of the District. The Rebekahs will serve refreshments and take part in open discussions for the good of the order. Weston Lodge, of Rose Hill, also is showing an interest and are increasing their quota of membership.

To our members in the armed services: We want them to know that we are thinking of them and praying for them, and are keeping the home fires burning.

J-ville Boy Commended In Magazine Article

Wm. G. Moore, of Jonesville, F.F.A. member who was awarded the Virginia State Farmer degree, is highly commended for his achievement in an article appearing in the current March-April issue of "The Furrow", national farm publication, published by John Deere, Moline, Ill.

The Virginia F. F. A. Association, in its 18th annual convention, conferred degrees upon 115 outstanding vocational agriculture students, the article states.

As a group, they held the presidency of 184 organizations, as well as 452 other offices, the writer continues. Their supervised practice programs included 1,439 enterprises, embodying 1,791 head of livestock and 31,074 fowls, to which they devoted 156,971 self-hours.

From these projects they realized a net profit of $146,065, and invested $19,309 in savings and $52,825 in farming. In addition, they invested $12,597 in war bonds and stamps.

Young Mr. Moore is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Moore, of Jonesville.

Althought chemical warfare is as old as history, it did not come back into general use until World War I, when Germany initiated the use of toxic gas, flame-throwers, and aerial incendiaries.

4-H Club Members Will Aid In Hog-Raising Drive

Boys and girls of Lee County, along with those of seven other Southwest Virginia counties, who are members of 4-H Clubs, will join in a Hog-Raising Campaign, County Agent R. C. Carter announced today.

This hog-raising drive will be conducted through an organization to be known as the SouthwestVirginia 4-H Club Foundation for Hog Raising, sponsored by Acme Provision Company, and detailed plans were formulated at a meeting of county agents and their assistants held recently at the General Shelby Hotel in Bristol.

William Allwine, manager of Acme, outlined the plan by which the company will provide the sum of $2,000 as a loan fund to boys and girls who are interested in breeding and fattenting hogs, and an additional fund of $500.00 to be offered as prize money at an annual show to be held at the end of the season. In order to get the project underheadway immediately, the first show will be held in Bristol on Wednesday, October 10, probably at the local livestock market, it was decided.

The sole purpose of the organization, Mr. Carter said, is to increase interest in the growing of hogs in this area. The loan fund of $2,000 will be used to provide funds for purchase either of brood animals or feeder stock for fattening, and the company attaches no strings to granting the loans. Growers of hogs who will avail themselves of the opportunity to borrow money for financing their projects from the Acme Company may sell their hogs to whom they choose and when they please, the loan to be repaid without interest, when sale of the animal is consummated, it was announced at the meeting.

J. E. Delp, Scout County Agent, was chosen to head the organization; H. J. Haga, of Abingdon, Washington County Agent, was named secretary; and S. A. Wagner, superintendent of Acme, was selected as treasurer.

It was specified at the meeting that boys and girls participating in the project must be recommended by their county agents, who will determine how many animals the individual is able to care for, applications to be submitted by the county agent in charge of the club of which the applicant is a member, to be passed on by the secretary and the treasurer of the organization, Mr. Haga and Mr. Delp.

Boys and girls will be encouraged to make their own plans and set up their own organizations in each county, under the guidance of their agricultural agents in their respective counties, it was decided, as a means of stimulating initiative and gaining a feeling of greater responsibility for success of their venture.

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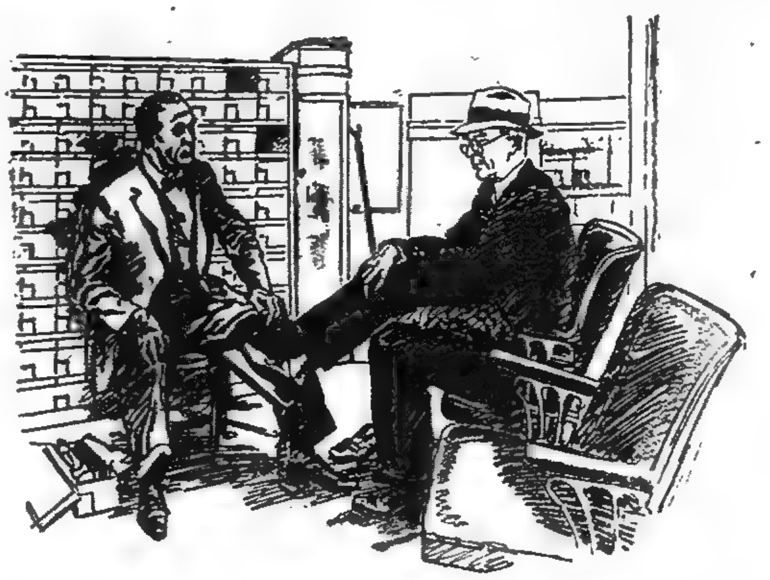

"When this war is all over, Judge, there will be some mighty interesting books written about it. Expect we'll learn a lot of things we didn't know before."

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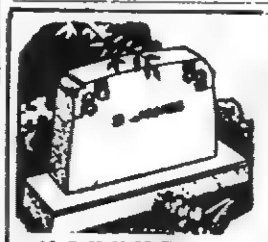

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News From
DERBY

(For week of April 5)

Rev. Hoyt Shaddon, Etowah, Tenn., is guest preacher at revival services which began here Sunday night.

Mary Jane Williams spent the week-end in Jonesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Milt Hall were visiting in East Stone Gap, Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Lundy are spending a few days with relatives at Mendota.

Mrs. Milford Burchett and daughter, Mary Helen, returned home Saturday, after a few days' visit with relatives at Hubbard Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Vaught Farmer spent the week-end with relatives at Lebanon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hagan Carroll and children, Patsy and Donny; Mrs. H. C. Carroll and daughters, Wilma Jean and Lucille, were visiting Mrs. Willie Rines, Sunday.

John Stansbury, U. S. Navy, is spending a few days' furlough here with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Tolbert Bailey, of Norton, spent Easter with Mrs. Bailey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert White.

Brownie Stapleton is spending a furlough with his family here.

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News From
JONESVILLE

(For week of April 5)

Route Two
(For week of March 26)

Among those who attended church services at Friendship on Sunday night were: Mrs. Wanda Cole and daughter, Mary Helen; Delores Wynn, and Nancy Andis.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Smallwood left Tuesday for Middlesboro Hospital, where she will undergo a tonsilectomy.

Earl J. Andis, S. 2-C., of Banana River, Fla., won his silver wings on March 17, 1945.

Charles Bailey is very ill at this writing.

Mrs. Stella Presley was visiting with her sister, Mrs. Mary Flanary, St. Charles, this week.

Mr. Carson Reed is spending a few days with his mother, Mrs. Bessie Cole, before entering service.

Mrs. Eliza Stone, of Knoxville, Tenn., was visiting her mother, Mrs. Alice Flanary, over the week-end.

Betty Lee Smallwood spent Tuesday night with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Andis.

News From
WALLENS CREEK

(For week of April 5)

Word has been received by H. P. Russell that his nephew, Seaman 1-C. Donald Russell, U. S. Navy, has landed safely in the South Pacific area.

William Collinsworth, employed at Kingsport, spent the past week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Collinsworth.

Mrs. R. C. Watson spent last Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Eliza Seabolt.

A birthday dinner was given Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Martin for Mr. Martin, Bernarr Price, and little Francis Martin. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Olin Lockhart and children, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Price and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hartley and children, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Martin and children, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Martin and daughter, Mattie.

Misses Gladys and Reba Watson were visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Elkins and family Sunday.

Mrs. Burleson Sword visited Mrs. Myrtle Sword over the week-end.

Miss Juanita Hines was the week-end guest of Miss Ruth Penley.

Miss Zelma Gilbert was a dinner guest of Miss Katherine Minor, Sunday.

Mrs. Ruth Neely was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sword, last week-end.

Ocoonita Folks Enjoy Egg Hunt

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Rose, of Ocoonita, entertained the following guests from Oak Ridge, Tenn., Sunday, April 1.

PREPARING YOUR WOOL FOR SALE

Preparing the wool clip for sale involves tying the fleeces, packing them in bags, and lettering each bag with a description of the contents. A well-prepared clip of grease wool is more salable than a poorly prepared clip; but no matter how well prepared an inferior wool may be, it still will not command the premium value of a superior quality clip. It is also true, however, that the value of any clip can be increased by superior preparation. The important points of good wool preparation are given in the following paragraphs. The deductions and prices are as quoted in the Commodity Credit Corporation Schedule of Values for Domestic Shorn Wool under the 1945 Wool Purchase Program.

1. Keep the Fleeces Clean—Keep the shearing pens as clean as possible. Keep straw and manure out of the fleeces because this lowers the value by giving the wool a bad appearance.

2. Don't Use Too Much Branding Paint — Branding paint on wool is nothing less than a material defect. Branding paints should always be used as sparingly as possible.

3. Don't Pack Untied Or Carelessly Tied Fleeces—All untied clips will be discounted 2 cent per pound from the grease appraisal price. Using only paper strings, tie each fleece securely with the flesh end of the staple showing and the shoulder and side wools on the outside. Tuck in the loose ends. There will be a deduction of 10 cents per pound (clean basis) for wool tied with sisal or binder twine. Bailing wire should never be used!

4. Take All Tags, Dung locks, and Stained Pieces Out of the Fleeces—On original bag wool the appraisers will make a deduction not to exceed 3 per cent of the grease appraisal price on clips which do not have all tags and other off wools packed separately. Heavy tags are worth only 12 cents per pound and average tags are worth only 17 cents per pound on the Boston market. Pack all tags and sweepings in a separate bag. Never put a layer of tags in a bag along with fleeces.

5. Don't Put Black Wool With White Wool—Black fibers contaminate white wool. Black wool is worth only two-thirds of the price of white wool of comparable grade.

6. Don't Pack Burry Fleeces With Fleeces Free of Burrs—Keep separate from clean wool all fleeces containing burrs, foxtail, straw, leaves, or vegetable defects. The value of a clip can be lowered from 1 to 10 cents per pound (clean basis), and even more, depending on the amount of defect it contains.

7. Don't Pack Dead Wool, Crutchings, and Eye Clippings Along With Shorn Fleeces—Keep such wools separate from the fleeces. Pack them in a separate bag. They have a lower value than the fleece wool.

8. Always Mark Every Bag of Wool to Show the Contents—Every bag in the clip should be distinctly lettered with the class of wool it contains.

9. Never Pack Wet Wool—Mold develops in wet wool and stains and weakens the fibers. Always dry wet fleeces before packing them.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 22nd day of March, 1945.

Gladys Fitzgerald....Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
C. B. Fitzgerald.....Defendant

The object of this suit is a divorce a vinculo mantrimonii on grounds of wilful desertion. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, C. B. Fitzgerald, is non-resident of the state of Virginia, and his last known address is 1890 East Ninth Street, Cleveland, Ohio, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:

D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk
By: LOUISE PARKEY, D. C.
p. q., W. L. Davidson.
Adv. No. 12-4t.

All right, WHO IS TO BLAME.

Most Americans have the idea that forest and woods fires are just one of those things . . . bad, but unavoidable. Maybe if Americans knew the truth about who really starts the majority of these fires, they would change their tune.

Here are the facts: 10 percent of all forest and woods fires are the result of lightning. Not much can be done to prevent them. But . . . 90 percent are caused by good American citizens, like you, and something can be done about that!

Something *must* be done about the wholesale razing of America's forests and woodlands. *Every year* an average of 31,000,000 acres is burned over —more than in the whole State of New York.

You and your friends can help! Please read the rules on this page . . . read them again . . . *memorize them* . . . tell others about them. Then be careful in all forest and woodland areas. Do your part to help prevent fires!

MEMORIZE THESE RULES

1. Crush out your cigarette, your cigar, your pipe ashes.
2. Break your match in two. When you can hold the burned end between your fingers—play safe, use the ash tray.
3. Drown your campfire; then stir and drown it again.
4. If you must use fire: first, ask if the law requires a permit. Next, have help handy. Last, kill every spark!

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Only 96 Passenger Car Tires For Lee In April

Lee County passenger car drivers will have to guard their tires even more carefully during the coming months if they are to continue to drive, Geo. T. Bailey, chairman of the Lee War Price and Rationing Board, said today.

The shortage of passenger tires makes it necessary that they be issued only after the war importance of each applicant's car use is measured against the importance of other applicants' cars, he pointed out.

A preferential list of occupations for use in selecting persons to receive passenger car tires has been established. This list will be used in channeling the reduced quota of tires to persons whose transportation needs are regarded as most essential to the war effort, he declared.

Under the new plan the number of eligibles is not reduced, but is classified into preference groups, based on the direct importance of the car's use to the war effort. The priorities in considering applications are divided into four groups, he continued.

First priority group is limited almost entirely to persons whose occupations are of emergency nature and to workers at establishments faced with production emergencies. Included in this group are eligible physicians, public health nurses, police and employees at critical war industries.

Group 2 includes persons employed in other essential plants and those whose occupations are highly important to the war effort. In this group are farmers, farm workers, coal miners, representatives of management, labor and government and others of similar importance.

Group 3 includes such occupations as buyers for essential establishments and persons who travel to essential establishments to perform necessary technical services.

Group 4 takes in all other persons eligible for grade one passenger tires, he said.

He added that each individual tire applicant must establish his present need for the tire applied for, even though he is rated in a high preference group.

Mrs. Z. C. Wardrup was visiting friends here this week. Mrs. Wardrup is making her home with relatives at Olinger.

Letter From "Old-Timer"

The following letter comes from a former citizen of Lee County, who still likes the home news:

Verden, Okla., Rt. 1,
March 26, 1945.

Dear Editor:

Each week I receive a copy of the News, which I enjoy reading very much. The news back home is always of much interest to myself and also my wife, as we were both born and reared in Lee County, and have many relatives and friends there, and long for the time when we can come back to Lee County and visit with them and their families.

We received a copy of the Service Edition mailed to me by my sister and father, and we enjoyed reading it so much. Although most of the boys have grown up since we left Lee County, we still remember most all their parents, which made it very interesting to us and other Virginia folk who live out here. We think you did a wonderful job to work up an edition like that. It must have taken lots of work.

I don't know when my present subscription is us, so I am enclosing money order for renewal, as we don't want to miss a copy.

Please extend our very best wishes to all the people in Lee County and to all our boys in the armed forces throughout camps and overseas.

Sincerely,
H. G. HINKLE.

Alfred Green Goes To Pearl Harbor

Alfred Green ,of St. Charles, launched out upon the deep Sunday, April 1, enroute to the Hawaiian Islands, where he has accepted a position at Pearl Harbor with the Federal Government for a period of 18 months.

Mr. Green ha sfor about a year and a half been employed in a shipyard at Baltimore, at the ammunition load piers, and spent a few days' vacation here before leaving for his new post.

He is the son of Mrs. Ellen Green, of St. Charles, and has four brothers in the armed services. Staff Sgt. Carl Green, who has just finished a three-year stretch in the Asiatic-Pacific area, is at a rest center in Florida awaiting new assignment. Ray, Paul, and Donald are serving overseas.

Wm. "Billy" Murr and bride, of Benedict, spent the week-end here with his uncle, Lee Sally, and family.

News From
JONESVILLE
Route Two

Mr. and Mrs. Murphy Kirk, of Evarts, Ky., were visiting his uncle, Shade Fields, and family, Sunday.

Miss Ruth Smith and Mrs. Hubert Sutphin have returned to their work at Ann Arbor, Mich., after a few days' visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Smith.

Mrs. Paul Harbor and Mrs. Elmer Huskey were visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Minor, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carson Ringley and little daughter, Myrta, visited at the home of his parents here Sunday.

Mrs. Elmer Huskey received a cablegram Easter greeting from her husband, serving with the U. S. Army somewhere in Germany.

TURNER — DAVID

Miss Audrey Turner, daughter of Mr.and Mrs. George Turner, of Bonny Blue, and Angus M. David, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. David, Pennington Gap, motored to Harlan, Ky., Monday night, April 2, and were married by the Rev. Perkins, pastor of the Methodist Church.

Mr. David is employed on the store force of Blue Diamond Coal Co., at Bonny Blue. The couple will make their home in Pennington Gap for the present.

News From
HAGAN

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hensley and daughter, of Sampson, Ky., spent the week-end with his daughter, Mrs. Gill Hensley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Arney Ramsey and Mrs. Dorothy Gilliam and children, of Flatwood, were visiting their mother, Mrs. Mary Watkins, Sunday.

Mrs. Rex Hounshell and son, of Newport News, Va., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Carey and daughter, of Knoxville, Tenn., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ely, Sunday.

Charlie Hensley, of Sampson, Ky., spent Saturday night at the home of his sister, Mrs. Gill Hensley, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cellie Thomas and family visited relatives and friends at Flatwood, Sunday.

Miss Betty Ingle spent Sunday with Misses Ruby and Ruth Ely.

Birth Announcement

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kirk, of Norton, Va., announce the birth of a daughter, Linda Joyce, on April 10, at Norton General Hospital. Mrs. Kirk is the former Miss Anna Stapleton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Stapleton, of Loudon, Tenn., formerly of Bonny Blue. Mr. Kirk is the son of Mr and Mrs. Fred M. Kirk, of Monarch.

Fruit Crop Damaged In Southwest Virginia Area

The cold wave came suddenly last week and left in a hurry, leaving the fine spring weather again in the lead.

Buit, though brief, the wintry flurry had ample time to kill the prospects for a bumper fruit crop in Lee County, including cherries, plums, peaches, strawberries and early apples, a news article from the Bristol Herald-Courier states.

Also the news article says that a similar damage has been inflicted in fruit growing sections of other Virginia counties, including Wise, Scott, Russell, Tazewell and others.

Cam J. Lewis, authority on fruit growing, stated today that in his opinion at least 90% of the fruit in Lee County is killed; that wild strawberries are unhurt, but that he doesn't know about the tame berries.

News From
DRY BRANCH

Ralph Cox, S. 2-C., has completed his boot training at Great Lakes, Ill., and is spending a 10-day furlough with home folk. He will return to Great Lakes for reassignment.

Mrs. Vernell Edens, Mrs. Edith Astrop and daughter, Juanita, were shopping in Pennington, Saturday.

Miss Mary Ruth Cox attended church services at Ely's Memorial Sunday night.

Mr. Herman Shufflebarger underwent an appendectomy at Lee General Hospital last week.

Mrs. Charley Hyden, of Woodway, is spending her vacation with Carrie Witt, in New York City.

Mr. Holley Astrop was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Bailey, of Big Hill, Sunday.

Word has been received here that Frank Taylor Ely has again been wounded in action, somewhere overseas.

Cpl. Clyde Myers and Clayton Cox attended a movie, "Kismet", at Lee Theatre, Monday.

Mrs. Molly Moore was shopping in Pennington, Saturday.

Piano Concert At Appalachia School

On Friday evening, April 20, at 7:30 o'clock, Prof. Clifford C. Loomis, Director of Music at Sullins College, and Miss Isabelle Gemmell, also a piano instructor at Sullins, will be presented in a duo piano concert in the Appalachia ,Va., school auditorium.

This concert is being sponsored by the Appalachia Junior Music Study Club, of which Mrs. J. Willard Large is counsellor.

Attend Revival

Rev. George J. Creswell was happily surprised last night by an unexpected visit of members of his family and friends who came to attend the revival service. They were: his wife, from Knoxville; his brother, Wilbur Creswell, wife and daughter, Emily, of Middlesboro; Messrs. Moore and Duncan, also of Middlesboro.

RESOLUTIONS

WHEREAS, An all-wise Providence has seen fit to remove from the councils of historic Thompson Settlement Baptist Church, Hilary Lee Snodgrass, who served it with a steadfast devotion and an unfailing loyalty in the capacity of church clerk over a period of 37 years,

And Whereas, In token of our grateful appreciation of the fine example and noble precepts of his well spent life among us, and the watchful care and diligence which characterized his services to the membership of this venerated shrine as clerk, it is perfectly meet and proper that we, at the first regular monthly church meeting following his death on March 12, 1945, adopt the following resolutions as a mark of our respect and reverence for the life and character of our late lamented brother, church official, friend, neighbor, and Christian gentleman, Hilary Lee Snodgrass, of blessed memory;

Therefore, Be It Resolved by the members of the Thompson Settlemen Baptist Church in their regular monthly church meeting assembled on Saturday, April 7, 1945, that we record our grateful and profound appreciation of the loyal and noteworthy services he has rendeerd to this community, our country and the Powell River Association in the varied capacities in which he was called upon to serve; and that we especially express our very deep gratitude for the marked efficiency and uniform courtesy with which he performed all the exacting duties of clerk of this church during the years of his service in that capacity; and register our regret at his untimely passing from among us.

And, Be It Further Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be entered in today's church record, a copy be furnished The Powell Valley News for publication, and a copy be given to the family.

HELEN HOPKINS,
MAUD SNODGRASS,
Committee.

News From
BENEDICT

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Blevins, Mrs. Olen Johnson and Mrs. Ellis Lynn and daughter, Mildred, made a business trip to Harlan, Ky., Tuesday.

Mrs. Minnie Thompson, of Stone Creek, and Billy Jo, who is employed at Richmond, visited relatives and friends here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harve Edwards and daughter, Theresa, spent last week-end visiting friends in Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thompson and family visited relatives in Jonesville last week-end.

Mrs. Virgil Perry made a business trip to Knoxville last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Herron and family spent Sunday with relatives at Virginia Lee.

Mrs. Johnnie McPherson and daughter, of St. Charles, visited relatives here last week-end.

Cline Perry, of Big Hill, visited relatives here Sunday.

Several from here attended the funeral of Mrs. Tittle, wife of the Rev. S. F. Tittle, at Kingsport, Tenn., Sunday.

Mrs. Irene Scarborough and little daughter, Gloria Jean, of Monarch, visited relatives here last week-end.

Nolan Thompson, Baltimore, Md., is at home with his parents here, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Thompson and family.

Dryden High School Will Present Play

If you like an evening of fun and laughter, don't miss "Johnny On the Spot", a three-act comedy to be presented at Dryden High School by the Senior Class on Friday evening, April 20, at 8:00 o'clock.

REGULATION

FIXING THE OPEN SEASON FOR HUNTING QUAIL, RABBIT, GROUSE, BEAR, DEER, PHEASANT, SQUIRRELS AND TURKEYS WEST OF THE BLUE RIDGE MOUNTAINS.

Pursuant to a proposal authorized at a meeting of this Commission at Richmond, Virginia, March 3, 1945, which was published as required by law, the following Regulation was adopted at a meeting of this Commission at Richmond, Virginia, March 30, 1945:

The open season for hunting in the counties west of the Blue Ridge Mountains shall be as follows:

Quail and rabbit, November 15 - January 1.

Grouse, November 15 - January 1, except in the counties of Augusta, Frederick, Page, Rockingham, Shenandoah and Warren, where these is a closed season.

Deer, open season for hunt-in west of Blue Ridge Mountains in the following named counties only: Alleghany, Bath and Highland, November 15-21; Augusta, Frederick, Page, Rockingham and Shenandoah, November 15 - 17; Smyth, Washington and Wythe counties south of U. S. Route No. 11, and in Grayson, Scott and Wise counties, November 15-16.

Bear, November 15 - January 1.

Pheasants, ring - necked, Mongolian or Chinese, November 15 - January 1, except in Pulaski County, where thehe is a closed season.

Squirrel, September 15 - 30 and November 15 - January 1, except in Floyd County where the open hunting season is September 1-15 and November 15 - January 1.

Turkey, November 15 - January 1, except Bland, Buchanan, Carroll, Dickenson, Floyd, Giles, Grayson, Lee, Montgomery, Pulaski, Roanoke, Russell, Scott, Smyth, Tazewell, Washington, Wise and Wythe counties where there is a closed season.

All parts of regulations in conflict with the foregoing are hereby rescinded.

This Regulation shall become effective July 1, 1945.

By order of the Commission of Game and Inland Fisheries.

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Chairman.

FOR SALE—100 2-year-old and 80 yearling Hereford steers. Will sell any number. E. M. RUGGLES, Mt. Zion, Iowa. Adv. No. 14-2t pd.

Referees Pick All-County Basketball Aggregations

Referees Mumpower and Hood, of Big Stone Gap, who officiated in the Lee County Conference Basketball Tournament at Pennington Gap, which became history two weeks ago, have advanced their version of an all-county boys' team and an all-county girls' aggregation. They proceeded to pick ten players on the boys' roster and twelve on that of the girls', two full teams each.

Their selections for the boys' teams are: St. Charles, Charles Kirk and Jimmy Grayson; Pennington Gap, Pete Williamson and Bruce Kelly; Jonesville, Allen Minor and Hollis Daugherty; Keokee, Frank Hensley, Jr., and Murriel Duncan; Flatwood, Lawrence "Red" Russell; Thomas Walker, James Shackleford.

The girls' selections: Keokee, Virgie Arnett, Billie Jean Calton, Jewell Fay Morris; Dryden, Mary Reasor, Anna Lou Reasor; Pennington, Betty Tritt; St. Charles, Theda Parsons and Elizabeth Kirk; Jonesville, Jo Ann Carrier and Marie Fitts; Thomas Walker, Virginia Grabeel and Mildred Thomas.

News From
ROBBINS CHAPEL

Miss Wilma Beth Robbins entertained a number of her friends Friday night in honor of Johnny Robbins, who returned to school Sunday.

June and Sarah Parsons and Nell Carter made a business trip to Harlan, Ky., Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Robbins and family spent the week-end at Holmes Mill, Ky.

Ruth Carter, of Calvin, visited here Sunday with Nell Carter.

Rebecca Olinger spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Thomas.

Mrs. Lester Robbins and children, of Sigma, are visiting Mrs. Tennessee Robbins.

Mrs. Gerald Thomas, of Cox's Creek, visited her sister, Mrs. Hubert Thomas, Sunday.

The students of Miss June Parsons' room will enjoy an outdoor supper at the Carroll place Monday evening.

Mrs. John Robbins and children, of V.I.C., spent the week-end here with his mother, Mrs. Lizzie Thomas.

Mrs. Tennessee Robbins and Mrs. Will Thomas visited their brother, Delmas Thomas, and family, at Burchfield, Va., one day last week.

DOWN ON THE FARM

(Continued from page 1)

Those raising chickens should be sure to get U. S. State approved baby chicks, to feed good starter mash and to raise them on clean range after taking them out of the brooder house. Information on poultry problems may be obtained by calling or writing the County Agent at Jonesville.

4-H Clubs Raise Chickens For Meat

Several 4-H Club members in Lee County are raising chickens to be sold as heavy roasters to add to the meat supply in 1945. A number of these members have pooled their orders for baby chicks and have placed them with a good hatchery. These farm boys and girls expect to produce several thousand pounds of extra meat in 1946.

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From where I sit, that's sound philosophy—applied to people just as much as locust trees. You can't always change folks to your way of thinking—some may prefer beer to buttermilk, or a double harness to a single one—but you can get to like them (if you take the trouble)

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Joe Marsh

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Lee Farmers To Attend S.V.A.A. Meeting Apr. 14

A delegation of Lee County farmers expect to attend the tenth annual meeting of the Southwest Virginia Agricultural Association at Abingdon on April 14th, according to J. A. Wolfe, president of the Lee County Soil Conservation Association.

Highlights of the meeting will be an address by Dr. Jno. R. Hutcheson of VPI on "Postwar Agricultural Policies", and a talk by Mr. J. C. McAmis of the TVA on "Let's Finish the Job". Also, L. R. Neel, editor of the Southern Agriculturist, will discuss "Improvement and Management of Grasslands".

The general theme of the meeting will be how our demonstrators and other farmers can make their greatest possible contribution to the war effort this year, and also plan for the postwar period. Results of the cooperative Extension - TVA farm program in this county have been most gratifying from the standpoint of increasing food and feed production through improved fertilization and all around better farm management practices. A summary of the actual records kept by our demonstrators indicate that they have increased their total production of crops and livestock over one-third since Pearl Harbor, and have also influenced a large number of other farmers to do the same through the adoption of similar improved practices on their farms, according to R. C. Carter, county agent.

At this year's meeting cooperating farmers from Bland, Tazewell and Wythe will give a five-year progress report on results of their farm unit or area demonstration program. They are J. B. Hubble, of Bland; Jack Davis, of Tazewell; and H. H. Price, of Wythe. Also, a summary report of the ten-year demonstration program in Smyth County will be presentd by County Agent P. E. Bird.

D. C. Sewell Reported Improving

News comes from Norton Hospital that D. C. Sewell, Clerk of Lee County Court at Jonesville, who has been critically ill, is much improved and seemingly on the road to recovery. Mr. Sewell suffered a succession of heart attacks several days ago.

BUDGET FOR THE TOWN OF JONESVILLE, VIRGINIA

Containing a complete itemized plan of all proposed expenditures and estimated revenue of the said town for the fiscal and appropriation year 1945.

INCOME	Budget Estimate 1945
Taxes	$1,000.00
Water Rents	2,400.00
Delinquent Taxes	200.00
Capital Stock	275.00
Miscellaneous Revenue (A. B C)	850.00
Interest on Bonds	125.00
	$4,850.00

EXPENDITURES	
Administration	$ 500.00
Maintenance of Streets	300.00
Street Lights	240.00
Water Service	1,200.00
Collections (taxes and water)	300.00
Miscellaneous Expense	500.00
Civic Improvement	1,810.00
	$4,850.00

All Taxpayers of the Town of Jonesville are hereby notified that there will be a public hearing on the question of levying an assessment of taxes, held at the council chamber of the Town of Jonesville, Virginia, on May 2, 1945, at 7:00 p. m., and each and all citizens and taxpayers of the said Town are invited to attend and state his or her views upon the budget or assessment and the proposed levy.

The above notice is published in accordance with the 1926 Acts of the Legislature of Virginia, Chapter 545

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LYNN MERRICK

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DEATHS AND FUNERALS

A. J. Moore

Amos J. Moore died at his home on Route 1, Pennington Gap, Wednesday, April 4, following an illness of a little more than a year. He was 71 years old and had been a resident of Pennington Gap for about 45 years. He was a carpenter by trade and a member of the Methodist Church.

Funeral services were conducted from the home Thursday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, by Rev. Charlie D. Mehaffey, pastor of the local Methodist Church, and burial followed in the Town Cemetery.

Mr. Moore is survived by his widow, Mrs. Elizabeth Parsons Moore; three daughters, Mary Belle and Merble Moore, of Pennington Gap, and Mrs. Roy Moore, Kingsport, Tenn.; six sons, W. A., W. T., Charlie, Jess and Enoch Moore, all of Pennington Gap; and Amos O. Moore, with the U. S. Army.

Edward Francis Beaman

Edward Francis Beaman, 40, employee of Blue Diamond Coal Co., at Leona Mines, suffered a heart attack while in the commissary at V.I.C. early Friday morning, April 6, and died while on the way to the hospital. He was a member of the Local Union.

Surviving him are his widow; one son, Edward, Jr., U. S. Marine Corps, stationed in California; one daughter, Georgia Louise; his father, Joseph Beaman, of Big Stone Gap; two brothers, Charles, of Johnson City, Tenn., and John, of the U. S. Navy; seven sisters, Mrs. Nora Cousins, Big Stone Gap; Mrs. John Hamilton and Mrs. Skyler Hamilton, Exeter, Va.; Mrs. Terry Campbell, Johnson City, Tenn.; Mrs. Edna Pannell, St. Charles; Mrs. Beatrice Nelson, Spokane, Wash.; and Mrs. Minnie Runnells, of Churchbury, N. D.

Mrs. Martha Rosenbaum

Mrs. Martha Speaks Rosenbaum, 88, died at her home in Rose Hill, Va., April 6, after an illness of about two months. She was a life-long resident of her community, and a member of the Methodist Church.

Funeral services were conducted April 8, at 2:00 p. m., by Rev. A. J. Ledford, assisted by Rev. M. H. Rambo. Burial followed in Speaks' Cemetery. Pallbearers: Hobart, Harold, James and Borden Rosenbaum, Ben King, Thurmond Lovens. Richmond Funeral Home in charge.

Mrs. Rosenbaum is survived by four sons, Robert L. Rosenbaum, Jonesville; Charlie Rosenbaum, Rose Hill; White Rosenbaum, Nortonville, Kansas; and Barnett Rosenbaum, Powhattan, Kansas.

Mrs. Robert Erwin has returned to her home in La Juana, Colo., after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shanks, at St. Charles.

REPORT OF D. A. R. WORK IN COUNTY

By Mrs. Oscar Smith

The following activities of the Major George Gibson Family Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, have recently been observed:

Junior American Citizens Clubs Meet

The four Junior American Citizens Clubs of Rose Hill School came together on March 29 for a joint meeting.

The vice chairman of Junior American Citizens Clubs in Virginia, sponsored by the National Society of the Daughters of the Revolution, was present and led the program. She conducted informal discussion, showed posters of good citizens in action, and told stories of boys and girls who showed good citizenship in everyday life.

Earlier in the school year when the clubs were organized the following persons were elected to office in the grade club: president, Charles Saylor; vice president, Grover Long; secretary and treasurer, Helen Grabeel; reporter, Gladys Jewel Paine.

Pictures were made of the club taking part in various projects, one being the March of Dimes.

Virginia D.A.R. Announces Prize Winners

Mrs. John W. Brookfield, chairman of the Girl Homemakers Committee of the Virginia Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, today announced the prize winners in the cotton dress contest, sponsored by the 82 D.A.R. chapters in Virginia.

The prize of $5.00 goes to Miss Elizabeth Dash, of Thomas Walker High School, whose dress was selected in a contest held in January by the Major George Gibson Family Chapter, D.A.R., Miss Mary Stickley being the chapter chairman of the Girl Homemakers Committee. The State contest was held in Richmond, Va.

At the close of the school year a history medal will be given the person making the highest grade in American History in the four high schools in the county which responded to the offer of the Chapter Historian, Mrs. Nannie Lee Kincaid Stickley.

Honest Abe Club Gives Health Play

The Honest Abe Junior American Citizen Club of Ewing, Va., held its regular meeting in March. Miss Virginia Clarkson, president of the Club, called the meeting to order, and the program was called by the secretary, Miss Billie Jean Wheeler. Devotions were led by Miss Mary Katherine Hoskins, director of the Club. The members sang the J. A. C. song, and gave the pledge of alliegiance to the flag.

A play on preventing accidents caused by carelessness was presented by members of the Club, the doctor's part being taken by George Pierce. A poem was given by Florence Taylor.

School Has Meeting Of J. A. C. Club

The Junior American Citizens Club of Brooks Hall held its meeting on March 15. This is one of the 15 clubs in Lee County which are sponsored by the Major Gibson Family Chapter, Daughters American Revolution, the membership of the clubs totaling 435.

Badges for membership are presented by Mrs. L. F. Day, of Arlington, Va., who is chairman of J. A. C. Clubs in Virginia. She reports 82 clubs and 3,689 members in the State. One club reported the sale of $2,100 in War Bonds and Stamps.

The program, consisting of pictures, songs and stories, was under direction of Mrs. Oscar Smith, vice chairman of J. A. C. Clubs in Virginia. Officers of this Club are:

President, Irene McCurry; vice president, J. D. Wilson. secretary and song leader, Maggie Shackleford; reporter, Mary Ray; color bearer, Betty June Pace.

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TAXES . . .

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Mr. Property Owner and Mr. Taxpayer of Lee County: You will, of course, say you do

But you have help that you probably never thought of. The Virginia A B C Board pays into the Treasury of Lee County close to One Hundred Thousand Dollars annually. That's a lot of money and a mighty big help to the taxpayers of Lee County.

The Eastern part of Virginia, where the population is greatest, is where a big part of this money comes from. Hence our Eastern Virginia neighbors help pay a lot of our taxes.

There has been some movement in our State Legislature to allocate these funds only to the counties from which this source of tax revenue is derived. Do the seven or eight thousand taxpayers in Lee County wish to shoulder this extra burden if the present system of allocation should be discontinued?

My taxes here in Lee County last year (1944) on my store and personal property were less than $40.00. In Oklahoma, where the county had no other source of income other than local taxes, I paid over $320.00 in taxes on similar business and property. That's a big difference!

FOLKS— LET'S SEE THAT THERE IS NOTHING DONE THAT WILL KILL THE GOOSE THAT LAYS THE GOLDEN EGG!

G. B. Shoun

ST. CHARLES, VIRGINIA.

News From
BENEDICT

(For week of April 5)

Rev. Clinton Green, of St. Charles, was visiting friends here last week.

Misses Maxie and Loretta Collier, of V. I. C., visited Miss Joan Johnson here last week.

Harold Collier, of the U. S. Navy, spent last week with friends here.

Oda Shackleford, of the U. S. Navy, visited here last week with his brother, Jim Shackleford, and Mrs. Shackleford.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tackett and family, of Big Stone Gap, visited friends here Sunday.

E. B. Ray, of Kentucky, spent last week-end here with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sturgill visited relatives at Monarch, Sunday.

Rev. Bascom Dickson, of Wise County, filled his regular appointment at the Freewill Baptist Church here Saturday night and Sunday.

News From
COX'S CREEK

(For week of April 5)

The Sunday School here is progressing nicely. Preaching the second Saturday night and Sunday in each month by our pastor, Rev. Mack Fisher. The children of the Sunday School enjoyed an egg hunt Easter.

Pfc. Lester Hensley is home from Fort Meade, Md., on a ten-day furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Duncan enjoyed the basketball tournament Saturday night at Pennington Gap.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Collier, Mrs. J. F. Hensley, Mrs. I. B. Shuler, and Mrs. Artie Shuler attended the Freewill Baptist Conference at Mt. Carmel Church, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Estep had as their guests Friday night Mrs. J. D. Lark and daughters, Gloria Fay and Betty Jo.

J. B. Shuler is on the sick list this week. His friends wish for him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hensley had as their guests Saturday night Misses Lucille Dotson and Jean Queen, of Kingsport, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Shuler have heard from their grandson, Albert Baker, S. 1-C., somewhere in the Pacific, for the first time in six months. He says he is fine and liking the Navy very much.

Mrs. Claude Brown and Mrs. Gerald Thomas are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Thomas, at Robbins Chapel.

Mrs. Roy Shuler and family are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Shuler on Cox's Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Judge Flanary are visiting Mrs. Jim Kennedy at Raw Hide, this week-end.

Paul Estep and family are visiting in Coeburn over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Gibson and son, Terey, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Estep.

Dewey Lark is visiting his sister, at Charleston, W. Va.

News From
CHESTNUT RIDGE

(For week of April 5)

Mrs. Laura Hart, who has been spending the winter with her sister, Miss Ida Pendleton, has returned to Gate City.

Edd Hines has been on the sick list for the past week.

Those visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bascom Russell, Sunday, were: Mr. and Mrs. Willie Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Eagle, Mrs. Susie Robbins, Ralph Robbins, Mrs. Hasque Russell and children.

Charles B. Robbins, of Ellicott City, Md., is visiting his mother and sisters, of Chestnut Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hall visited Miss Ida Pendleton, Sunday.

Miss Pauline Robbins visited friends in Harlan, Ky., Sunday.

Ernest Eagle made a flying trip over Lee County, Sunday.

Mrs. Susie Robbins has received a German rifle from her son, Pvt. Hagan G. Robbins, who is in Germany.

Houston Robbins, Omer Miles and Conn Terry were in Poor Valley egg hunting, Sunday.

News From
ROBBINS CHAPEL

(For week of April 5)

Wait and be strong, and let thine heart take courage;
Fear not the shadows lying on the way—
The light of God illumines every shadow,
The path is upward to the Perfect Day.
Wait, and in waiting listen for His leading;
Be strong; thy strength for every day is stored;
Go forth in faith, and let thine heart take courage—
There is no disappointment in the Lord.

Rev. C. R. McPherson filled his regular appointment here Sunday. He was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ely.

Funeral services for Mrs. Vina Woodward, victim of a freight train accident, were held here Saturday.

Johnny Robbins, who is attending Uncle Sam's school, is home on furlough.

Mrs. Jane Robbins was shopping in Pennington Gap, Saturday.

Truman Stewart, a bus driver for Tri-State, visited home folk here Sunday.

Mrs. Ruth Carter and children, Zan and Tony, of Calvin, visited her mother, Mrs. E. I. Stewart, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayes Parsons visited at Blackwater, Va., Sunday.

Mrs. Ralph Parsons and children visited her parents near Jonesville, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Sally, of Big Stone Gap, visited here Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Robbins.

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NOTICE
OF SPECIAL ELECTION

TO THE VOTERS OF LEE COUNTY, VIRGINIA.

Take notice that, pursuant to an order of the Circuit Court of Lee County rendered and entered on the 20th day of March, 1945, the regular election officials of Lee County will, on the 29th day of May, 1945, open the polls at the various voting places in said county and take the sense of the qualified voters of the said county on the questions:

(First) Shall the sale of beer and wine (containing more than 3.2 percent of alcohol by weight) be permitted in

(Second) Shall the sale of alcoholic beverages, other than beer and wine, be permitted in Lee County.

Given under my hand this the 3rd day of April, 1945.

CHARLES N. HAWS,
Deputy County Clerk and Deputy Clerk of Circuit Court of Lee County, Virginia.

Adv. No. 14-4t.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 3rd day of April, 1945.

Leonard Sexton .....Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Emma Sexton ..... Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce A Vinculo Matrimonii on grounds of wilful desertion. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Emma Sexton, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address is Kingsport, Tenn., it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:

D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p. q. W. L. Davidson.

Adv. No. 14-4t

PICTURE QUIZ—

PROBLEM: LOOK AT THIS PICTURE FOR 10 SECONDS THEN. SEE IF YOU CAN ANSWER THE QUESTIONS BELOW

Q. *What are these Forest Rangers doing?*
A. They are replanting land denuded by forest fires.

Q. *How many forest fires does America suffer each year?*
A. The United States has an average of 210,970 forest and woods fires every year.

Q. *Is the burned area extensive?*
A. It is almost unbelievable. Each year forest and woods fires burn over 31,000,000 acres—more acres than there are in the whole of New York State!

Q. *What causes forest fires?*
A. 10 percent of all forest and woods fires are the result of lightning. *90 percent are man-caused!*

Q. *What can be done about forest and woods fires?*
A. Little can be done about the 10 percent resulting from lightning. *But the other 90 percent, caused by carelessness on the part of average American citizens, can and must be prevented.*

Good Americans—perhaps you, your neighbors, your friends—are the guilty ones. Of course, you don't *intend* to start fires that kill little trees—tomorrow's timber—as well as big ones. But that's no excuse. So please be more careful than ever. Read the rules on this page. Ask your friends to read them—to learn them by heart—to follow them in all forest and woodland areas.

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This 7th War Loan doesn't really get started until next month. But *you* can get started now. Like the 26 million patriotic Americans on the Payroll Savings Plan, you can start putting an *extra* part of your pay check—over and above your regular bond purchases—into War Bonds right now.

Then, when that 7th War Loan starts, you'll have a big part of your share of extra Bonds *already bought and paid for.*

The reason your quota is so big this time is simple.

1st, whether we're fighting Germans and Japs, or Japs alone, there'll be no easing up in this fight till every last enemy is on his knees—or dead.

2nd, to save time and work, there will be fewer War Loans this year. Only 2 instead of 3. That means we must tackle a bigger loan both times.

So don't give that quota a chance to buffalo you. Start licking it *right now.* Sock away an extra slice of your pay into War Bonds this week and every week till your quota's licked.

It's a tough customer to beat. But not one millionth as tough as the opponents some of your friends and relatives are facing over their bayonets.

And every punch at *your* opponent helps lick theirs, too.

Start swinging!

FIND YOUR QUOTA . . . AND MAKE IT!

IF YOUR AVERAGE WAGE PER MONTH IS:	YOUR PERSONAL WAR BOND QUOTA IS: (Cash Value)	MATURITY VALUE OF 7TH WAR LOAN BONDS BOUGHT
$250	$187.50	$250
225-250	150.00	200
210-225	131.25	175
200-210	112.50	150
180-200	93.75	125
140-180	75.00	100
100-140	37.50	50
Under $100	18.75	25

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Pennington Gap, Va.

C. & O. AUTO SALES
Pennington Gap, Va.

PENNINGTON MILLING COMPANY
Pennington Gap, Va.

ST. CHARLES GROCERY & FEED CO.
St. Charles, Va.

BLUE DIAMOND COAL COMPANY
Bonny Blue, Va. Leona Mines, Va.

CHARLIE HYDEN'S STORE
Woodway, Va.

FLETCHER DRY CLEANERS
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ST. CHARLES FUNERAL HOME
St. Charles, Va.

B. C. CULBERTSON HDW. & FURN. CO.
St. Charles, Va.

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St. Charles, Va.
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St. Charles, Va.

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Big Stone Gap, Va.

EWING LIVESTOCK CO., Inc.
Ewing, Va.

LEE BANK & TRUST COMPANY
St. Charles, Va.

GRADEEL & ROWLETTE
Rose Hill, Va.

POWELL VALLEY NATIONAL BANK
Jonesville, Va.

RICHMOND HARDWARE
Jonesville, Va.

RED ROCK BEVERAGE COMPANY
Appalachia, Va.

L. C. MARTIN, MERCHANT
Stone Creek, Va.

Social and Personal

Nurses Service

Miss Loretta Williams, graduate nurse of Fort Sanders Hospital at Knoxville, has enlisted in the Army Nurses' Corps, and left Tuesday for Staunton, Va., for indoctrination.

Nurses Visit

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Blair had as their week-end guests Cadet Nurses Mae Blair and Mary Nipper, from St. Mary's Hospital, Knoxville, Tenn. They will graduate June 16th.

Given Party

Miss Carolyn Cox entertained with a party last Saturday evening, April 7th. The guests were: Misses Marjorie Orr, Doris Jean Jones, Suzanne Gibson, Mary Katherine Graham, Peggy Steele, Hall Rose Horton, Bobbie Jean Cooper; Messrs. Billy Smallwood, Don Stallard, Bobby Beeler, J. G. Harber, Fred Hilton, Bobby Billings, and Bobby Tipton.

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Safe Landing

Mrs. Clark May, formerly Miss Pauline Bailey, has received word that her husband, Pfc. Clark May, has landed safely somewhere in France. Pfc. May was clerk of Selective Service Board No. 2 before entering Army service.

Mrs. Cassie Enix, formerly of this place, who has been visiting friends here and in Harlan, Ky., has gone to Detroit, Mich., to accept a position in a defense plant.

Mrs. George A. Steele and daughter, Peggy, of Rogersville, Tenn., spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. T. Clarence Cox and family.

Prof. Long, representing Milligan College, was here last week and gave an interesting talk for the students of Pennington High School.

Family Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Edds, who live south of Jonesville, on Highway 58, celebrated Easter Sunday with a family gathering, dinner and egg hunt at their home.

All the children were present except Staff Sgt. Thomas Edds, who is stationed at Major Airfield, near Greenville, Texas, and his wife, who is living in Greenville. The others are: Mrs. Coy Garrison and little daughter, Sandra, of East Stone Gap; Mr. and Mrs. James Edds and nine-months-old Elizabeth Ann, Harlan, Ky.; and Misses Jenell and Ruby Edds, who are at home, and who had no small part in preparing the dinner.

Other guests were: Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Creech, Hazard, Ky., and Miss Sharron Schrock, of Loyall, Ky. Everyone joined in the egg hunt on the lawn after dinner. The prize for the one finding the most eggs was won by Elizabeth Ann, assisted, of course by her mother.

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A Family Gathering

Mrs. D. S. Reasor, of Route 2, Pennington Gap, enjoyed an all-day gathering Sunday of her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren. They included: Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Reasor, of East Stone Gap; Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Cox, Big Stone Gap; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Leonard and daughter, of Stonega; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Crowley and daughter, of Osaka; Mr. and Mrs. Rhea Reasor and family, of Big Stone Gap; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reasor and family, of Pennington Gap; Mrs. Jack Reasor and daughter, of Pennington Gap; Mrs. Lula Reasor, Dryden; and Mrs. Walter Arnold, Pennington Gap.

Misses Jewell Blanton and Ruth Statzer, of Big Stone Gap, spent last week-end with Ruth's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Statzer, of Ocoonita.

Mrs. Emma Williams has been advised that her son, Pvt. Jack Williams, was slightly wounded in Germany, March 23. He has been overseas only a few weeks.

Mrs. Lee Royster and two children are here from North Carolina with her mother, Mrs. Lillie Bays.

Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Lockhart spent last week-end here with Mrs. Lockhart's sister, Mrs. Ella Howard, and family. They were enroute to their home at Honaker, Va., after spending the winter in St. Petersburg, Fla.

Mrs. Goodwin Holmes and two children, of Arlington, Va., are here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Gibson.

Eddie, the little son of Rev. and Mrs. Hugh E. Boyd, of St. Charles, who has been ill in Lee General Hospital, is much improved and able to be returned to his home.

Leffler G. Herndon, of Honaker, is spending a few days here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Herndon, and family. Mr. Herndon is a former member of Pennington High School faculty.

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Pfc. King Wounded

Mr. and Mrs. Jasper H. King, Pennington Gap, Route 1, have received word that their son, Pfc. Kyle E. King, was wounded in action in Germany on March 5, 1945. He asks his mother not to worry about his, as he is getting along all right, and convalescing in an overseas hospital. He entered service July 18, 1944.

The Kings have another son, Sgt. Charles L. King, in service. He entered service in August, 1940, and is now stationed in Northern Italy. He came home on furlough last September.

Wounded

Jack Reasor, son of Mrs. D. S. Reasor, who was wounded in Germany on February 16th, has been brought back to the States and is now in a hospital at Asheville, N. C. He writes his wife that he is getting along fine and thinks he will get to come home for a 30-day furlough.

Out-of-town relatives attending the funeral of Amos J. Moore last week are: Mrs. Florence Stapleton and family, of Derby, Va.; Mrs. G. J. Archer and daughters, Jetta, of Beckley, W. Va., and Jean, of Washington, D. C.; Mr. and Mrs. Willard Moore, Derby, Va.; Mrs. Arlie Boggs, Derby; Mrs. Hugh Howe, St. Charles; Mr. and Mrs. Holly Pannell, St. Charles; Joyce Moore, Alice Moore and Mary Belle Moore, Oak Ridge, Tenn.; Enoch Moore, from Eastern Virginia; and Mrs. Evelyn Bingham, Oak Ridge, Tenn.

Mrs. Frank White, Margaret Adams and Emma Lou Smith, of Harrogate, Tenn., and Mrs. Louise Walker, of Knoxville, visited Mrs. Josephine McNiel and daughters, Virginia and Mary, Sunday.

Staff Sgt. Billy Carroll is here from England to spend a 21-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Carroll. At the termination of his furlough he will report to a rest center in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Wheeler and daughter, Wanda, visited friends and relatives at Oak Ridge, Tenn., this week.

Mrs. Jack Stacy, Jr., and Mrs. Tom Tiller were in Harlan, Ky., shopping Wednesday.

Hiram Orr and son, Orbin Orr, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., visited friends here last week-end.

Jenelle Anne Howard returned to Dayton, Ohio, Monday after a two weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Howard.

Phyllis Burns, Detroit, Mich., is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Burns.

Mrs. Alice Turner and Minnie Kilbourne were in Harlan, Ky., Wednesday.

Pvt. Ralph Turner is at home on furlough with his family. Pvt. Turner was a member of Pennington Grade School faculty before entering the service. He has been stationed at Fort Knox, Ky.

Leonard Lambert, of L.M.U., spent last week-end with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Brannon, of Woodway.

Jenelle Irvin and Mollie Napier were guests of Mrs. Jake Howard, Tuesday night.

Joseph Dowling, of L. M. U., was the week-end guest of Leonard Lambert.

Hope Wheeler, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., spent last week-end with her parents.

Hamburger Fry

Jenelle Howard entertained some friends with a hamburger fry at her home Friday night. Those present were: Charles Sally, Kenneth David, Jewel Lucas, Bob McCullough, Kenny Goins, Jim Myers, Weegie Rogers, and Joseph Dowling.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Howard visited Mr. and Mrs. Homer Neal, at Evarts, Ky., last Sunday.

TOWN TALK

(Continued from page one)

the marriage of Miss Ellen Moore to Sam Henry Duff, at the home of Col. John A. Moore, May, 23, 1877.

Professional Cards:

"Legislature, Lee S. Fulkerson; Lower House Legislature, John Reasor."

"G. C. McGinnis, Surgeon, Dentist."

"Hagan & Pridemore, Attorneys at Law."

"Morrison & Duncan, Attorneys at Law."

"Ayers & Orr, Attorneys at Law."

Ads: "Carriage Factory — John N. Cridlin, Jonesville."

"M. D. Richmond, Wholesale and Retail Merchandise."

Editorial comments: "The price of whiskey is increasing so rapidly that only the rich and proud can afford bread in the home."

"An old subscriber informs us that since his daughter has discarded the old-fashioned bustle, his subscription is no longer in arrears."

"Rose Hill High School: Rev. S. H. Campbell, Principal: Music, piano, $20.00 per session; vocal music, free; Board, including lights, fuel, etc., $1.75 per week; rates of tuition, $1.00-$1.50 per month."

Next week we shall print the program of commencement exercises, Seminary.

1826

Going further back, Mrs. Hargraves has a copy of "The Norfolk-Portsmouth Herald" published in April, 1826. This small, four-page publication was printed on white book paper and has held its own against time fairly well. It contains but little straight copy, but is chuck full of advertisements. Among them are the following:

"Just arrived: Eighty barrels of fine Baltimore whiskey. John R. Triplett, Mar. 24."

"Molasses and Rum: Landing on the McIntosh Warf, seven puncheons of fine flavored rum, eighteen barrels fine retailing molasses." (A "puncheon" is equal to 84 liquid gallons.)

"Havana Coffee: 150 bags of green coffee."

"Ice Cellar: I have opened my ice cellar, and persons entering as customers for the season will be supplied at a fixed price during the same. — Alexander Galt."

"$50.00 reward for runaway slave: On Jan. 27, from the subscriber, living near Lexington, Ky., a negro man about 24 years old; 5 ft. 6 or 7 inches tall; chumpy and well set; has youthful appearance for one his age; has a light complexion, being almost a mulatto; was bought in Norfolk in 1814 from a Mr. Williams, and was told that his mother belonged to a Mr. Williams. I will give $50.00 reward for securing him in any jail in the U. S. so that I can get him, and all reasonable charges in addition thereto, if delivered to me in Lexington.—John Steele."

The paper contains a pretty little poem entitled "A Solution to the Enigma", but we haven't space for all its contents, especially as we want to mention the fact that Marguerite Hargraves has preserved a copy of the Cincinnati Post, dated November 12, 1918, which gives in glaring headlines full details of the closing of World War I.

A streamer across the paper heralds thees words: "Glory to God in the Highest, Peace On Earth, Good Will to Men".

Goes South

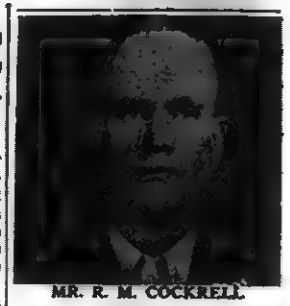
O. E. Willis, finding it difficult to cope with the chilling blasts of dogwood winter, packed his grip and early last Saturday morning set out for the sunny clime of Florida. Mr. Willis says his plans include a week-end visit with the Rev. O. H. Troy and family at Chattanooga; on to Florida, where he will join his wife and little daughter for a two weeks' vacation, all three returning by way of Nashville, where they will stop for a brief visit.

C. C. Fugate's house is looking spic and span with a new coat of white paint.

Mrs. Elizabeth Noel has left her apartment at the hotel and returned to her home for the summer. Her daughter, Mrs. Golden Caldwell, will return from Kentucky to be with her mother.

Able To Eat Again Farmer Thanks Retonga

Headaches And Sluggish Elimination Also Promptly Relieved. Feels Fine Now.



MR. R. M. COCKRELL

"Of all the medicines I ever used Retonga comes first," declares Mr. R. M. Cockrell, well known farmer of Route 1, Elm City, N. C. Mr. Cockrell is one of the best known farmers in his section. Discussing Retonga he gratefully stated:

"My appetite was so poor that many times I would eat only a few mouthsful for a meal. Even then my food semed to rest as heavy as a wedge in my stomach. I had regular old sick headaches that were hard to relieve, and I couldn't begin to say the amount of laxatives I have had to use. I slept so poorly that I dreaded to see night come for I knew I would get up feeling so tired and draggy I could hardly pull myself into my clothes.

"Retonga gave me prompt and full relief. I relish hearty meals without discomfort. I haven't had one of those sick headaches in weeks; and the constipation has been relieved too. I feel like a different person. Retonga deserves everything good I can say about it."

Retonga is intended to relieve distress due to Vitamin B-1 deficiency, constipation, insufficient flow of digestive juices in the stomach, and loss of appetite. Accept no substitute. Retonga may be obtained at PENNINGTON PHARMACY.—Adv.

GET YOUR RETONGA AT PENNINGTON PHARMACY, Inc. Pennington Gap, Virginia

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LEE Theatre

PENNINGTON GAP, VIRGINIA

Matinees Monday, Wednesday and Thursday, 2:00 p m. Continuous From 12:00 On Saturday.

Monday and Tuesday, April 16 - 17

SINCE YOU WENT AWAY

—with—

CLAUDETTE COLBERT — JENNIFER JONES
JOSEPH COTTON — SHIRLEY TEMPLE
MONTY WOOLLEY — LIONEL BARRYMORE — ROBERT WALKER

Wed., April 18—BARGAIN DAY—14c and 20c

TAKE IT BIG

—with—

Jack HALEY - Arline JUDGE - Harriet HILLIARD

Thursday and Friday, April 19 - 20
DOUBLE FEATURE

Sunday Dinner For A Soldier

—with—

ANN BAXTER — JOHN HODIAK — CHARLES WINNINGER - CHILL WILLS - BOBBY DRISCOLL

—also—

FIGHTING LADY

—starring—

LT. ROBERT TAYLOR

Saturday, April 21 — DOUBLE FEATURE

SPOOK TOWN

—with—

DAVE "TEX" O'BRIEN — JIM NEWILL
GUY WILKERSON — MADY LAWRENCE

—also—

THREE LITTLE SISTERS

—with—

June WITHERS - Dale EVANS - Ruth TERRY

KEITHLEY THEATRE

JONESVILLE, VIRGINIA

Monday and Tuesday, April 16 - 17

NORTHERN PURSUIT

—starring—

ERROL FLYNN — JULIE BISHOP
HELMUT DANTINE

Friday and Saturday, April 20 - 21
DOUBLE FEATURE

FUZZY SETTLES DOWN

—starring—

BUSTER CRABBE — AL ST. JOHN
PATTI McCARTY

—also—

JACARE

—with—

JAMES M. DONALDSON — FRANK BUCK

What You Should Know About

PENICILLIN

Now that penicillin is being made available in drug stores, you should be familiar with these requirements and precautions:

1. Penicillin must be maintained under refrigeration at a temperature below 10 degrees C—50 degrees F.
2. It can be sold only on prescription.
3. It can be used "only under the direct supervision of a physician."
4. It is available, for the present, only for parenteral injection. Oral products will come later.
5. Penicillin vials now being released bear an expiration date of one year. They must be dispensed within that time.

SERVICE FIRST

Penicillin Is Now Available At

Lee Drug Company

"friend of the family"

Phone 85 Pennington Gap, Va.

THE POWELL VALLEY NEWS

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TOWN TALK

About This, That, And The Other

"When I quit this mortal shore, and mosey 'round this earth no more, don't weep, don't sigh, don't sob; I may have found a better job.

"Don't go and buy a large bouquet for which you'll find it hard to pay; don't mope around and feel all blue — I may be better off than you.

"Don't tell the folks I was a saint, or any old thing that I ain't; if you have jam like that to spread, please hand it out before I'm dead.

"If you have roses, bless your soul, just pin one in my buttonhole while I'm alive and well—today. Don't wait until I've gone away."

A Backward Glance

The "Lee County Sentinel, published at Jonesville, Lee County, and dated April 26, 1877, gives the commencement exercises of "Seminary", at that time a juinor college and the best institution of learning in the county, located in the Cove section. Seminary is now a grade school:

"M. M. Wells delivered an address before the school.

"Music by Miss Emma Walthall.

"Latin salutatory—J. S. Walthall. Subject: 'Qui Non Proficit, Deficit'.

" Contest in oratery by class of young men: P. Wolf, E. Parsons, James Carter, John Edmonds, J. E. Graham, F. R. Horton, M. P. Reasor, C. Orr, G. A. Eversole, A. Hampton. Prize awarded to G. A. Eversole, on his declamation; 'Progress of Science'.

"A [illegible]

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MOVIE SCENES SHIFT TO LEE HIGH SCHOOLS

The Lee County educational movie being filmed of high schools, coal mines, oil wells, farms, cattle, scenic beauty, etc., by Virgil Q. Wacks, shifted into the high schools this week.

A considerable time was spent at Keokee High School, shooting the student body, state champion girls' basketball team, including many interesting close-up shots of the noted stars, and many other interesting shots. Some very interesting shots of the small "Gene Autrys" and "Senoritas" of the grammar grades who like rope jumping and who did a good job of it were included, as well as some fancy shots of the glamorous high school boys and girls.

At Jonesville and St. Charles High Schools, considerable film footage was used on the senior classes and the St. Charles basketball teams, including the champion boys' team. Considerably more will be taken of these schools next week during a visit to all other schools of the county, which will be included in the picture.

Pfc. Paul E. Gilley Is Reported Missing

Pfc. Paul E. Gilley, son of Mrs. Perdie Gilley, of Pennington Gap, has been missing in action since March 12, 1945, according to a telegram from the War Department to his mother, received last Friday.

Pfc. Gilley has been in service nearly three years, and at the time reported missing was in the Philippines.

Boots Richards was at home last week-end from Pruden, Ky., where she has been teaching.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Weather Bureau report for the week ending April 15, 1945, for Lee County, furnished by Cam J. Lewis, official observer.

Date	Temperature		Rainfall
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
9	73	34	.00
10	77	38	.00
11	82	41	.00
12	82	45	.00
13	85	48	.00
14	79	49	.00
15	78	50	.00

H. L. Hartley Died At Lee Hospital Yesterday

Lee County Merchant Dies Following Long Illness; Burial Friday

Houston L. Hartley died at Lee General Hospital, on Wednesday morning, April 18. He had been in ill health for several months and was taken seriously ill Sunday. He would have been 68 years old the 3rd day of June.

Mr. Hartley had followed the mercantile business for many years, and prior to his coming to Pennington Gap a little more than two years ago, he owned and operated a store at Ben Hur. He was a member of the Baptist Church and of the Odd Fellows.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Julia Hartley; three daughters, Mrs. Etta Farmer, Ben Hur; Mrs. Ruby Matlock, Baltimore; and Miss Virgie Hartley, at home; five sons, Claude, of Baltimore; Hudson, of Baltimore; Allan, of Bristol, Tenn.; Glenn and Guy of Ben Hur.

He is also survied by seventeen grandchildren; one brother, Rufus, of Eidson, Tenn.; and a stepson, Sgt. Evan Templeton, Fort Lewis, Washington.

Brief services will be held at the home Friday afternoon at one o'clock, conducted by the pastors of the town, after which the body will be taken to Ben Hur, where funeral services will be conducted in the church, by Revs. Presley, Green and Lawson. Burial will be in the cemetery at Ocoonita.

Active pallbearers: R. E. Beeler, Jr., Paul Sneed, Robert David, Claude Pennington, Roy Rogers, Fred Orr, Claude Benfield, R. C. Parsons. Honorary [illegible] will be selected from friends.

Revival Closed Sunday Night; Record Crowds

The revival campaign begun Monday night, April 2, in the Pennington Methodist Church by the Rev. George J. Creswell, of Knoxville, Tenn., came to a close Sunday night.

During the last week of the revival, the services were held in the First Baptist Church, this being larger and more adequate to take care of the overflowing crowds that attended the meetings. The congregation Sunday night was estimated at around 700, a record attendance for our town.

The Baptist and Methodist ministers worked together in harmony during this meeting, and, as stated in our last week's issue, much lasting good was accomplished.

The revival held at Union Christian Church on Route 2, by State Evangelist Rev. Arthur Burton, also came to a close Sunday night, and the meeting held at Admant by Rev. Roscoe Douglas, of Harlan, closed.

Kenny David and Jimmy Joe Bright were in Harlan, Monday.

IN FIELD ARTILLERY

PFC. JAMES E. WILCOX

Pfc. James Everette Wilcox, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wilcox, of Pennington Gap, is serving with the Field Artilley of the Ninth Army, in Germany.

He enlisted in service March 2, 1944; took basic training at Fort Bragg, N. C., and went overseas in December, 1944. He attended Pennington High School and prior to his entering service was employed by the Esso Filling Station.

SERVING OVERSEAS

CPL. CHARLIE POE

Cpl. Charlie Poe, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Poe, St. Charles, enlisted in the U. S. Army on April 5, 1943, and has been in overseas service since July 11, 1944.

He has been in Germany for the last 22 weeks, and has also seen action in France, Belgium and Holland. He is in the Ninth Army and 37th Corps. On Christmas Day his battery shot down one German plane, and on New Year's Day they shot down six.

He has a brother, Pvt. Clyde Poe, in the Army, stationed at Camp Blanding, Fla., and another brother, Earl Poe, who has received a medical discharge from the U. S. Navy.

Council Of Churches Calls Day of Prayer

To Ministers and Churches of Virginia.

Dear Fellow Servants of Christ:

The hopes and fears of mankind wait upon the outcome of the United Nations Conference in San Francisco, Calif., which is to convene April 25th.

The official heads of 34 national church bodies have called for the observance of Sunday, April 22nd, as a Day of Prayer for the successful issue of this San Francisco Conference. The ideals of Protestants, Catholics and Jews, as expressed in their joint appeal in "The Pattern For Peace" enforces this appeal.

Accordingly, on behalf of the Virginia Council of Churches, we invite you, and every church in Virginia, to recognise Sunday, April 22 as a Day of Prayer in which we may humbly and penitently confess our sins; pray that God's Holy Spirit may guide the deliberations of the San Francisco Conference in wisdom and justice; that victorious nations may prove themselves worthy to be the guardians of freedom; that the foundations of lasting peace may be laid in faith and accord; and that the Kingdom of God may be advanced.

Let us pray that the mind of Christ guiding the thoughts of men may accomplish more than we can ask or think and that so the hurt of the world may be speedily healed.

In His Name we make our appeal.

Sincerely yours,

Ernest Trice Thompson, President
Henry Lee Robison, Jr. Executive Secretary.

L. P. League Organized

The Lonesome Pine League managers and promoters met in session at The Powell Valley News office in Pennington Gap, today, completing preliminary arrangements to put the loop in order again.

Managers present were Ted "King Tut" Stapleton, who led the St. Charles Miners to the title last year; Wheeler Flenor, who entered a club from Pennington Gap; Jake Pennington, who re-admitted Keokee; and "Red" Russell, who assured the return of a combination team from Flatwood and Jonesville, who will play on the Jonesville grounds.

A berth was held open for Oreton, or the Oreton club of Wise County, who may enter under another name. A sixth club is now needed to even up the number, and which is expected to join at the next meeting date, which is set for Thursday, April 26, at which time forfeits will be posted and final arrangements will be completed.

A BLACKWATER SOLDIER AND HIS FAMILY

PVT. LEWIS B. ROBERTS

Mrs. Roberts and Daughter

Pictured above are Pvt. Lewis B. Roberts, wife and daughter. Pvt. Roberts, whose home is at Blackwater, Va., is a former employee of the Blue Diamond Coal Company at Bonny Blue. He is now taking his basic training at Camp Blanding, Fla.

Virginia Cancer Foundation to Open 1945 Drive

The Virginia Cancer Foundation, of which Mrs. C. B. Fry is local chairman, is cooperating this year with the American Cancer Society in expanding its educational work; in planning a long-term research program; and in working toward better facilities for the hopeless cancer patients. These organizations will conduct their campaign May 1 to May 15.

The American Cancer Society has set the national goal for the 1945 campaign at $5,000,000. The Virginia Cancer Foundation's quota of this amount is $80,000. In raising this amount they will be able to carry on the work in Virginia that they have been doing, as well as to participate in a broader and more ambitious program than has ever before been involved in the study of cancer.

The quota for Lee County is $752.00. This is .94% of the $80,000, and is the minimum goal for this unit. Many local units last year went far over their goals. If they keep this high standard in 1945, and attain the goals assigned, the campaign will go "over the top". The helpers in this unit are:

Pennington Gap, Mrs. M. H. Robbins, Mrs. Cowles Kelly; St. Charles, Mrs. L. B. Hagy; Flatwood, Mrs. E. S. Suttle; Rose Hill, Mrs. C. L. Grabeel; Ewing, Mrs. T. M. King; Jonesville, Mrs. George Cridlin; Bonny Blue, Mrs. E. T. Barker; Dryden, Mrs. Robert S. Orr.

First Christian Church

Sunday, April 22: Bible School at 10:00 a. m., F. M. Smalley, Supt. Worship with communion at 10:45. Sermon subject: "Jesus, the Marvelous Man". Text: "And all men did marvel."

Mrs. S. G. Hill and Mrs. F. M. Smalley will present for the first time a newly trained Junior Choir for special music.

Christian Endeavors will meet at 6:30 p. m., Mrs. Ruth Keith, Supt.

Senior Choir rehearsal Wednesday at 6:30 p. m. Mid-week prayer and praise service at 7:00. May we come to worship and leave better enabled to serve our Lord.

W. B. Moore, Minister.

Methodist Church

Sunday morning, April 22nd: Church School at 9:30, Clyde M. Kirk, Supt. Preaching at 10:45. Sermon theme: "Keeping On". Reception of membership, Special music.

Evening: Young People's Groups meet at 6:30. Preaching at 7:30. Sermon topic: "Others". Baptismal service in the First Baptist Church following close of service at both churches.

Tuesday evening at 7:30, a fellowship reception for new adult members of the church. Plans are being worked out for the young people's and children's reception to be given later.

Mid-week prayer service at 7:30 Wednesday evening.

Charlie D. Mahaffey, Pastor.

QUILTERS WANTED

Mrs. W. R. Fletcher, production chairman, local Red Cross Chapter, has two quilts she would like to have quilted for the organization. Anyone willing to do the job please contact Mrs. Fletcher.

CHEST X-RAY CLINIC

The State Department of Health, cooperating with the Lee County Medical Society, will hold on X-ray clinic in Pennington Gap on the following dates:

April 30 - May 2, 9:00 a. m. to 4:00 p. m.; May 3 - 4, 9:00 a. m. to noon.

This clinic will be held in the Sunday School rooms of the Methodist Church. Patients taking pneumothroax treatment are requested to come in Wednesday morning before going to the hospital for treatment.

Dr. J. A. M. Thompson is clinician. Miss Eva Pugh, field tuberculosis nurse in charge, is in Jonesville now making appointments and visiting patients in the county.

All members of the medical society are invited to visit this clinic at their convenience.

Citizens Urged To Vote in Tuesday's Election

It is the patriotic duty of all qualified voters in Lee County to go to the polls Tuesday, April 24, and cast their ballot for delegate to the Constitutional Convention, representing Lee and Scott counties, the Convention to be held in Richmond, April 30.

Although there is only one announced candidate for delegate to this convention, the voters owe it to the servicemen and women scattered all over the world to show their interest in giving them the right to vote in local and state elections, thus upholding the democratic principles for which they are making such great sacrifices.

Hon. T. B. Fugate, president of the Peoples' Bank of Ewing, is the only announced candidate for delegate to the convention, representing this Senaterial District, and the only question before the convention, by mandate of the voters of Virginia and opinion by the Virginia Supreme Court of Appeals, will be the removal of the constitutional requirements for men and women in the armed forces to register and pay poll tax as qualifications for voting.

Although there is only one announced candidate for delegate to the convention from this Senatorial District, it certainly will not be a very gratifying picture to some of the 3,000 men and women from Lee County serving in the armed forces unless the people here at home go to the polls and vote, thereby showing their interest in the boys and girls who are fighting and dying to preserve our democratic way of life.

SHOW YOUR INTEREST—GO TO THE POLLS APRIL 24 AND VOTE!

First Baptist Church

Sunday morning, April 22nd: Sunday School at 9:30, A. T. Burchette, Supt. Preaching at 10:45. Sermon subject: "A Greater Than Uzziah Is Dead".

Sunday night: Training Unions meet at 6:30. Preaching at 7:30. Theme. "The Test of Experience".

During the Sunday School hour the pastor is conducting a class in training of church membership for new and prospective members. Prayer services Wednesday evening.

P. R. Stubbs, Pastor.

Lane Branch Church

Lane Branch Church will observe Intermediate and Junior Day worship, Sunday, April 22. Let's have a full house and good services.

E. C. Knisely, Pastor.

7th War Loan Drive Set For May 14-June 30

OVERSEAS 18 MONTHS

PFC. WILLIE HOWARD

Pfc. Willie (Bill) Howard, husband of Nina Hedrick Howard, of Pennington Gap, Route 2, entered the Army June 10, 1943. He took his basic training at Fort McClellan, Ala., and was sent overseas December 10, 1943.

Pfc. Howard has been in New Caledonia, New Zealand, New Guinea, and is now on Luzon, where he has seen action. He writes that he has seen many beautiful places and many interesting things. He sent some Jap invasion money home.

Local Boys in Automobile Accident Sunday Night

Five Pennington Gap boys consider themselves very lucky compared with what might have been when they so narrowly escaped fatalities in an automobile wreck Sunday night, April 15.

They are: John J. Adams, Cecil Rivers, Jack Shelton, Kenneth Goins, and Gene Collins, all in their 'teen age. Adams, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Adams, suffered a broken arm and facial injuries; Rivers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Silas Rivers, has a broken collar bone, some broken ribs, and severe bruises. The others escaped unhurt.

Details of the affair, according to the investigating officer, Deputy Claude H. Benfield, are as follows: After church services Sunday night, which they all attended, Goins invited the others to go with him for a little drive in his father's Dodge coupe. They went as far as Stone Creek, then turned about for home.

As they reached the curve opposite the W. H. Creech home, just outside the town limits, Goins, who was driving, lost control of the wheel. The car swerved to the left a distance of about 40 feet, turned and steered to the right a distance of about 75 feet, crashing into a tree in Mr. Creech's yard; reared up on the back wheel, and as it fell jammed into another tree. The top of the car was smashed down to the bed, and the whole thing a total wreck, Mr. Benfield stated. He added that the car was evidently overcrowded, and the boys driving too fast.

MEN WHO PASSED APRIL PRE-INDUCTION EXAMS, BOARD No. 1

Selective Service Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va., lists the following registrants who passed the first pre-induction call for the month of April:

Stephen Wallace Hensley, Rose Hill; Arley Lake Pace, Rose Hill; Tilmon R. Clark, R 4, Jonesville; Edgar Emery Corckett, Rose Hill; Ransome Scalf, R 1, Blackwater; William Lester Edds, Rose Hill; Arthur A. Sturgill, R 1, Blackwater; James Frank Ely, R 4, Jonesville; Estie Campbell, Rose Hill; Roy Estle Hobbs, Rose Hill; Joseph Hubert Martin, Ewing; Samuel I. Pendleton, R 2, Jonesville; Clarence W. Martin, Ewing.

Call for May pre-induction for colored boy — Foice Flanary, of Ewing.

Lee Men Open Market At Big Stone Gap

Beverly Reasor and Jack Reasor, of Lee County, have opened a market on East Fifth Street opposite the bus station in Big Stone Gap, specializing in fresh fruits and vegetables and country produce.

Virginia's Overall Quota As Announced By Dr. Gaines Is $149,000,000

The Seventh War Loan Campaign will open officially May 14, and continue through June 30th, according to the chairman of the Virginia War Fiance Committee.

Dr. Francis P. Gaines, of Lexington, chairman of the committee, states that Virginians will be asked during the Seventh War Loan to invest in the largest amount of War Bonds for individuals in the history of war financing.

Dr. Gaines announces Virginia's overall quota in this loan campaign as $149,000,000 broken down as follows: E Bond quota, $63,000,000; other bonds for individuals, E bonds excluded, $40,000,000; the State's corporate quota, $46,000,000. Lee County's quota is set at $290,000.

Dr. Gaines explained that although the intense selling period of the seventh campaign will be May 14 - June 30, all bonds pur[illegible] from April 9 through July 7 will be credited to the Seventh War Loan quota. The special payroll savings drive in industrial, business and governmental operations, which has formerly been scheduled during the regular selling period of a campaign, is being conducted for the Seventh War Loan as an advance effort during April.

"Never before has Virginia had an E Bond quota or a quota of other bonds for individuals so large," Dr. Gaines said. "Consequently, quotas for the cities and counties are correspondingly larger.

"I know Virginians will respond cheerfully to this call. The State has risen magnificently to the challenge of every other War Loan. There is an abundance of money in Virginia for this investment. When the future needs of our government at this time are made known, every Virginian will respond in the traditional Virginia manner.

"Virginians are witnessing today the heroic manner in which their formerly purchased War Bonds are being used on our farflung battle fronts to subdue our enemies. Everywhere, Americans and their Allies are on the march, with forces converging on both Berlin and Tokyo. The massive amounts of materials of war, which war bond dollars have helped manufacture and ship, are hammering at the enemies relentlessly, day and night, in the inevitable push toward final victory and peace.

"The call of the Seventh is to continue to provide our Government with the money needed to finish the job, to meet the expenses of occupation, to bring our troops home, to take adequate care of the wounded, to provide mustering out pay, to keep inflation in check, and for the hundreds of other needs of a nation at war. It is also a call to Virginians to salt away their surplus cash at good interest for needed postwar purchases and for their future economic security."

Awarded Combat Badge

TECH. SGT. LETCHER BAKER

Tech. Sgt. Letcher Baker, serving with Patton's Third Army in Germany, is winner of the Infantry Combat Badge, his wife has been informed.

Sgt. Baker, who has been in service a little more than two years, is the husband of Mrs. Mary Margaret King Baker, and a nephew of Mrs. W. H. Creech, of Pennington Gap.

News From OCOONITA

Rev. Kester Greene, of Pennington Gap, filled his regular appointment here Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Inez Krick and little son, Myron, of South Carolina, who have been with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Johnson, for the past two weeks, received word that her husband, Wm. Krick, for the past five months in Army service overseas, has arrived back in the States.

Mrs. Edward Emmette and Miss Ruby Hammonds were shopping in Harlan, Saturday.

Mrs. Pearl Crouch, of South Carolina, is visiting relatives here.

Glenn Johnson and children, of Cumberland, Ky.; Mrs. T. L. Burchette and Arthur Burchette, of Pennington Gap, were visiting Caner Johnson and family here Sunday.

White Hargraves and family, of Benedict, visited Mrs. Hargraves' mother, Mrs. Julia Oaks, Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Ennes and little son, Billy, and Mrs. Frances — of Danville, Va., spent the past two weeks visiting Mrs. Ennes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Burgan.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Lundy, of Pennington Gap, visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hammonds last Thursday.

Mrs. Susie Green, of Olinger, visited her father, Jim McClaney, and Mrs. McClaney, here Friday.

Miss Faye Hammonds spent Monday night with Miss Pauline Johnson at Pennington Gap.

Pidgin English is probably spoken as a second language by more people than any other tongue, with more than 300 dialects in the Pacific islands alone.

News From BENEDICT

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Scarborough and family, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., visited afriend and relatives here last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Scarborough and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Worley Dean and family at Stone Creek, Sunday.

Kenneth Lyttle, of Bonny Blue, spent Sunday here with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brummett and family, of St. Charles, visited friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Blevins spent Sunday in Kingsport, Tenn., with Rev. S. T. Tittle.

Rev. Floyd Haun, of St. Charles, filled his regular appointment here Sunday morning and Sunday night.

News From DERBY

Rev. and Mrs. H. P. Richardson and children, Carolyn and Eddie, are visiting his parents at Narrows, Va. His brother, who has been serving overseas, is at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Roberts were visiting in Jonesville, Sunday.

Mrs. Brownlow Hodges and son, Curtis, of West Virginia, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Troy Hodges this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Meade and Margaret Bond were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Parks, of Gate City, Sunday.

Pvt. and Mrs. Fred Morris and small daughter, and Mrs. Dorothy Hicks and son, Paul, Jr., were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hagan Morris over the week-end.

Mrs. Morgan Collins and daughter, Barbara, of Bristol, and Miss Virginia Collins, of East Stone, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Milt Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Milford Burchett.

Peggy Anne Meade and Mary Jane Williams spent the week-end at Nicklesville with Ethyln Bond.

Howard Kilgore is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kilgore, before entering the service.

Billy June Broyles, of Wise, spent the week-end with Lunette Broyles and Mary Evelyn White.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayes Morris have received word that their son, James Morris, A.R.M. 1-C., has recently left California for overseas duty.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert White, of Big Stone, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ramon Ashmore, Sunday.

Sgt. Charles Carter, of Camp Pickett, and wife, of Lorine, Va., and Travis Carter, Portsmouth, Va., have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lester Fraley and other relatives here the past week.

Mrs. Isaac Lawson and Jewell were visiting in Kingsport, Tenn., over the week-end.

Mrs. Carl Gillenwater has received word that her husband, who was wounded in action, has been released from the hospital and is back on duty.

Mrs. John Larkey and daughters, Jean, Eloise, Joy, and Glena, and Mrs. Conley Bolling and sons, Doyt and Bill, all of Norton, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Milt Hall, Sunday.

Mrs. Lucian Burke and daughter, Ernestine, and Delia Stidham and Nell Moore were visiting Mrs. Charley Nicholes, Sunday.

Mrs. Isaac Lawson is spending this week in Kingsport.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Lawson and daughter, Marie, and Nina Barrowman and Mrs. Charles Barrowman and children, Virginia and Ray, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Meade and family, Sunday, it being Mr. Meade's birthday.

As distilled, brandy is colorless. Storage in wood imparts a pale brown color and addition of caramel makes all brandy the same color.

News From MILLER'S CHAPEL

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mise and children, Shirley, James and Peggy, have returned to Baltimore, Md., after spending a vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Terry and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Mise, and other relatives.

Dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Terry Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Ford Roop and children, of Route 4; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wright and children, of St. Charles; Misses Mary Jane Terry, Dayton, Ohio; and Erma Jean Terry, Virginia Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. George Carter and daughter, Leatrice, of St. Charles, and Mrs. Olin Parsons, of Stone Creek, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jess Rogers, Sunday.

Mrs. Jack Childress and Miss Cleo Quesenberry have gone to Baltimore, where they will be employed.

Seaman and Mrs. Jess Davis and sons, Douglas and Robert, of Newport News, are at home with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Williams and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Davis. Seaman Davis has received a medical discharge from the Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Johnson spent Saturday night with his sister, Mrs. Glenn Terry.

Misses Erma Jean Terry, of Virginia Beach, and Mary Jean Terry, Dayton, Ohio, are spending the week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Terry.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Clawson gave a candy stew Saturday night, honoring Pvt. Ray Hall, who will return to his post soon. Pvt. Hall was wounded while serving in France in December, and returned to the States in February. Those attending the candy making were: Mrs. Mattie Hyden and daughters, Georgia, Annelan and Ella Mae; Everette Bonman, Kack Shelton, Estellean Williams, Daner Clawson, Layman Holman, Hagan Williams, Sally Bea and Delores Johnson, Pvt. Ray Hall, and Flora Williams. All report a nice time.

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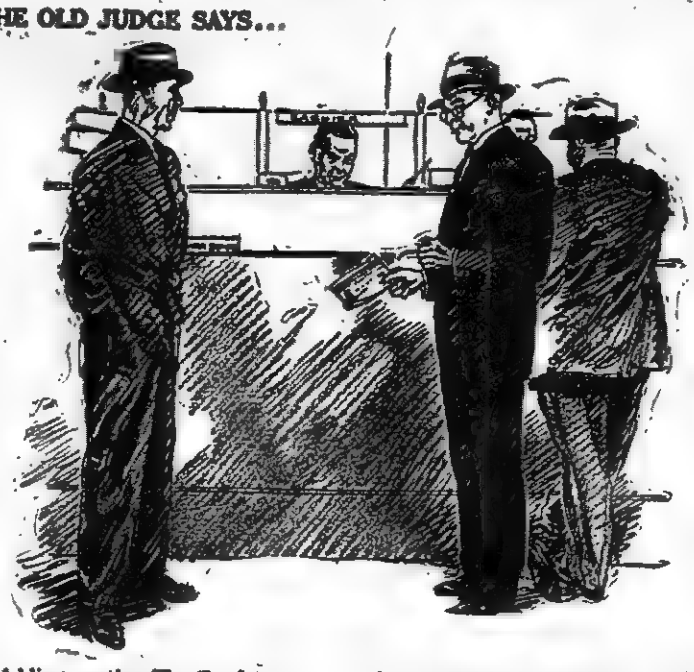

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"We've done the same in our family, too, Judge. We figure the more we buy . . . the better we equip our men . . . the quicker they'll finish their big job and come marching home again."

"That's the spirit, Josh. And let's be sure of one more thing. Let's be sure that they come back to the same kind of place they left. While they are away and can't express their opinions, let's not make any decisions on things that are going to concern them in years to come."

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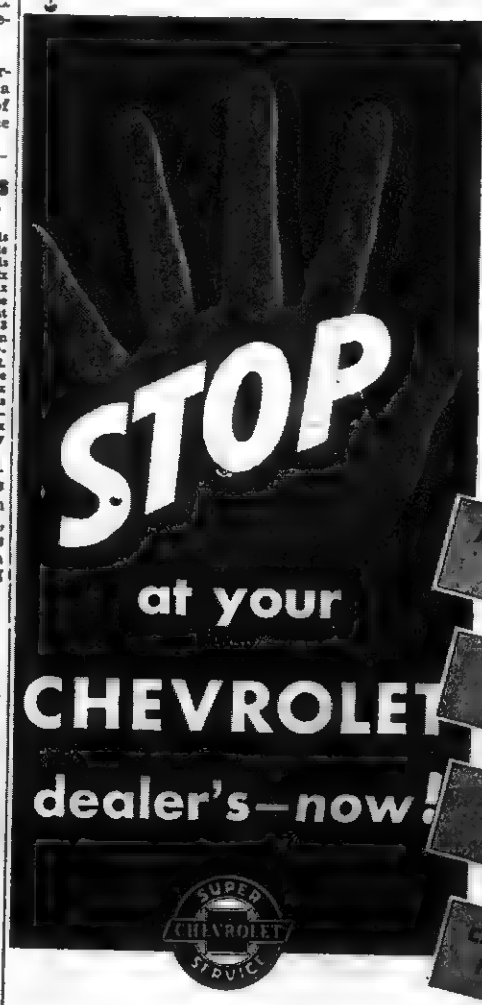

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To Whom It May Concern

By

W. I. Jones

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Growing flowers is a habit one can acquire. They add years to one's life and joy to the neighbors. Cuttings can be taken to the hospital, placed on the pulpit for the morning sermon, and given to neighbors for sickness and weddings. It makes no difference whether we live in a palace or a log cabin we can have flowers in the yard. They add to our joy and lessen our sorrow and, like the little woman at Crossville, we can have a yard that will give joy to friend and stranger drifting by.

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News From OAK HILL

(For week of April 12.)

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Bledsoe were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Bledsoe, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lambert, of Baltimore, Md., have returned home after a few days' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Lambert.

Hugh Banner has returned to his home in Houston, Texas, after having been called here on account of the death of his mother, Mrs. Mattie Banner.

Mrs. Carl Sage and family, of Stickleyville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Claude Price, Sunday.

Mrs. Charlie Fannon spent the week-end with her daughter, Mrs. Inus Stewart, of Bristol.

The children of Livingston Chapel Sunday School enjoyed an Easter egg hunt.

Miss Sylvia Newberry visited Miss Rubel Livingston, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Bledsoe were visiting Mrs. Bledsoe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lambert, Monday night.

Carlyle Fannon visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Gillenwater, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Napier were visiting Mrs. Napier's mother, Mrs. Cordia Rasnic, Sunday.

News From DERBY

(For week of April 12.)

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Lundy have returned from a visit with relatives at Mendota.

Mr. and Mrs. Milt Hall and son, Billy, made a business trip to Bristol and Johnson City, Saturday. Ethel and Virginia Collins accompanied them from East Stone, and Mrs. Morgan Collins and daughter, Barbara, of Bristol, returned with them for a visit.

Mrs. Troy Hodge has returned from a week's visit with relatives at Lebanon.

Peggy Lane spent the week-end with relatives in Gate City.

Mr. and Mrs. Vaught Farmer and Troy Hodge spent Sunday in Lebanon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. R. Lane and family spent Sunday with relatives in Kingsport and Gate City.

News From POOR VALLEY

(For week of April 12.)

Word has been received here that Vivien Slemp has been seriously wounded.

Pvt. Ed McFarland came home last week on his first furlough since induction.

Mr. and Mrs. James Handy have adopted a baby boy.

Mrs. Stella and Hazel Ely were shopping in Pennington, Saturday.

Mrs. Mae Livingston made a business trip to Pennington, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leffer Belcher and baby son were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ed Belcher at Big Hill, Sunday.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 3rd day of April, 1945.

Leonard Sexton .....Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Emma Sexton ..... Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce A Vinculo Matrimonii on grounds of wilful desertion. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Emma Sexton, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address is Kingsport, Tenn., it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:

D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p. q. W. L. Davidson.

Adv. No. 14-4t

News From DUFFIELD

(For week of April 12.)

Easter Sunday was a happy day for Mrs. Bessie Hughes and family, when she had with her, her mother, Mrs. Jane Yeary, of Big Stone Gap; two sisters, Mrs. Clyde Neff, of Loyall, Ky., and Mrs. Kermit Slemp, of Big Stone Gap. Mrs. Hughes and Mrs. Neff had not seen each other in nine years. Mrs. Hughes' husband, Pvt. Eli Hughes, is now stationed at Camp Lee, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Skeens, of Pulaski, spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. Hagan Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Anderson, of East Stone Gap, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Anderson, Sunday. Mr. Harvey Anderson has just received word that his son was killed in action in Germany.

Miss Annie Lipps is on the sick list at this writing.

Mrs. Hagan Hughes spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. Charlie Wilson, Kingsport, Tenn.

Pvt. Walter Allen Hughes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hagan Hughes, is now stationed at Little Rock, Ark. Before entering service he was employed at the Tennessee Eastman plant at Kingsport.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Smith and small sons, Ralph Lee and Carl, of Greenfield, Ind., have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Smith.

Miss Jean Skeens, of Pulaski, has been visiting Miss Betty Hughes.

Mrs. Ruth Smith and small sons, Michael and Jimmy, and Mrs. Beatrice Hughes and children visited friends in Kingsport, Tenn., Friday.

Mrs. Cecil Smith has received word that her husband, Pvt. George Cecil Smith, has left for overseas duty.

Mrs. Nannie Goins has received word from the War Department that her son, Pvt. Charles Edward Goins, has been killed in action.

Pvt. Edgar Meredith, stationed at New Cumberland, Pa., has just completed a few days' furlough with his family here.

Nick Harless, better known as "Uncle Nick", is able to be out again after an illness. He has been trading horses.

Pvt. James Eli Hughes is ill in the quartermaster hospital at Camp Lee, Va. His friends will be glad to know he is improving.

Mrs. Lois Sparks spent Easter with her sister, Mrs. H. L. Anderson.

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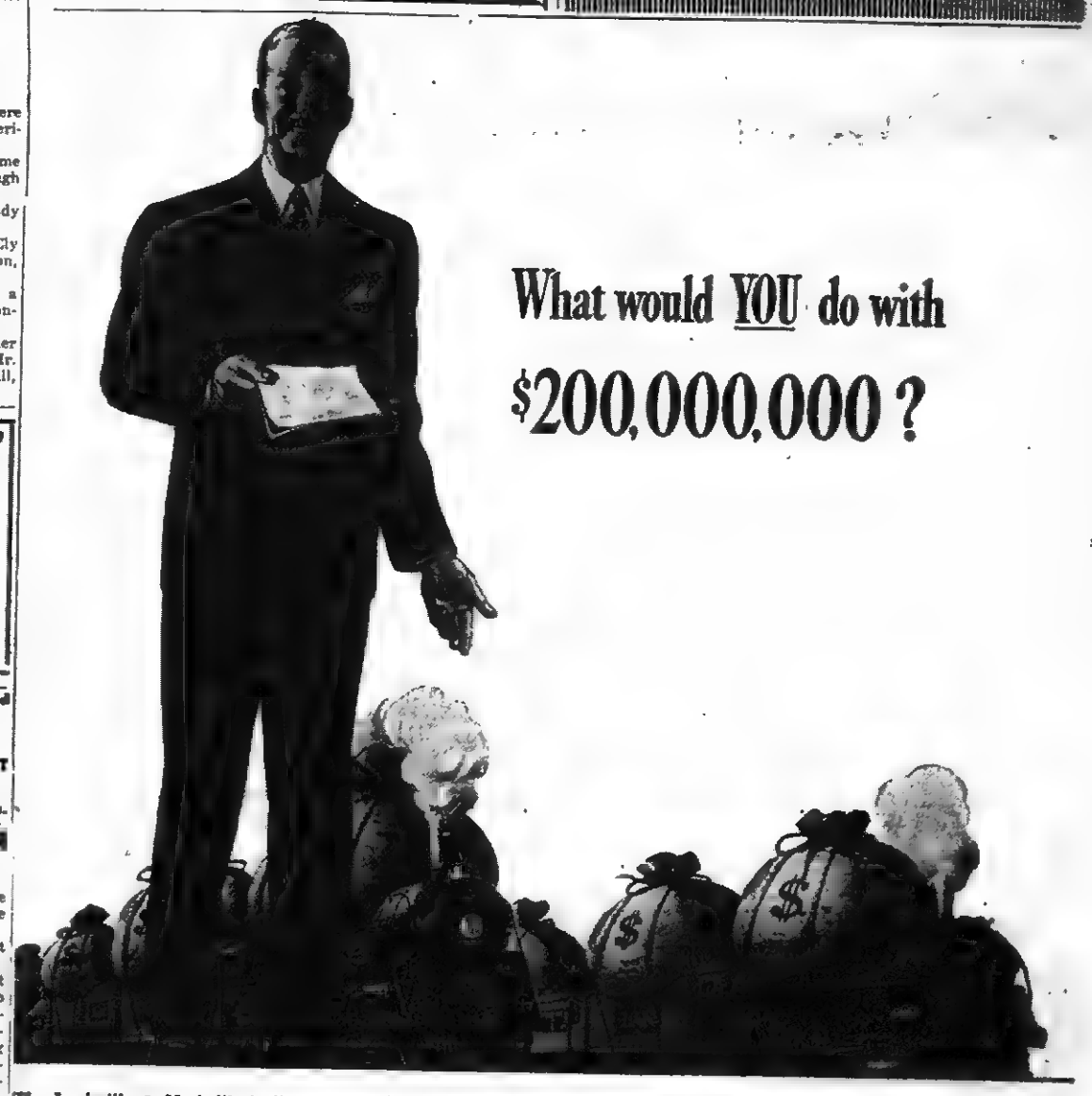

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$84,700,000 went to 34,200 employes in wages
$63,700,000 to the public in taxes
$23,100,000 to industry for materials
$12,300,000 for depreciation and amortization
$10,700,000 for locomotive fuel
$8,000,000 to bondholders for interest
$8,190,000 to stockholders for dividends

These plus certain minor charges amounted to $215,000,000, leaving a balance of $10,000,000 to apply on debt reduction, improvements to property, and for other purposes. The balance represents only 1.9% of the L&N's investment in property, amounting to nearly $540,000,000.

Thus, all interests of the South — homes, families, schools, merchants, mines, industries — benefited from L&N disbursements and service. For 95 years, The Old Reliable has had the privilege and obligation of cooperating in the South's development. When peace comes, it will improve its service and multiply its effort.

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FRANKLIN DELANO ROOSEVELT

Franklin Delano Roosevelt, great war-time President, is dead. That stark statement of fact has far greater implications than even the wisest can understand, but when we stop to consider the influence he has wielded, not only in America, but the whole world as well, we begin to realize what his leadership has meant to a war-torn world.

Beloved by the great majority of citizens, he has commanded the respect of friend and foe alike, and though those who differed with his cherished beliefs and aims have charged that he was merely an exceptionally clever and adroit politician, we believe that in the years to come the true stature of this great humanitarian will emerge in true perspective.

We, as a people, have been too close to the epochal events of his administration, and too torn by partisan political differences to truly evaluate the contribution to domestic and world progress made by this great statesman and world leader.

Franklin Delano Roosevelt, now clothed in the stern majesty of death, has entered that mysterious realm whence none return, and no more may we have the assurance born of the knowledge that his sure hand guided the ship of state through the troubled, perilous storms incident to the fanatical strife and hatred engendered by the overweening ambitions of outlaw nations to dominate the world.

It is the hope of millions that his successor in the high office of the Presidency may be guided in the critical period just ahead by the precepts and high resolves of the late President, so that, in a sense, this nation may yet be guided by his unparalleled experience with and knowledge of the issues involved and results hoped for in this world struggle between Democracy and Fascism. We believe that in so doing he will be aiding in the accomplishment of a just and enduring peace for the whole world.

Fate did not permit the late President to witness the full realization of his dream of victory and a just peace, but other hands can and must take up the torch of human liberty carried so long by him, and lift it high, that all the oppressed peoples of the world may behold the bright light of Freedom.

We offer our last and humble tribute of respect to Franklin Delano Roosevelt, and humbly petition the Eternal Father that his reward on that great Last Day be commensurate with the great contribution he has made to mankind. Hail and farewell.

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Wednesday and Thursday, April 25 - 26
THE SUSPECT
—with—
CHARLES LAUGHTON — ELLA RAINS
Also Latest News
First Show Wednesday at 12:00 Noon

Friday and Saturday, April 27 - 28
SAN ANTONIA KID
—starring—
BILL ELLIOTT
Also "BEAUHUNKS" and Serial
First Show Friday at 12:00, Continuous. First Show Saturday 11:00, Continuous through 12:00

TOWN TALK

(Continued from page 1)

girls: Josie Edmonds, Jane Slemp, Sallie Barron, Florence Reese, Josie E. Banks. Prize awarded to Florence Reese.

Second class of boys in declamation: Chadwell Slemp, Rob Barron, James Barron, Howard Bruce, Addie Hyatt, W. Banks, George Edmonds, Sammie Walthall, James Richmond, Lennie Hoge. Prize given to George Edmonds.

"First class in boys' declamation: Willie Edmonds, Eugene Hyatt, Count. Bruce, Thomas Bruce, Lawrence Hyatt, C. B. Slemp, Milton Reese. Prize given to Lawrence Hyatt.

"Second class of young ladies' composition: Misses E. Hoge, M. Walthall, M. Jones, K. Edmonds, V. Barron, E. Slemp, R. Richmond, B. Cawood, M. Parsons."

First Degree Optimism

This one comes from A. J. "Drew" Ely, who is quite a humorist, and who lives in the Dry Branch community. According to Mr. Ely, a neighbor was lamenting in tears a few days ago about the recent frost killing all the fruit this spring. "What on earth will we do now?" she ended helplessly.

"Oh, don't worry, lady," he replied. "Get down on your knees and pray; maybe the Lord will bless you with plenty of pumpkins and sallet."

After all, the fruit situation is not so bad as first we heard, according to reports. Cam J. Lewis says we should have at least a 10 per cent crop of most fruits, and that cherries are not hurt at all. C. C. Phipps, a farmer living down in the Cedar Hill community, says there will be plenty of pears down his way, and probably some late apples. The wild strawberry crop has a good outlook, and the tame ones are not all killed, it is reported.

Pennington Pharmacy and the C. & G. Garage are pretty and shining under newly applied coats of paint.

"I shall see his toys and
his empty chair . . . . "

Doubtless these lines by Joshua Robinson are a fixed sentiment in American homes today, for soldiers are just little boys grown big enough and brave enough to fight for us.

In a home I visited recently the hostess was showing me over rooms in her pretty home, displaying the heirlooms, keepsakes and all those little details that give the "homey" touch.

Then she took me to a little room down the hallway upstairs. "That's what Joseph used to call his den," she said, "and I never change anything in it. I want him to find it just as he left it when he comes back."

In it were his school books, some funny papers, story books, some "big little books" they used to sell at the 5 and 10c store; a toy airplane taken apart; a chemical set, radio work tools, and—oh, ever so many things.

Won't it be fine when all our young folk who are away will be coming home again?

The Lions Club has made a valuable donation to our town in the waste paper containers placed here and there. No excuse now for unsightly waste paper or rubbish lying about exposed to view.

This is just another of the many civic contributions to our town by the Pennington Lions Club.

Engines, Tractors, Boilers Saw Mills, Wood Worging and Road Building Machinery, Well Drilling Machines, Gasoline Engines, Etc. R. P. Johnson, Wytheville, Va.

Resolutions of Respect

WHEREAS, it hath pleased Almighty God to remove from our midst our friend and member of the Board of Directors of Powell Valley Electric Cooperative, H. L. Snodgrass;

Be It Resolved: First, that we humbly submit to His Divine Will, with the remembrance that we, too, who are left behind will soon be called to pass off this stage of action and take our places with those who have passed on into the unknown realm;

Second, That we will always remember our friend and officer as a man of courage, at all times unreservedly devoted to duty, and liked and admired by his many friends and associates;

Third, That while Mr. Snodgrass has been removed from our midst and his place in the home is vacated, we feel that the influence of his life among those with whom he came in contact, from day to day, will not soon be forgotten; and while we deeply mourn the passing of our friend and associate, we wish to share this sorrow by hereby extending our heartfelt sympathy to his surviving widow and the other members of his family.

W. L. Davidson
C. M. Collins
S. A. Yeary
R. W. Payne
Davis L. McNiel.

NOTICE
OF SPECIAL ELECTION

TO THE VOTERS OF LEE COUNTY, VIRGINIA:

Take notice that, pursuant to an order of the Circuit Court of Lee County rendered and entered on the 20th day of March, 1945, the regular election officials of Lee County will, on the 29th day of May, 1945, open the polls at the various voting places in said county and take the sense of the qualified voters of the said county on the questions:

(First) Shall the sale of beer and wine (containing more than 3.2 percent of alcohol by weight) be permitted in Lee County.

(Second) Shall the sale of alcoholic beverages, other than beer and wine, be permitted in Lee County.

Given under my hand this the 3rd day of April, 1945.

CHARLES N. HAWS,
Deputy County Clerk and Deputy Clerk of Circuit Court of Lee County, Virginia.

Adv. No. 14-4t.

News From ST. CHARLES

(For week of April 12).

The W.S.C.S. of St. Charles Methodist Church met Saturday night at the parsonage. Mrs. Niel Davis led the devotions. The Society has found tithing to be very successful — eight members were present, and the collection of dues and tithes amounted to $35.00. Those present were: Mesdames J. M. Burse, J. R. Evans, Elbert Mullins, C. R. McPherson, Tom Baker, Niel Davis, Carl and Curtis Evans, and Patricia Davis. Mrs. McPherson was hostess.

Mrs. Elbert Mullins and Mrs. E. E. Gilliam visited Mrs. Bradley Mullins at Lee General Hospital, Saturday.

Guy Gilliam, of the U. S. Army, has returned to camp after a visit with his parents.

Sue Gibson was the week-end guest of Barbara Mullins.

Mrs. Earl Murphy and children wer visiting friends here Saturday. Mrs. Murphy now resides at Big Stone Gap.

Mrs. Will Shanks remains ill at her home here.

Mrs. M. R. Kirk, of this place, is a patient at Lee General Hospital.

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For Progress Of Lee Co.

SURE! — We know there's a war on. A lot of our best friends right out of St. Charles are in it — so we are not apt to forget.

But we don't use that phrase to brush off our friends when we can't get what they want. There are lots of shortages, but let's not complain. After all, we are still free — and not in a prison camp.

Our customers are our friends, and we will do our best to supply you with what you want and need. If we can't get it in one place, we will try another!

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Growers Association Explains Wool Marketing

All wool marketed by producers in 1945 will be concentrated through secondary handlers, dealers, or pools. It will then be shipped to primary handlers for the account of the Commodity Credit Corporation, which is the sole purchasing agent for the United States Government.

Because of additional expense in handling untied wool, the Commodity Credit Corporation has ruled that each fleece must be tied separately with paper fleece twine or the producer will suffer a loss of two cents per pound. However, if tied with sisal or binder twine the discount will be ten cents per pound.

Wool from dead sheep; also black, burry, cotted, fleece grown or seedy wools are claimed as rejections and will be discounted. All such off grades should be bagged separately from clear medium and clear fine wool. Heavy tags must be removed at shearing time. However, many good shepherds remove the tags a few days before the actual shearing. If these rules laid down by the Commodity Credit Corporation are followed, the grower will receive the ceiling value for his wool as graded and appraised by the Government appraisers.

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News From
JONESVILLE

Route Four
(For week of April 12)

Misses Maude and Nora Kinzer were absent from their school duties during the past week, due to the illness of their mother, Mrs. Sallie Kinzer.

Mrs. Mollie Burke is much improved, having been quite ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Mattie Gilbert, and Mr. Gilbert, at Woodway.

Paul Cecil Levisay, who is now employed in Dayton, Ohio, spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dock Levisay.

Little Misses Wilma Roberts and Lillie Edens have been visiting relatives in Kentucky and St. Charles for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Parsons and twin babies, of Woodway, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Byington recently.

Paul Roop, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cephus Roop, left Tuesday, April 3, to enter the Army. Mr. and Mrs. Roop now have three sons in the service, and a fourth has been medically discharged.

Roy Roop, son of Frank Roop, has been called into U. S. military service.

Mr. Baxter Bowling has sold his farm and all his property here since having moved to Big Stone Gap. He has gone into the grocery business at that place.

We have just received news of the death of Mrs. Sallie Kinzer at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon.

Mrs. Bob Gibson and daughter, Martha, of Pennington Gap, was visiting her daughter, Mrs. Walter Jordon, and baby, last week.

Some paintings by the French impressionist Picasso, are signed Pablo Ryuiz, the painter's real name. Picasso was his mother's maiden name.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

Andrew Russell Carter

Andrew Russell Carter, of St. Charles, died at his home April 16, after an illness of several weeks. He was 73 years of age.

Mr. Carter was a carpenter by trade, and was a member of the Missionary Baptist Church at Admant. Funeral services were conducted at the home April 17, at 2:00 p. m., by Rev. Clinton Green. Burial was in Maness Cemetery at St. Charles.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Anna Carter, of St. Charles; four daughters, Mrs. John Wallen, of Pennington Gap, Route 1; Mrs. Clifford Wallen, Peach Creek, W. Va.; Mrs. Maxie Smith and Miss Juanita Carter, St. Charles; four sons, Leslie and Claude, of St. Charles; Pearl, with the U. S. Army in Germany; and Bradley, of Bonny Blue. Four brothers, Charles Maness, St. Charles; John Carter, Elizabethton, Tenn.; Jim Carter, St. Charles; Frank Carter, of New Mexico; and one sister, Mrs. Acey Stapleton, of Stone Creek, also survive.

Joseph T. Hounshell

Joseph T. Hounshell, 64, of Jonesville, died at Middlesboro Hospital, Middlesboro, Ky., on March 24, following an illness of one month.

Funeral services were conducted at Jonesville Baptist Church by the Revs. Moore and Jackson. Hymns were sung by the Waddell quartette, and active pallbearers were: Guy Walton, C. C. Williams, Kyle Edwards, G. C. Warner, Frank Ingle, and Ora Edwards.

Mr. Hounshell is survived by his wife, Mrs. Rebecca Hounshell; five daughters, Mrs. Mossie Lawson, Converse, S. C.; Mrs. Josie McConnell, Ora Covey and Ada Hounshell, of Jonesville; and Mrs. Ruth Noe, Kingsport, Tenn.; three sons, Orlie C. Hounshell, Rochester, Ind.; O. D. and J. B. Hounshell of the U. S. Navy. Eighteen grandchildren and three great-grandchildren also survive.

Mrs. Sally Kinzer

Mrs. Sally Kinzer died at her home near Jonesville, April 9. She had been in declining health for three years, and became seriously ill a week before her death. She was the widow of the late J. C. Kinzer. Mrs. Kinzer was a life-long member of the Methodist Church.

Funeral services were held on Wednesday afternoon, April 11, conducted by Rev. L. D. Perkins, of Jonesville, and Rev. Looney, of Norton. Grandchildren and friends served as pallbearers and flower girls.

The following children survive: Mrs. Elizabeth Kiser, York, Pa.; Mrs. Minnie Flanary, Dryden; Mrsfl Carrie White, Richlands, Va.; Mrs. Mary Minton, Kingsport, Tenn.; Mrs. Maxie Holbrook, Coeburn; Harry Kinzer, Knoxville, Tenn.; Mrs. Gertrude Keel; and Nora, Maud and Bruce Kinzer, of Jonesville.

News From
HAGAN

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blankenship and Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Ely and son, of Yorktown, Va., are visiting relatives and friends here.

Leonard, Maurice and Virginia Blankenship, Loyall, Ky., were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Andy Ingle and family the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ely and family and Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Ely and son visited Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Carey, in Knoxville, Tenn., Sunday.

Mrs. Hiram Fee, who is employed at Oak Ridge, Tenn., spent the week-end here with her family.

Mrs. Charlie Pierce and family, of Yancy, Ky., were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Steve Langley, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cellie Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Barney Blankenship spent Sunday at Loyall, Ky., visiting with Mrs. Lizzie Blankenship.

Steve Langley visited relatives in Kentucky last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Barker and family, of Beech Springs, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lake Irvin, Sunday.

News From
DRYDEN

Route One

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Sexton and sons, Charles and David, of Osaka, visited here Sunday with Ballard Olinger and family. They have two other sons, Bactyl, in the Navy, and James, working in Dayton, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jordon announce the birth of a daughter, Brenda Sue, on April 4th. Mrs. Jordon was formerly Miss Ada Gibson, of Pennington Gap. Mother and baby are reported getting along well.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Riddle and family were shopping in Norton, Va., Saturday, and buying their 1945 car tags.

Pfc. Charles Riddle, who has been stationed in Burma, has been moved to India. He writes that he likes it there and is getting along fine.

Cpl. Frank Gulley, of Dryden, now stationed in Italy, writes that he is getting along fine and hopes to be home soon.

Mrs. Ruby Asbury Gilbert, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., visited her mother, Mrs. Killy Asbury, and son, Dan, last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Riddle and family, of Stonega, spent last week-end with his mother, Mrs. Martha Riddle.

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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

The Cuppers Have a Dream Come True

Dee and Jane Cuppers used to say that as soon as the children had flown the roost, they were going off together on a second honeymoon... take a trip... or rent an apartment in the city.

So after little Sue got married, I stopped in to say goodbye. Dee was sitting in his favorite chair before the fire, sipping a mellow glass of beer. And Jane was busy with her knitting, just as always. They looked about as restless as the tabby cat on the hearth.

"Jane and I figured," Dee explained, "that you couldn't beat being at home alone together, with our own things—talking and reading—enjoying my glass of beer, and Jane her buttermilk—living and letting live. I guess you can't beat home!"

From where I sit, Dee's had a better dream come true—the dream of peace and tolerance and understanding that we all are fighting for, and praying for today.

Joe Marsh

KEITHLEY THEATRE
JONESVILLE, VIRGINIA

Monday and Tuesday, April 23 - 24
DUKE OF WEST POINT

Friday and Saturday, April 27 - 28
DOUBLE FEATURE
THE LARAMIE TRAIL
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BOB LIVINGSTON — SMILEY BURNETTE
LINDA BRENT
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HI DIDDLE DIDDLE
with
MARTHA SCOTT — ADOLPHE MENJOU — EDWARD EVERETT HORTON - DENNIS O'KEEFE

IMPORTANT . . . .

ALL LEE COUNTY CITIZENS OF VOTING AGE
Are Urged
To Pay Their Poll Taxes On Or Before May 1, 1945, To Be Eligible To Vote In The Coming WET AND DRY ELECTION.

REV. CHARLIE D. MEHAFFEY, Chairman, Dry Forces.
REV. P. R. STUBBS, Vice Chairman.

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Monday and Tuesday, April 23 - 24
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Wed., April 25—BARGAIN DAY—14c and 20c
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with
ROBERT TAYLOR — SUSAN PETERS
Also Chapter No. 3, Serial
"NAUGHTY NARBOR"

Thursday and Friday, April 26 - 27
MR. SKEFFINGTON
with
BETTE DAVIS — CLAUDE RAINS — RICHARD WARING — WALTER ABEL

Saturday, April 28—DOUBLE FEATURE
SAN FERNANDO VALLEY
with
ROY ROGERS — DALE EVANS
also
PORT OF 40 THIEVES
with
STEPHANIE BACHELOR — RICHARD POWERS
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A TRIBUTE
TO THE GREAT BENEFACTOR

Mere words seem so futile in an effort of expressing the loss of our great and beloved President, Mr. Franklin D. Roosevelt.

Never since Abraham Lincoln earned for himself the title of The Great Emancipator has any President been so endeared in the hearts of the American people.

No President of the United States has ever shouldered as great a burden as the late Mr. Roosevelt, and in his death the common people have lost a treasure never to be forgotten.

And we can only feel that Mr. Roosevelt was a martyr for freedom and justice. No greater love hath no man than to lay down his life for his friends. He called us his friends.

Regardless of victories on battle fronts, on the sea or at conferences, we have lost—a loss so great that words seem meaningless. A great soldier has given his all, the supreme sacrifice. A whole life devoted to the service of his country, and fellow man; and when we compare the life's work of a truly great man like Mr. Roosevelt with our own, our efforts seem so pitifully small.

In his passing we have lost the greatest friend and benefactor of the common people in the history of the United States, and we, the people, should do our utmost to carry on and perpetuate the great example of unity he has set, to keed the good things he has given the common people, AND THE FREEDOM that HE, like thousands of other fine soldiers, have died for.

Truly he was the Great Benefactor, and a martyr for Freedom and justice.

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News From
ROBBINS CHAPEL

Rev. C. R. McPherson filled his regular appointment here Sunday. Rev. Frank Smith, of Knoxville, was guest speaker.

Mrs. Jane Robbins visited on Dry Branch, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Martin and daughters, of Pennington Gap, visited relatives here over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ely, of Dry Branch, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ely.

Mrs. Clint Carter a patient in Norton Clinic, is reported improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Stewart and Eva Parsons visited Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Pennington, of Woodway, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayes Smith, of Stone Creek, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Smith.

Joe Robbins had the misfortune of having his house and most of the contents destroyed by fire one day last week.

Claude Livingstone is very ill at this writing.

Mrs. Truman Setwart was the guest of Mrs. Palmer Holmes, Sunday.

Rising Sun 9080

The Greatest Living Son Of Lyon Artist No. 1925

Rising Sun 9080 is by Lyon Artist No. 1925 by Erin Artist 150 by Artist 75. Dam Mary Ann 15147; by Starlight Chief 2930; by Burbon King 1788; by Burbon Chief 976. Second Dam, Lady Dixie, 3383; by Happy Cross 435; by Artist 75. Third Dam, May Bird by Shenandoah 1567; by Kirby's Mont Eagle 1522. Fourth Dam, Nancy Hanks by General Wilkes.

Rising Sun is a deep bay stallion, 15.3, weighing 1,050. He is claimed to be one of the greatest living sons of Lyon Artist. He has ability to do and can do; is very fast on the rack and trot with worlds of action. He has a good neck; the best of withers, and the power to transmit his good qualities and wonderful conformation to his offspring. This horse was bred and raised in Kentucky by Mr. Vernon Underwood, who now has several of his colts ready for the shows. Both show and using horses are fast coming back to their own. Why not breed to the best and raise your own saddle horse. Give this horse a chance with good mares and you are bound to profit by doing so as some of his colts have recently sold for $3,500.00. Visiting mares can be cared for by the day or week at the W. W. Jessee Farm, Dryden, Virginia.

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Help Woody Prevent Fires

...and help yourself, too!

Lookouts, posted in high towers, keep watch over much of our forest land.

But the best they can do is to spot a fire *after* it has started. They know that that first wisp of smoke may be a conflagration within minutes.

But a far better way to protect our forests is to *prevent fires* before they start. Most of them can be prevented, because carelessness causes most of them. Be sure your cigarette or match is *out* before you throw it away.

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News From
ROLLER'S CHAPEL

Pvt. Carter Pridemore, stationed in Pennsylvania, visited his parents here last week.

Mrs. Stella Hyatt, daughter-in-law, Mrs. Bernice Hyatt, and granddaughter, Susan Hyatt, of Yellow Springs, Colo., are visiting relatives and friends here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rhea Ringley, of Maryland, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bud Carroll.

Barney Swrod, of Lynch, Ky., spent the week-end here with his father, Nathan Sword.

Arthur Sword, Mrs. Flora Blankin and children, June and Juanita, and Miss Irene Bargo attended a meeting at Surgoinsville, Tenn., Thursday night, conducted by Rev. J. Harold Smith, of Knoxville.

Mrs. Lois Sword is visiting her mother - in - law, Mrs. Myrtle Sword.

Msis Elizabeth Sword visited her father, Nathan Sword, here Sunday.

News From
DRY BRANCH

By: Edith Astrop

Ralph Cox, F. 2-C., has returned to Great Lakes, Ill., after spending a few days with relatives here.

Word has been received here that Cpl. Billy Astrop has landed safely in New Orleans, La. He has been in Brazil, South America, for several months.

Herman Shufflebarger is able to be out again after recently undergoing an appendectomy at Lee General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Chilton Edens spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Charley Hyden, of Woodway.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Ely, Mrs. Georgia Edens, Mr. Henry Astrop, Mrs. Vernelle Edens, and Mr. and Mrs. Holley Astrop attended funeral services for Howard Belcher, on Big Hill, Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Edith Taylor was visiting Mrs. Wm. Oakley, Wednesday.

Mrs. Mary Parsons, Mrs. Georgia Edens were shopping in Pennington, Wednesday.

Mrs. J. B. Cox, of Dryden, is having her porch remodeled. Messrs. Ray Davis and Harry Shufflebarger are doing the carpenter work.

Misses Blanche and Ruby Hyden, of Woodway, were visiting friends and relatives on Dry Branch, Thursday night.

Howard Grace has returned to his post after spending a few days' furlough with his wife, the former Miss Arcee Peters.

News From
STONE CREEK

Miss Effie Smith spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Quentin Thompson, near Pine Grove.

Mrs. Gladys Thompson and son, Robert Lee, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith.

S. 2-C. Taylor Smith has recently spent a ten-day furlough with his wife and parents at this place.

Robert Wells, of St. Charles, was the guest of Miss Effie Smith here Sunday.

Pvt. Carroll Hammonds visited Miss Eileen Harber, Sunday.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:
In the Clerk's Office of Lee County, in vacation, the 12th day of April, 1945.

William L. Yeary....Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Pauline Blair Yeary ...Defendant

The object of the above styled suit is to obtain a divorce on behalf of Wililam L. Yeary, complainant, from Pauline Blair Yeary, defendant, on ground of adultery committed by the defendant, without the procurement or connivance of the complainant and within five years from the commencement of this suit.

And it appearing by affidavit filed according to law that Pauline Blair Yeary, the above named defendant, is not a resident of the State of Virginia, it is therefore ordered that the said Pauline Blair Yeary do appear within ten days after due publication of this order in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of said County and do what is necessary to protect her interests. And it is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a newspaper published in Lee County, Virginia. And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, on or before the next succeeding rule day, and that another copy hereof be mailed to the defendant at the Post Office address given in the affidavit.

Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
Robt. B. Ely, p. q.
Adv. No. 16-4t

News From
POOR VALLEY

Word has been received here that Pvt. George Parsons is being sent back to the States. Pvt. Parsons has been in Belgium and England in a hospital for the past few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Gibson, Misses Alice and Juanita McFarland were shopping in Jonesville, Tuesday. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter McFarland in Ben Hur.

Mrs. Stella and Hazel Ely were shopping in Pennington, Tuesday.

Jessie McFarland, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McFarland, has been promoted to sergeant and is now somewhere in France.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Gibson and Misses Allie and Juanita McFarland and Mr. and Mrs. Millard Gibson attended the funeral of Mr. Jim Burdine, at Big Stone Gap, April 4th. Mr. Burdine was the brother of Mrs. Molly Gibson and had lived in Bluefield, W. Va., before his death.

Cpl. Loran Parsons is spending a few days with home folks, and relatives. Cpl. Parsons has been stationed at Elgin Field, Ill., for several months.

Pfc. Josh Crabtree, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crabtree, of near Dryden, is now somewhere in Germany.

Mrs. Ellen Johnson has returned home after spending several weeks in Baltimore.

NOTICE

Please take notice that I will, on the 1st day of May, 1945, make application to the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board at Richmond, Virginia, for a license to sell beer and wine for on and off premises consumption, at my place of business located in the Roller Building, Pennington Gap, Virginia.

This April 16, 1945.
VIRGINIAN CAFE,
By: Fred Welch, Owner.
Adv. No. 16-1t.

News From
HUNTER'S GAP

Mary Lou Russell, Co.

Jonesville Route 3

Misses Gladys and Reba Watson were shopping in Middlesboro, Saturday.

J. Wesley Glass, employed at Knoxville, Tenn, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Glass, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Edwards made a business trip to Jonesville, Saturday.

Several boys from here attended the ball game at Blackwater, Sunday.

Mrs. Cleo Watson was in Pennington on business, Saturday.

Gray Seabolt visited his aunt, Mrs. R. C. Watson, over the week-end.

Mrs. Mossie Collins spent Sunday with Miss Mary Lou Russell.

John Ely and daughter, Mrs. J. W. Watson, attended the Odd Fellows service at Blackwater, Saturday night.

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THE ECONOMY STORE
Pennington Gap, Va.

LEE THEATRE
Pennington Gap, Va.

Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. John Barlow, of Annapolis, Va., spent the week-end with relatives here. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Barlow in Big Stone Gap.

Mrs. R. M. Sneed, Jr., was here last week to get her little son, Roy Milford, III. They have gone to Williamsburg, Va., to be with her husband until he goes to sea.

Mrs. Janies R. Povince, of Russellville, Ark., announces the birth of a son, named James Ray, Jr. The husband and father was recently killed in action overseas. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Province, plan to go to Arkansas to see the mother and new baby.

You really should see "Mr. Skeffington," coming to Lee Theatre, Thursday and Friday, April 26 - 27, with an all-star cast headed by Bette Davis.

Promoted

Jerry J. Harber, son of Mrs. Cornie Cottrell Harber, who lives at Rose Hill, has been promoted to corporal on the Fifth Army front in Italy. He is a gunner with the 701st Tank Destroyer Battalion of the First Armored Division.

Mrs. Lucille Legg is here from Eustis, Fla., visiting among relatives and friends. She tells us that Virginia is employed in the office of the Lake Abstract Co., at Eustis, and that Billy, who is corporal in the U. S. Army, is stationed in the Philippines.

Attend Funeral of Relative

Mrs. H. H. Creech and Mrs. Letcher Baker went to Blue Stone, W. Va., Saturday, to attend the funeral of F. J. Gentry, who was a brother-in-law of Mrs. Creech, and step-father of Mrs. Baker's husband. Mrs. Creech has returned, and Mrs. Baker will be here this week-end, accompanied by Mrs. Gentry.

Wounded

Pvt. Fred J. Constasz, nephew of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Rogers, formerly of St. Charles and now of Pennington Gap, was wounded in battle in Luxembourg on January 29, 1945, according to reports. He writes from a hospital in England that he is getting along fine. Mrs. Rogers received his Purple Heart.

Arthur Lane Livesay has received his "call to arms" and left Sunday for Philadelphia to enter the U. S. Army Air Corps. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Livesay.

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Wounded

Word has been received that Clayton Bays, serving with the U. S. Army somewhere overseas, has been wounded in action. Details have not yet been learned. He is the son of Mrs. Lillie Bays, of Pennington Gap.

Mrs. Sarah Kelly, mother of M. D. Kelly, and Mrs. Alice Middleton, of Evarts, Ky., spent a few days with the Kelly family this week.

Back In States

Warrant Officer Howard Carter, son of Mrs. Lillie Carter, has been released from overseas service by virtue of being the only surviving son, his brothers, Raymond and Julian, having died in service. Warrant Officer Carter is now back in the States, stationed at Camp Sheridan, Miss., and hopes at an early date to visit with his mother.

Mrs. S. G. Hamilton, of Knoxville, and Mrs. Hubert Baird and little daughter, Peggy Sue, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., are visiting their mother and grandmother, Mrs. J. B. Harber.

Mrs. Paul Gross, of Chicago, and Ben Julius Seymour, wife and three children, of Baltimore, are visiting this week with their mother, Mrs. Henrietta Seymour, and their sister, Mrs. C. H. Redmon, and Mr. Redmon, at St. Charles.

Those from away attending the funeral of Mrs. Sally Kinzer, at Jonesville, were: Misses Mary Sam Keel, Jean Minton and Nell Holbrook, of Radford College; Staff Sgt. Harry Van Kinzer, of Panama City, Fla.; R. L. Flanary, of Knoxville; Royce Flanary, of Kingsport; and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Brown, of Richlands.

Back Home

Mrs. Worley Hall is back home after an extended stay in Lebanon, Ind. She is accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Guy Neptune. Mrs. Hall suffered a serious illness while away, but is fully recovered and expressed her delight at being back home and well again.

In France

Mrs. Anne Smith Tilley has received word that her husband, Cpl. Clarence E. Tilley, has arrived safely in France. Mrs. Tilley is making her home with her mother, Mrs. Ida Smith, for the duration.

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C. B. Fry Back Home

C. B. Fry is back at his home here after undergoing an optical operation at Jones' Hospital in Johnson City. Mr. Fry says he's feeling fine.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Culbertson, of Woodway, had as dinner guests Sunday, Pvt. and Mrs. Ralph Turner and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Turner, Mrs. Alice Turner, Minnie T. Kilbourne, Mrs. Eliza P. Garrison, and Cornie Orr.

Miss Ruth Woliver, who for the past two years has been employed by Continental Can Co., of Baltimore, Md., as a stenographer, is at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Everette Woliver, of Route 2, Pennington Gap. Miss Woliver has received word that her fiance, Edwin Traub, serving as a paratrooper with General Patton's Third Army in France, was wounded in action in Germany, March 25.

Pvt. Ralph Turner, who has been stationed at Fort Knox, Ky., concluded a ten-day furlough with his family and left Wednesday for Fort Ord, Calif.

Carter Youell Gets Appointment

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Youell and son, Carter, Whitesburg, Ky., were in Pennington Gap, Sunday, enroute to Abingdon, where on Monday the son was to take examination for his alternate appointment to the U. S. Naval Academy at Annapolis. At present he is attending an Army school, taking training as a bombardier.

Mr. Youell was formerly superintendent at Leona Mines, and is now superintendent of the new Leatherwood Corporation.

Staff Sgt. ad Mrs. Russell Harmon have completed a 45-day visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Onkst, parents of Mrs. Harmon.

Sgt. Harmon recently returned from 33 months of combat overseas, and Mrs. Harmon came from Detroit, Mich. This was their first trip to Pennington Gap together. On April 16th they returned to camp near Atlanta, Ga., to await further orders for Sgt. Harmon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Copeland made a hurried trip to Charlottesville, Va., Saturday, April 14th, taking Mrs. Ray McDaniel, of Rose Hill. Mrs. McDaniel was admitted to the University Hospital, and Mr. McDaniel remained with her.

S. 1-C. Lena Skaggs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Skaggs, is here from Washington, D. C., for a visit with her parents and other relatives.

T. B. Fugate, of Ewing, was in Pennington Gap today, apparently recovered from his recent illness.

Pvt. and Mrs. Clyde Rhea announce the birth of a son, April 8. Pvt. Rhea has been in England since January. Mrs. Rhea is the former Carrie Napier. The baby has been named Clyde Leonard.

Miss Ruth Woliver, until recently employed in Baltimore, Md., is a patient in Lee General Hospital. She asks that her friends and former schootmates come to see her.

Pfc. Lawrence (Dixy) Dean is at home for a few days with his parents and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Barlow visited his father, George Barlow, and Mr. and Mrs. Murphy King and other relatives this week.

Virginia Tipton, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., spent last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tipton.

REGENT BRIDE

MRS. ANGUS M. DAVID

Mrs. David was formerly Miss Audrey Turner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Turner, of Bonny Blue, Va. Her marriage to Angus W. David, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. David, took place on April 2, at Harlan, Ky.

FANNON — MOORE

Miss Ruth Fannon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Fannon, of Jonesville, Va., and Cpl. William Earl Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Moore, of Piedmont, Ala., were married March 8 at the new post chapel at Parris Island, S. C. Chaplain John Samuel officiated. A program of nuptial music was given by Chaplain James D. Holt, soloist, and Cpl. Harold Conif, organist.

The altar was banked with white gladoli and fern. Candelabra held lighted tapers. The bride wore a navy dress with navy and white accessories. Her flowers were white gardenias.

Mrs. Norris E. Jordon, twin sister of the bride, was matron of honor. She wore a dress of dusty rose with white accessories and a corsage of white carnations.

Cpl. Moore's best man was Cpl. Frank Hurst, Jr., of Birmingham, Ala. Wedding guests included friends of the bridegroom who had served with him overseas. They are Sgt. Glenn Mitchel, Cpl. John S. Bradley, Jr., and Cpl. Noble D. McConville.

The couple are making their home in Beaufort, S. C.

Leonard Lambert, of L. M. U., spent last week-end with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Brannon, of Woodway. He had as his guest Jimmy Bellamy, also of L. M. U.

PARENTS OF NEW SON

Pvt. and Mrs. C. L. Irvin

Pvt. and Mrs. Clifford Irvin announce the birth of a son on March 11, at Lee General Hospital.

Pvt. Irvin is now serving with the U. S. Army somewhere in Germany. Mrs. Irvin is living with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Jones, of Pennington Gap.

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SPECIAL ELECTION
Constitutional Amendment

On April 24, a special election will be held in Virginia to elect 40 delegates to meet in Richmond on April 30th for the purpose of considering an amendment to the Constitution of Virginia, to provide that men and women in the armed forces can vote in any and all elections held in the State, or any political subdivision thereof, without the payment of a capitation tax or registering.

During the last regular session of the Legislature of Virginia, a special Act was passed to enable the men and women who are serving their country in the armed forces to vote. The Court of Appeals subsequently declared this Act unconstitutional. It then became apparent that an amendment would be required. As a step in amending the Constitution, a convention was necessary. A delegate from each of the 40 Senatorial Districts will be elected next Tuesday.

As required by law, I filed my declaration of candidacy with the Clerk in Lee and Scott Counties in the prescribed time. There not being any other person filed, I am the only candidate.

I will appreciate the voters of the district, as far as it is possible for them to do so, to go to their voting places and vote. I know that you are interested in seeing that those who are away from home serving our country have an opportunity to participate in the elections of the State without restrictions that are now imposed under State law.

Thank you for your support.

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Town Talk

About This, That, And The Other

"If good people were only better,
Would the wicked be so bad?"

We are indebted to Mrs. Hazel Hughes for two copies of the "Lee County Sun", published in Pennington Gap, one issue dated August 2, 1917, and the other dated May 23, 1918. J. Marion Smith was editor, and G. W. Horton was contributing editor.

In the August 2 issue is printed the names of 400 in the first draft to make up Lee County's quota of Army men in World War I. In the May 23 issue is a list of 91 men who were to leave the following day for camp. Many of these men have sons fighting in the war today. Which brings to our mind the eternal question, "When shall wars cease?"

"Spring hath its charms—" as well as snakes. A black rattler, having seven rattles and a button, is reported to have been killed this week in the Dry Branch section, by Rastus Derry.

One person in Pennington Gap who doesn't contact the high prices and food shortage is Mrs. Jane Pressnell. She is 76 years old and hasn't been in a store in Pennington for more than forty years, according to relatives.

J. V. Kelly, L. & N. Agent, is hustling about his job again after a few days' absence vacationing here, there and at home. Joe says he even spent a day or two in a Louisville hospital for a rest and general check-up, and that now he's really feeling fine.

Question of the day: "Who's the champion checker player?"

Our town was honored yesterday by a visit from J. T. Million, of Stickleyville. Mr. Million has already passed his 101st birthday. If he lives until October 18th, he

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Down on the Farm

AAA Committee Declares That:

Farmers of Lee County can make a definite contribution toward increasing the nation's supply of meat by raising chickens for meat during the coming weeks, according to Mr. F. K. Hyatt, chairman of the Lee County AAA Committee.

Pointing out that civilian consumption of red meat during 1945 is expected to be no more than 126 pounds per person, compared with about 147 pounds last year, Chairman Hyatt declared that one of the "quickest ways to increase the total meat supply is to increase the number of chickens raised and marketed for meat". Civilian consumption of chicken in 1944, he said, was 24 pounds per capita, but present prospects for this year are only about 20 pounds per person. One of the principal reasons for this is that military purchases now are taking practically all the broilers produced in the four major producing areas and all the canned chicken. Military requirements for this year are estimated at 670,000,000 pounds, he added.

"To encourage production of more chickens for meat, national ceiling prices on broilers, fryers and roasters will be advanced an average of 1.3 cents per pound on July 1. For producers in this county, this means an increase

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WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Weather Bureau report for the week ending April 22, 1945, for Lee County, furnished by Cam J. Lewis, official observer:

Date	Temperature		Rainfall
16	82	54	.00
17	80	54	1.30
18	61	36	.00
19	66	31	.00
20	64	39	.05
21	58	48	.30
22	76	33	.00

"THEY ALSO SERVE"

CPL. CARL B. ROBBINS, JR.

PFC. BUFORD F. ROBBINS

The two brothers pictured above are sons of Mr. and Mrs. Bethel Robbins, of Keokee, Route 1.

Cpl. Carl B. Robbins, Jr., is serving with an Ordnance Heavy Maintenance Unit in France. Before volunteering for service on April 25, 1941, he was employed at Virginia Coal & Coke Co., at Leona Mines. He has been overseas for 27 months, serving 21 months in North Africa, three months in Italy and three in France. He is now only 25 years old.

Pfc. Buford Robbins entered service December 27, 1943, and is now serving with the 135th Infantry, Red Bull Division, somewhere in Italy. Before entering service he was employed by Blue Diamond Coal Co., at Leona Mines. He has been overseas eight months.

Capt. Willoughby Freed

In the April 20 issue of the Knoxville News-Sentinel is pictured Captain Charles W. Willoughby, of Jonesville, as he received the Purple Heart from his commanding officer at Ft. Bragg, N. C.

Capt. Willoughby, a prisoner of war, was liberated by advancing Allied forces and was among a group of 70 officers and men, all liberated prisoners of war, recently arriving at Fort Bragg Reception Station No. 4 for processing and reassignment. Capt. Willoughby was wounded in November, 1944, at Sarr Union, in France, and was picked up by the Germans.

Methodist Church

Sunday morning, April 29th: Church School at 9:30, Clyde M. Kirk, Supt. Preaching at 10:45. Sermon theme: "Believing In Others."

Evening: Youth Fellowship at 6:30. Elise Rhea, leader. Preaching at 7:30. Sermon theme: "Being Interested In Others." Special music both morning and evening.

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evenig at 7:30 o'clock.

Charlie D. Mehaffey, Pastor.

IN IWO JIMA FIGHT

SGT. W. R. DAVIS

Sgt. W. R. Davis, with the Fourth Marines, has seen action in many Pacific islands, including Saipan and Iwo Jima. He says of the latter:

"The Japs surely wanted to keep this island, but the Marines wanted it, too. My luck is still with me, for I got through the Iwo Jima fight without a scratch. There is no way to know whether I'll get home before this is all over or not. Probably not."

Sgt. Davis is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Davis, Route 4, Jonesville Va. Before his enlistment in the Marine Corps, soon after the war started, he was employed by American Telephone Company in New York City. His wife, formerly Miss Betty Beirl, lives with her mother in New York City. A brother, John F. Davis, is with the Army Corps at Myrtle Beach, S. C.

A brother-in-law, Sgt. Howard Bush, was killed in Holland recently, and Warrant Officer W. G. Higginson, another brother-in-law, is with the U. S. Marines somewhere in the Pacific area.

Mass Meeting Called By Lee Republicans

A. H. Hurd, chairman, has called a Republican mass meeting to be held at Pennington High School building Saturday, April 28, at 8:00 o'clock p. m. (CWT)

The object of the meeting is to reorganize the party in the county by electing officers and members of the Executive Committee to carry on the work of the party for the ensuing year.

Everyone in the county interested in the success of the party, especially the ladies, are invited to attend this meeting.

Painting Of Christ Wanted For Lee Movie

The Lee County movie, "Lee Has Everything", now in production by Virgil Q. Wacks, is receiving wide attention and creating considerable interest throughout Lee County, which is greatly appreciated.

A large portrait painting of Christ, preferably posed with arms outstretched as though He were ascending to heaven, is now needed for use in a religious scene, to be photographed in multiple exposure for use in the production. A full explanation of how the portrait is to be used will be given after the movie is completed and tested — the setting is to be unique. If someone will loan us a picture of this kind it will be used and then returned to the owner with appreciation.

More film has been made available for the production, which will permit a wider showing of activities and industries to be included, and more activities of schools and farms, which are to be outstanding when the picture is finished.

The Associated Press flashed a long story of the making of the film and outlining its contents, to all newspaper and radio stations in the State of Virginia last Monday, with special comment upon Lee County's progress.

First Christian Church

Sunday morning, April 29th: Bible School at 10:00, F. M. Smalley, Supt. Worship with communion at 10:45. Sermon subject: "The Beginning of the Gospel of Jesus Christ."

No service at night, as this church joins the others of the district in a Fifth Sunday Youth Rally at Union Christian Church at Station Creek, beginning at 3:00 p. m., and running through the night session.

In this youth program we hope to have represented on the program the churches of Rose Hill group, Rev. H. C. Hilliard, Minister; Appalachia and Big Stone Gap, Rev. F. N. Wolfe, Minister; and St. Charles, Rev. Wm. Reese, Minister; as well as the Pennington Gap group.

A special feature of the youth program will be the unveiling of a 5 x 7 foot painting by Shelburne Stamper of Christ in the Garden, and the dedication of the Service Flag.

W. B. Moore, Pastor.

Mrs. Eliza Garrison has received word that her grandson, Paul Garrison, is now somewhere in France.

Three Injured In Truck Collision at St. Charles

A truck collision in a South Main Street intersection at St. Charles last Thursday resulted in injuries to three people. The injured included Elbert Hyatt, of Blackwater, Va., who suffered a severely lacerated tongue; his son, Billy Jack Hyatt, a student at Blackwater High School, who suffered a broken arm, and Rader Miles, who suffered several cuts. The victims were rushed to the hospital by Chief of Police Bill Fritz, who was reported to have later arrested Hyatt for drunken driving.

Virginia Motor Operators Permit Renewals Delayed

Virginia motorists who have made application for the renewal of their operator licenses and have not received their new three-year permits, can operate on their existing permit cards until the Division of Motor Vehicles is able to process some of the more than 250,000 renewal applications received since March 15th.

All State police and other enforcement officers have been notified to honor operator licenses of Virginia motorists who have made application to the Division for renewal.

In explaining this emergency order, Commissioner C. F. Joyner, Jr., said it was necessitated by a lack of manpower and other circumstances beyond the Division's control.

The Commissioner called attention to the fact that among the 250,000 applications for renewal of operator licenses there were some licenses which expired on April 6.

"The Department," said Commissioner Joyner, "is making every effort to issue these renewal permits as the first order of business, and will continue its efforts to issue the licenses well in advance of the expiration dates." Operator permits will be expiring in April, May and June, and in some instances as late as December, said the Commissioner.

The pressure of work incident to putting into effect the new Safety Responsibility Law, the new automobile registration period coming coincident with the beginning of the renewal period for three-year operator licenses and the lack of manpower have placed a tremendous burden on the Division. In view of this, the Commissioner requests the motorists not to communicate with the Division until a reasonable period has elapsed, as their renewals will be taken care of as rapidly as possible, and any premature correspondence with the Division on this subject will only bring about an extra burden on the personnel and slow up the issuance of the license cards.

Card Of Thanks

We wish to thank our many friends and relatives for their acts of love and sympathy during the recent loss of our father, E. B. Spurrier.

The Spurrier Family.

ENJOYING SPRINGTIME

PVT. JACK E. WILLIAMS

Mrs. Emma Williams, of Pennington Gap, is in receipt of a letter from her son, Pvt. Jack E. Williams, somewhere in Germany. He reports that he is feeling fine and that spring has just begun there. He states that the countryside is really beautiful.

Pvt. Williams is a graduate of Pennington High School, in the class of '43, and prior to his enlistment in the Army on October 11, 1944, was employed by the Esso Service Station, Pennington Gap.

Virginians Are Urged To Support Cancer Drive

State and local chairmen of the Cancer Control Campaign are making urgent appeals to Virginians to support the 1945 campaign of this organization, to be conducted May 1 - 15. In setting forth data concerning the Cancer Control Campaign and goals to be met, William H. Wranck, Jr., publicity director, says:

"The national goal for the 1945 Cancer Control Campaign is $5,000,000, while the goal for Virginia is $80,000. Virginia has for the last two years led the States of the Nation in the total of its gifts for the control of cancer. Virginians must, however, be more generous this year if our State is to maintain its place of national leadership.

"Funds raised in Virginia are in large measure used to pay for the treatment of indigent cancer sufferers. 309 patients were treated at our eight certificated clinics in 1944."

Eric Johnston, president of the United States Chamber of Commerce, is national chairman for this 1945 effort. For Virginia, the State chairman is Homer L. Ferguson, president of the Newport News Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Company, and a former president of the United States Chamber of Commerce.

Mrs. C. B. Fry is local chairman, and she states that Lee County has four cases this year.

T. B. Fugate Delegate To Constitutional Convention

Hon. T. B. Fugate, president of the Peoples' Bank of Ewing, was elected Tuesday as delegate from this Senatorial District to represent Lee and Scott Counties at the Constitutional Convention to be held in Richmond, Va., on April 30. Although Mr. Fugate was the only announced candidate, the voters of both Lee and Scott went to the polls in substantial numbers and cast their vote for him.

The convention will mark the end of a long process to enable Virginians in the armed forces to vote. At the 1944 regular session of the General Assembly, separate acts were passed to permit them to vote in Federal and State elections. The voting in Federal elections was legal because of the War Powers Act of Congress, but the Supreme Court of Appeals declared the War Voters Act for State elections unconstitutional.

Governor Darden called a special session of the General Assembly in December shortly after the Supreme Court decision. It passed an act calling for a referendum on a Constitutional Convention, to be held in Richmond, April 30.

Bales Family Victims Of Auto Accident Monday

The Bales family, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bales, of Pennington Gap; their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton C. Bales, of Anniston, Ala, were victims of an automobile wreck near Harlan, Ky., on Monday afternoon, April 23.

According to reports all suffered minor injuries and spent the night in a Harlan hospital. They were released the next day, with the exception of Mrs. C. C. Bales, who remained for treatment and observation due to a deep cut in the head.

Clayton, who is a serviceman, was home on furlough, and with his wife, had come to Pennington Gap to visit with his father and Mrs. Bales, and the four were going to Harlan to do some shopping, neighbors reported.

The accident was attributed to the wet and slick roads.

Card Of Thanks

We wish to express to our many friends and neighbors our profound thanks and gratitude for the many acts of kindness to us during the recent illness and death of our husband and father, H. L. Hartley. Especially to Dr. C. H. Henderson and Estes & Cecil Funeral Home; also the ones who gave the beautiful floral offerings and the use of their cars for the funeral service.

May God's infinite love rest and abide with you, is our prayer.

Mrs. Julia Hartley
and Children.

Sgt. Dan Carter, son of Mrs. Hettie Carter, of Pennington Gap, is reported back on active duty, after having been wounded April 6th.

Registrants To Report For May 1 Induction

FOUR YEARS OVERSEAS

SGT. GEORGE V. SHULER

Sgt. George V. Shuler, son of John A. Shuler, of St. Charles, has just completed a 45-day furlough at his home, resting and recuperating from his 42 months' service overseas. He will report back to his unit for duty on the E. T. O.

Sgt. Shuler received his training at Fort Belvoir, Va., and was sent to Iceland in 1941 with the first American Expeditionary Forces, before Pearl Harbor. There he served 28 months, after which he served six months in England. He also did duty in France, Belgium, Holland, and Germany.

He was wounded during the invasion of Northern Belgium and was awarded the Purple Heart and Good Conduct Medal. He is with the First Army, Fifth Engineers Combat Battalion.

Jonesville Woman's Club Has Annual Dinner

The Jonesville Woman's Club held their annual dinner on April 12, 1945, at 7:30 p. m. The food was served by the Williams Restaurant in Jonesville, with a large number of members attending.

The table was beautifully decorated with bowls of snapdragons, iris and ferns, which were contributed and arranged by Mrs. Nina Hyatt, of Jonesville, and a lovely arrangement of mixed tulips contributed by Mrs. E. S. Suttle.

The guest speaker for the evening was Miss Edith Vaughan, district home demonstration agent, V.P.I., Blacksburg, Va. "The Pledge to the Flag" was given by Mrs. Vernoy Tate, of Wise, Va. Mrs. Don Couk gave the "History of the Club", and the Installation of Officers was given by Mrs. Vernoy Tate. Mrs. Robert Bruce, Wise, Va., spoke to the club on "Why We Should Belong to the Federation". The poem "Collect" was read by Mrs. Betty Laningham, and the poem, "Which Are You", by Mrs. E. S. Suttle.

The new officers were elected March 9, at the regular meeting, and are as follows:

President, Mrs. Alyce Carter; first vice president, Mrs. Alma Cox; second vice president, Mrs. Ruth Wynn; third vice president, Mrs. Betty Laningham; secretary, Mrs. Margaret Halsey; treasurer, Mrs. Mae Davis; historian, Mrs. Thelma Couk.

The scrap paper drive will end May 1, and the paper taken away at this time. All members are urged to bring as much paper as possible by that time.

The regular meeting will be held May 10, 1945, at the Home Economics cottage in Jonesville.

Union Prayer Service

The churches of Pennington Gap united in a special prayer meeting service at the Methodist Church on Wednesday evening, in observance of the United Nations' Conference at San Francisco. All local pastors took part in the service, and Rev. Edsel Pugh, ministerial student of Lynchburg College, who is also pastor of the Christian Church at Bussett, Va., made an inspiring talk on "God, Our Nation's Hope".

Lee Choral Club sang a special number, "Prayer For Peace", and Miss Boots Richards sang "The World Is Confused But Not Lost."

Local Board No. 2 Has Notified All Selectees Chosen To Fill Call

Selective Service Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, Va., lists the following registrants who have passed pre-induction examination and who will fill the May 3 induction call:

Louie Vaney, Savage, Md.; Houston Lee Baldwin, Jonesville; Samuel Henry Miles, Bonny Blue; Curtis Wynn, Appalachia; James Lawson Baldwin, Newport, Ky.; Charles Alfred Currier, Leinarts, Tenn.; Leonard Edwards, Rhoda; Walter Homer Christian, Keokee; Dexter Talmadge Flannery, Conaddale, Ohio; John Monroe Hosmer, Baltimore, Md.; Henry Barnett, Route 1, Pennington Gap; Arnold Lee Bishop, Portsmouth, Va.; Sam William Davis, Pennington Gap; Bishop Daugherty, Dawson, Tenn.

Hollis Mayo Hill, Johns, Ala.; Newell Nickles Sturgill, Oak Ridge, Tenn.; Curtis Harold Freeman, Emlyn, Ky.; Gerald Howard Coffman, Richmond, Ind.; James Gray Williams, Route 2, Pennington Gap; John Milford McClain, Pennington Gap; Clyde Samuel Redwine, Route 1, St. Charles; Hobart Sutton, Lonesome Mines; Eugene Townsend, Keokee; Raymond Sutton, Pennington Gap; Kenneth Carter Gaines, Pennington Gap; Harvey Bird Bergan, Jr., St. Charles; John Walter Gilbert, Dryden; Glen Stewart, St. Charles.

Meeting Of Fish And Game Protective Assn.

The Lee County Fish and Game Protective Association will hold a meeting at Pennington High School on Friday night, May 4, at 7:30 o'clock, for the purpose of renewing the objectives of this Association, which has been inactive for the past five years.

Both new and old members are urged to attend and to help reorganize, revive and strengthen this protective association.

First Baptist Church

Sunday morning, April 29th: Sunday School at 9:30, A. T. Burchette, Supt. Preaching at 10:45. Sermon theme: "A Man's Shadow."

Evening: Training Union meet at 6:30. Reception of new members and baptismal service at 7:30 o'clock.

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening.

P. R. Stubbs, Pastor.

Mrs. C. H. Slemp and Mrs. T. J. Daugherty, of Deep Springs were breakfasting at Green's Cafe this morning, having been to Lee General Hospital to visit with Mrs. Slemp's sister and Mrs. Daugherty's husband, both patients in the hospital.

WINS AIR MEDAL

SGT CHARLES L. BOATRIGHT

Sgt. Charles Lee Boatright, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Boatright, Jonesville, Va., has been awarded the Air Medal for good work in combat over Germany.

Charles enlisted in the Air Force January 3, 1944, and was called to camp March 3, on his eighteenth birthday. He reached England January 3, 1945, and was assigned to the Eighth Air Force, 381 Bomb. Group. He is a tail gunner on a B-17 Flying Fortress.

With Our Service Men

Advanced

Edmond M. "Neil" Osbourne, of Pennington Gap, has been advanced to the rating of fireman first class aboard a destroyer escort of the Pacific fleet.

Osbourne is a son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Osbourne, of Pennington Gap, and the husband of Mrs. Elsie Saylor Osbourne. They hame one child, Edmond M., Jr., age three.

Graduated

Staff Sgt. James E. Stewart son of Mr. and Mrs. William B. Stewart, Keokee, Va., was graduated recently from the Army Air Forces Central Instructors School at Laredo Air Field, at Laredo, Texas, a member of the AAF Training Command. He is now fully qualified to become an instructor at one of the nation's several aerial gunnery schools.

Awarded Cluster

M. Sgt. James R. Marcum was recently awarded the Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star Medal, for meritorious service. He is the son of Mrs. Corda Marcum, of Ewing.

Pfc. Junior W. Fee

Pfc. Fee, of Jonesville, is serving with the Sixth Army Group, Germany, whose job it is to remove the newly subdued Nazi soldiers from front-line collecting points to Corps interrogation pens, thence to base section cages. The motto of this Sixth Army Group regarding the Nazi is: "Search them thoroughly for an item that might serve as a weapon; treat them with complete indifference; trust them not at all."

Wins Infantryman's Badge

The Combat Infantryman's Badge has been awarded to Pfc. Calvin Parsons, son of Haven Parsons, of Route 1, Pennington Gap, for gallant performance of duty in ground combat against the enemy. He is fighting with the "Black Panther" Division.

Cpl. Samuel P. Livesay

Cpl. Livesay, who is the son of Mrs. Susue Livesay, of Jonesville, Route 4, is serving with the Eighth Armored Division of the U. S. armed forces in Europe. His job in the Army is gun commander.

Wins Bronze Star

Staff Sgt. Ralph W. Stewart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stewart, of Bonny Blue, was recently awarded the Bronze Star for meritorious achievement in the North African campaign.

Pfc. Henry Ealy

Pfc. Ealy was recently given the Purple Heart for wounds received in the battle of Zig Zag Pass on Luzon. In addition, he also holds the Combat Infantryman Badge and the Asiatic-Pacific and Philippines Liberation ribbons with two campaign stars.

Pvt. Omar Dean

Pvt. Dean was recently awarded the Purple Heart for wounds received in action on the Fifth Army front in Italy. He is the son of Mrs. Laurinda Dean, of Pennington Gap.

Pfc. Dewey Fletcher

Pfc. Fletcher, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Fletcher, of Ben Hur, has been awarded the Good Conduct Medal for exemplary behavior, efficiency and fidelity. He is a parachute repairman with an air service squadron of the Fifteenth Air Force Service Command in Italy.

T. Sgt. Jackson Reasor

Sgt. Reasor was awarded the Combat Infantryman's Badge on June 6, 1944, while serving with the 385th Infantry Regiment in Belgium and Germany. He is now a patient in Moore General Hospital, Swannanoa, N. C. Sgt. Reasor is the son of Mrs. D. S. Reasor, Pennington Gap, Route 2. His wife was formerly Miss Hope Arnold.

Pfc. Roy E. Hammons

Pfc. Hammons, husband of Mrs. Lucille Hammons, of Calvin, Va., is now confined to Valley Forge General Hospital, at Phoenixville, Pa. He was wounded by shrapnel March 2, 1945, in Luxembourg, while serving as a rifleman in an infantry division, and was awarded the Purple Heart.

Pfc. James Gollahon

Holds the Combat Infantryman Badge for participation in battles in France, Luxembourg and Germany. He is now in an Army hospital at Camp Butner, N. C., recuperating from trench foot suffered in the European theater of operations. Pfc. Gollahon is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Gollahon, of Rose Hill. His wife and two children are living with his parents for the duration.

Pfc. Benjamin F. Spreck

Pfc. Spreck, now serving with the 17th Airborne Division on the Western Front, was recently awarded the Combat Infantryman's Badge for his action in the battle of the Belgian Bulge. He is an anti-tank gunner in the 194th Glider Infantry. His wife, Mrs. Anete F. Spreck, resides in Pennington Gap.

Pfc. Joseph D. Graham

Pfc. Graham has been awarded the Combat Infantryman's Badge. He is the son of Mrs. Lola Ruth Graham, of Pennington Gap, Route 1, and is now serving with the 100th Division, Seventh Army, in France.

Pfc. Kyle Snodgrass

Pfc. Snodgrass is serving with the Sixth Army Group, 250th Field Artillery Unit, France. His battalion was the first to fire across the Rhine River into Germany.

Pvt. Allen F. Hicks

Pvt. Hicks, husband of Mrs. Doris Hicks, of Pennington Gap, has arrived at the Army Air Forces Convalescent Hospital in Fort Thomas, Ky., for a period of rest, recreation and therapy. He served with the Airborne Engineers, attached to the Fifth AAF in the Southwest Pacific for 20 months.

Sgt. Kyle Maness

Sgt. Maness, husband of Mrs. Dorothy Maness, of Bonny Blue, is serving with the huge Air Service Command in England, which sent more than 7,000 aircraft into battle in 1944, a record for the number of men engaged, according to figures just released by the office of public relations.

Cpl. L. C. Parks

Cpl. Parks has recently been promoted from corporal to sergeant. He has been serving overseas three years; has spent 18 months of this time in Australia and twelve in New Guinea. He was with the invasion forces on Leyte.

Cpl. Parks is a son of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Parks, St. Charles.

Pvt. Clarence Napier

Pvt. Napier, son of Mr. and Mrs. Finley Napier, Pennington Gap, Route 1, has been awarded the Combat Infantryman's Badge for gallant performance of duty in ground combat against the enemy. He is with the Black Panther Division, battling against the Germans at Lorient and St. Nazaire, France.

Tech. Sgt. Wm. L. Baker

Sgt. Baker, better known as "Letcher", serving with the 76th Infantry Division in Germany, is quoted by Public Relations Office as going the Army "one better" on the non-fraternization order that soldiers shall not converse with enemy civilians.

"Humph!" Baker declared emphatically, "I don't even look at 'em, much less talk to 'em. This is the German people's war as much as it is the war of the German arms. You can't separate the German Army from the German people. The army is the people. You can't trust any of them. They are all our enemies."

Staff Sgt. Richard Hayes

Sgt. Hayes, 30, a B-17 gunner, has been awarded the Aid Medal after completing 35 missions over Europe. He is now at Army Air Forces Redistribution Station No. 2, in Miami Beach, Fla., for reassignment processing.

Sgt. Hayes is the son of C. C. Hayes, of Whitesburg, Tenn., and the husband of Mrs. Evelyn Hayes, of Leona Mines. He entered the Army in April, 1943.

Pfc. Minton

Pfc. Pearl N. Minton, of Jonesville, Route 4, son of Mrs. Tilda Minton, wears the Purple Heart for wounds received in action, and the European Theater ribbon with two battle stars.

Pfc. Minton is returning home on furlough from the Fifth Army front in Italy after 25 months overseas, serving with the 337th "Wolverine" Regiment, 85th "Custer" Infantry Division.

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In the Clerk's Office of Lee County, in vacation, the 12th day of April, 1945.

William L. Yeary....Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Pauline Blair Yeary....Defendant

The object of the above styled suit is to obtain a divorce on behalf of William L. Yeary, complainant, from Pauline Blair Yeary, defendant, on ground of adultery committed by the defendant, without the procurement or connivance of the complainant and within five years from the commencement of this suit.

And it appearing by affidavit filed according to law that Pauline Blair Yeary, the above named defendant, is not a resident of the State of Virginia, it is therefore ordered that the said Pauline Blair Yeary do appear within ten days after due publication of this order in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of said County and do what is necessary to protect her interests. And it is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a newspaper published in Lee County, Virginia. And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, on or before the next succeeding rule day, and that another copy hereof be mailed to the defendant at the Post Office address given in the affidavit.

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News From
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Cpl. Pearl Sturgill, of the U. S. Army, is visiting his brother, Frank Sturgill, and family; also his sister, Mrs. Curtis Ewing, and family. Cpl. Sturgill has served 34 months overseas, and will report to Fort Meade, Md., the first of June.

Henry Kinser, of Kingsport, visited his sister, Mrs. Harve Edwards, and Mr. Edwards, here Friday.

Joe Cox and Bill Dotson spent last week at Norris Dam.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Arnette and daughter, Jeanette; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Herring and family were called to Virginia Lee last week on account of the death of their brother's infant son. Funeral services were held at the home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Haynes and Misses Arlie and Beulah Estep, of Calvin, spent the week-end here with their sisters, Mrs. Marie Baltimore and Mrs. Lennie Blevins.

Mrs. Geneva Hughes and little daughter, Ginger Sue, of Virginia Lee, spent the week-end with Mrs. Frank Sturgill and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Johnson and family were called to Jonesville last week on account of the illness and death of Mr. Johnson's father.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kinser and little grandson, Jimmie, of Kingsport, were visiting relatives and friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Belcher and family, of Pennington Gap, were visting relatives here Sunday.

News From
CHESTNUT RIDGE

Jim Hines, County Game Warden, and son, Edgar Lee, have been vacationing in Scott County during the trout season.

Loyd Davis has entered the barber business, and everyone north of O. M. Hines' store seem to be going to the chair.

Austin Laningham, since refinishing the inside of his home, is rapidly becoming recognized as a very capable "interior decorator".

Mrs. Herbert Green and son, and brother, Victor, of Indiana, were guests of Miss Farne Laningham, Sunday.

Everyone is sorry to learn that Harvey Eagle was recently seriously wounded in Europe.

The Chestnut Ridge - Miller's Chapel softball club, after completing preliminary practice, is ready for weekly games with other county clubs. Outstanding players include Clarence Wilson, Campbell Bush, Preech Williams, and Robert Williams, the home-run ace.

Smith Wilson and family, of Ohio, have been visiting his mother, Mrs. Mae Wilson.

Since the recent tornado, Tom Hall has decided to construct a storm cellar.

Mrs. W. H. Sadler and daughter, Janet Eileen, attended the ball game at Miller's Chapel last Sunday.

Jackson Hole is the name applied to the mountain-locked floor of the upper Snake River Valley east and southeast of the Teton Range, a few miles south from Yellowstone National Park.

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Lt. Ora L. Nida Serves As "Rice Bombardier"

From "The Sacramento Bee", published at Sacramento, Calif., comes the following news article:

"For extraordinary achievement in aerial flight", Second Lieutenant Ora L. Nida was awarded the Air Medal and Oak Leaf Cluster by the commanding general of the Services of Supply in China.

Lt. Nida is commanding officer of the Burma Road Engineers' "rice dropping unit". Like bombardiers handling high explosives in aerial combat, he and his men have flown over enemy territory innumerable times. Their job as "rice bombardiers" is to supply the forward elements of American road building forces in China with food, medicine and even machinery in areas to which it is impossible to truck or pack these necessities.

Scratching out the road connecting China with India are hundreds of American engineers and thousands of Chinese workers. American tractors and bulldozers are used in parts of Burma and China which never saw a piece of modern equipment before.

From a base "somewhere in China" they board planes with the American 'kicker" and a couple of Chinese crewmen as helpers. The plane is loaded. Sometimes it is the blade for a bulldozer broken on the hard hill rocks. More often, the cargo includes bags of rice for the Chinese in the mountais, food for men who must live on what is flown in.

Inside the ship, the Chinese and Americans work with haste. Bags of rice are piled close to the open door. One crewman lies on his back bracing his feet against the piled sacks. The others steady the bags. The plane makes a final turn, a final dip, and then inside the ship comes the signal. One buzz from the pilot on the interphone indicates that he is coming in for the first run. A second buzz is the signal to kick. All three crewmen heave, and out the open door flies a cascade of food for the men below.

"Rice away," the about, and into the heart of the plane they rush for another load to pile at the door.

Six or eight trips across the field are made, the men working feverishly, the pilot watching every ridge for enemy eZros. Finally the last load has been dropped.

That is what is meant to be a "rice bombardier", and why the Army saw fit to award these young Americans the Air Medal for an American job done with courage and fortitude.

Lt. Nida's record with the air droppers shows more than 200 hours of flying time. All the men of the Burma Road engineers' "rice bombardiers" are volunteers, and Nida was one of the first to volunteer for the arduous duty. He was chosen unit commander and assigned to this duty by Services of Supply headquarters.

Lt. Nida is the son of Ora L. Nida, Sr., former Chief of Police for Pennington Gap, and who now lives on a farm in the Flatwood community, south of Jonesville.

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Republican Mass Meeting

A Mass Meeting of the Republicans of Lee County is hereby called, by the Lee County Republican Executive Committee, to meet in the high school building, at Pennington Gap, Virginia, Saturday, April 28, 1945, at 8 o'clock p. m. [C. W. T.]

The object of this meeting is to recognize the Party in the County, by electing officers and members of the Executive Committee to carry on the work of the Party for the ensuing year.

Everyone in the county who is interested in success of our party, and especially the ladies, are invited to attend this meeting. The business to be transacted at this meeting will be of interest to every member of the party, and we trust that you will make an effort to attend.

MAY 5TH IS DEADLINE FOR PAYMENT OF POLL TAX IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE TO VOTE IN THE COMING NOVEMBER ELECTION. ALL VOTERS ARE URGED TO PAY THEIR POLL TAX BEFORE THIS DATE.

A. H. Hurd, Chairman **Minnie Kilbourne, Sec.**

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AUTOMOBILE WRECKS

That automobile wrecks just will sometimes happen is inevitable, and does not always reflect upon the efficiency and caution of the driver.

However, it seems that wrecks in this area are increasing at an alarming and dangerous rate, and to say the least, challenges a serious consideration.

During the last week in March there were seven wrecks in the vicinity of Pennington Gap and St. Charles alone, to say nothing of those reported from other places in the county. Also wrecks in the county have occurred almost daily here of late, and this week, so far, we have record of three, two occurring on the highway in the Duffield community, and one on the Harlan road, in which two Pennington Gap women were injured.

The person at the wheel of an automobile or truck should remember that he is not flying through the air on a "very fine gander", neither in an airplane, but steering his vehicle along crowded highways and dangerous curves, where it takes but little carelessness on his part to snuff out the life or forever cripple himself and passengers.

If any have indulged in too-fast driving, and will look back over the recent traffic casualties, he surely will get a grip on himself, and use the utmost caution in his driving.

While we write from the standpoint of only our own county, similar reports come from other places the nation over, according to newspapers.

Schedule Changes
EFFECTIVE MAY 6
Train 11 For Norton will leave Pennington 8:42 A. M. instead 9:01 A. M.
Train 12 for Pineville will leave Pennington 11:52 A. M. instead 12:17 P. M.
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TOWN TALK

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will be 102. He came to Lee County in his twenties, and despite the handicap of having only one hand, he has made a success of farming. His wife died seven years ago, at the age of 65, and he makes his home with his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Charlie Million. He has five sons and four daughters.

Four years is a long time to be away from home, especially when most of it has been spent across the seas, experiencing the trials and tribulations of war; but Cpl. C. M. Fugate, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Fugate, is here at last, to spend at least 45 days with his parents and friends. Clyde comes direct from Italy, and arrived here late Tuesday evening.

Lions Club Official Visits Clubs In Lee County

James H. Moore, of Roanoke, Governor of District 24-A, is in Lee County this week meeting with the Lions Clubs of the county.

Lion Moore met with the Jonesville Club at their regular meeting Tuesday night; with the Board of Directors and committee chairmen of the Pennington Club Wednesday night, this not being their regular meeting; and will be with the Appalachia Club at their regular meeting tonight.

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Deaths AND FUNERALS

Miss Catherine Crockett

Miss Catherine Crockett, of Rose Hill, died at a Middlesboro hospital, April 16, 1945, at the age of 29. Funeral services were held in the Methodist Church at Ewing, Va., on Wednesday afternoon, April 18, at 2:00 o'clock, conducted by the Rev. A. J. Ledford. Burial followed in the family cemetery at Rose Hill. Richmond Funeral Home in charge.

Surviving are the mother, Mrs. Lydia Hyatt Crockett; one sister, Mrs. R. L. Stewart, Rose Hill; four brothers, Bruce and Hubert, with the U. S. Navy somewhere in the Pacific; Emory, Pulaski, Va., and Hyatt, of Kingsport, Tenn.

Elizabeth C. VanDeventer

Mary Elizabeth Couch VanDeventer, 73, died at her home near Shawanee, Tenn., April 12, and was buried in the family cemetery near the home April 14.

Surviving are the husband, Charles R. VanDeventer; and three daughters, Mrs. Vance Sexton, of Jonesville; Mrs. Charles V. Munsey, Morristown, Tenn.; and Miss Zollie VanDeventer, of Shawanee, Tenn.

Until three or four years ago the VanDeventers resided near Jonesville, in the Lone Branch section. Mrs. VanDeventer was a member of the Thompson Settlement Church.

Peggy Ann Graham

Peggy Ann Graham, seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James N. Graham, died in a Harlan, Ky., hospital about 11 o'clock Monday night, April 23. She had not been well since a recent tonsilectomy, and her condition became serious late Monday evening, when she was rushed to the hospital.

Funeral services were conducted at 2:00 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, by the Rev. Charlie D. Mehaffey, at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Edna Mathews. Burial followed in the Russell Cemetery near the home.

Peggy Ann't mother was formerly Miss Margaret Mathews. The father is serving in the U. S. Navy, stationed at Philadelphia, Pa. He hurried home following receipt of news of his daughter's condition.

Besides the parents, Peggy Ann is survived by her paternal grandparents, Rev. and Mrs. Nelson Graham, of Dryden; the maternal grandmother, Mrs. Mathews; the great-grandmother, Mrs. Eliza Howard; and the great-great-grandmother, Mrs. Mary A. "Grandma" Kelly; besides several uncles, aunts, and other close relatives.

Jonesville Boy Writes of Conditions in Philippines

Through the courtesy of Mrs. H. M. Williams, of Jonesville, we print the following letter received by her from her son, Cpl. Hugh M. Williams, Jr., serving with the U.S. Army in the Philippines, telling of the devastation wrought by the Japs in that area:

Philippine Islands,
March 17, 1945.

Dearest Mom:

Here I am at another place. This is the best place I've hit since I left the States. I have drived over paved roads just as good as our highways, walked on sidewalks, seen large modern buildings and all that. This will probably be my last move, or at least for some time. Hope I can put in the remainder of my overseas time right here.

There are plenty of Filipinos here, and they all want to help do all the work. I have a boy who is going to live with us and keep our tent neat, and help with odd jobs. All they want is just their food and clothes. I have never seen such destruction as they Japs have left here. It is about the most pitiful sight I have seen.

The beautiful buildings are ruined, bridges destroyed, schools and churches in ruins. The people are starving. While we eat, little children stand around and want to snatch what few crumbs are left. They will eat anything, and do anything for a bit of food. The Japs took all their belongings and let them do the best they could.

I can't begin to tell of the sufferings they went through here, but I want to tell you that if they collect anything back there to help these people, give all you can.

I had a letter from J. B. Combs today, and he is on this same island, about 50 miles from me. I will look him up the first chance I get. I will have to stop now; will write more tomorrow.

Love,
Junior.

Special Announcement

A special meeting has been called for all pastors and other persons in the various precincts to meet at the First Baptist Church, Sunday afternoon, April 29, at 2:30 o'clock.

The purpose of the meeting is to organize and formulate plans in the wet-dry campaign in the county, and all persons interested in this issue are urged to attend.

Charlie D. Mehaffey, Chmn.
P. R. Stubbs, Vice Chmn.

Piano Pupils Organize Junior Music Clubs

The piano pupils of Miss Pearl Pennington met recently in the music studio in the Pennington High Schol building to organize music clubs, under auspices of the National Federation of Music Clubs.

National Federation of Music was organized in 1893 by Music Clubs. There are 4,800 clubs in 47 States. The membership of these clubs in 1944 was 500,000. They work through colleges, high schools and grade schools. These clubs spend $3,000,000 a year in presenting artists.

The National Federation work is carried forward by three division, Senior (adult membership), student (age range of 18 to 25), and junior (composed of boys and girls under 18 years of age). The Junior Division has 2,500 clubs and several thousand members. They are classified as juvenile, through 12 years of age, and junior, 13 through 18 years of age.

The purpose of the division is to bring together young musicians for regular group study, for performance before others, and for social enjoyment, to train future leaders, to cultivate courteous and appreciative audiences, to stimulate interest in creative music, to provide incentive for high standards of performance through competitive events, to encourage service through music, and to broaden the vision and the ability of members through understanding of, and cooperation with state and national goals.

The juvenile pupils organized their club by electing the following officers: president, Mary Ida Estes; vice president, Nancy Shackleford; secretary, Rita Ann Johnston; treasurer, Joan Billings; reporters, Emmogene Kirk and Margaret Grubbs.

They chose for their name "The Wednesday Evening Juvenile Music Club", and will meet the first Wednesday evening of each month.

The junior pupils organized their club, electing the following officers: president, Floravista McKinnon; vice president, Bobbie Jean Cooper; secretary, Wilma Brewer; treasurer, Billie Sue Scroggs; reporter, Sue Wolfe. They chose for the name of their club "The Beethoven Music Club". They will meet the first Wednesday in each month after school.

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News From
JONESVILLE

Route Two

People here were very sorry to learn of the death of Joe Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Andis spent a few days last week with her brother, W. B. Price, of Huntersville, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wynn have received word that their son, Ernest K., Jr., has recently been transferred from France to Germany.

[illegible] Holmes, of Great Lakes, Ill., is spending a six-day furlough with his family here.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Andis have received word that their son, Kenneth W. Andis, is now in a hospital in England.

Mrs. Dave Fleenor left Tuesday for Detroit, Mich., to spend a few days with her son, Paul Fleenor.

Carson Reed left Wednesday for Gate City, before entering service.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Johnson and daughter, Billy Jo, of Newport News, were called home on account of the death of his father, Joseph Johnson.

John Collinsworth, of the U. S. Navy, is spending his furlough here with relatives and friends.

Nancy Andis and Delores Wyan attended Keithly Theatre, Saturday night.

Friend Meets Friend

The following much appreciated letter comes to us from Cpl. Smith Lewis, son of Mr. and Mrs. McKinley Lewis, of Pennington Gap, Route 1. Cpl. Lewis is serving with the U. S. Army in India:

India, March 30.

Mr. S. C. Blackwell, Editor,
The Powell Valley News,
Pennington Gap, Virginia.
Dear Mr. Blackwell:

I am pulling duty in India, with the 327th Harbor Craft Co., and I am from Pennington Gap. Late last week I ran into another Pennington Gap boy. His name is Tete Williams.

I receive The Powell Valley News, and I really enjoy getting the home town news. It is a big morale booster, at least it is so far as I am concerned. So keep them coming, and I'll do my part over here.

By the way, Tete Williams is the only boy I've met here from home, and it really was fine to be with him.

Will close now, as we have plenty of work to do.

Sincerely yours,
Cpl. Smith Lewis.

News From
CALVIN

Geraldine Doyle, of Conaddale, Ohio, is visiting the Lark twins at Calvin.

Calvin Hurst, of the U. S. Navy, is home on furlough after 22 months of overseas duty.

Ordie and Beulah Estep spent the week-end with their sister, Mrs. Marie Baltimore, of Benedict.

A shock to all the people here was the death of Cass Shuler.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Wade have received news that their son, Harold, has been killed in action.

Junior Walters, who has been working at Kingsport, Tenn., spent the week-end with his parents here.

Frankie, Sonny and George Suto, of Dayton, Ohio, are visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Snow Baker announce the recent birth of a son.

Rev. Morris, of Big Stone Gap, has organized a Church of God at Calvin.

Ralph Artys, of the U. S. Navy, is at home on furlough after 22 months overseas duty.

Misses Ritchie Lee and Laura Jean Fugate are here from Oak Ridge, Tenn., to be with their brother, Cpl. Clyde M. Fugate, who has spent 39 months in the Italian theater of operations. He arrived here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wylie, of St. Charles, were called to Tazewell, Tenn., due to the illness and death of Mr. Wylie's mother, Mrs. F. M. Wylie.

News From
OCCOHNITA

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Ingle and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Emmette were visiting friends in Blackwood, Va., Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Fleenor, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., spent the week-end here with relatives.

Lawrence Fleenor, of Kings Mills, Ohio, spent last week here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Fleenor.

Mrs. A. J. Emmette was visiting in Harlan, Ky., Tuesday.

Misses Zenia Herron and Lucille Durham left Thursday for Oak Ridge, Tenn., where they are employed.

Rev. Kester Greene, of Pennington Gap, and C. S. Fleenor were visiting in Mulberry Gap and Sneedville, Tenn., Friday.

Mrs. Charles P. Mullins visited her son, Garfield Mullins, and family, in Harlan, Ky., Monday.

Miss Lena Dennison, of Pennington Gap, visited her brother, Eugene Dennison, and Mrs. Dennison, Monday.

Pfc. Neal Ingle, who has been serving with the U. S. Army overseas for the past three years, is expected home on furlough soon.

Mrs. Flora Smith and Miss Bonnie Ingle were visitors in Jonesville, Friday.

Rev. Jess Hennard, of Morrison City, Tenn.; Rev. McVey, of Monarch; and Mrs. J. M. Lawson, of Monarch, were dinner guests Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hammonds.

News From
BURKHART'S CHAPEL

Mr. and Mrs. Ermine Alsup and son, of Poor Valley, visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Parsons and children, of Robbins Chapel, were visiting his mother, Mrs. Tina Parsons, Sunday.

Mrs. Myrtle Robbins and son, J. B., spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Kelly.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Bailey and son, J. R., and Zelma Lee and Jewell Robbins attended the funeral of Joseph Johnson, at Jonesville, Monday.

News From
JONESVILLE
Mrs. G. W. Ball

Route Four

G. V. Sage, of Stickleyville, made a business trip to Jonesville last Thursday and called on Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ball for a brief chat. He says that his son, Ralph, is due to arrive home on furlough during the week-end. He has been stationed at Fort Sill, Okla.

Little Miss Judith and Master Wesley Harris were recent overnight guests of their grandparents here.

Mrs. Oneida Roberts and children, of Harlan, Ky., are visiting at the home of her father, J. W. Roberts, and family.

The ground is not covered with pear petals now, but small pears. The late frosts have done much damage to the fruit here, although there is still some left.

Miss Nathetta Davis taught the Oak Grove school here during the absence of Miss Maude Kinzer.

Lynvil Roberts arrived here Sunday for a brief furlough with his father, J. W. Roberts, and family. He enlisted in the Navy in March, and has now completed his boot training at Great Lakes Naval Training Station.

Dana Poteet, son of Mrs. Flora Poteet, and Pearl Sturgill, son of E. G. Sturgill, are among those here on furlough.

Mrs. Marshall Byington and children have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Newman, for the past week.

A number of persons here attended the funeral of Joe Johnson, Monday.

DOWN ON THE FARM

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of approximately 0.8 cents per pound in the ceiling price," he said.

"Farmers who get their chickens now can have them ready for market before the usual fall supply of red meats moves to market. There appears to be an adequate supply of brooder houses, feed, and other production facilities for farmers to increase substantially their production of chickens for marketing for meat during the summer," he added.

Mr. Hyatt also declared that the War Food Administration had contacted hatcheries to encourage them to expand hatching operations this spring to supply extra chicks needed for marketing this summer, and that the number available to Lee County producers should be sufficient to meet demands.

News From
ST. CHARLES

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Ely have had as guests recently their children: Pfc. Rufus Ely, and wife, of Greensboro, N. C.; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. House and children, of Clinton, Tenn.; Mrs. Bill Kreis, of Oak Ridge, Tenn.; Glen, of Clinton, Tenn.; Milfred Ely, S. 1-C., wife and baby, stationed at Camp Peary, Va.; and Mrs. H. B. Fitzgerald and baby; and Mrs. W. H. Walsh, of Richmond.

Mrs. Maurice Williams and young son, Billy Maurice, spent the week-end at the home of her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brummitt and family were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Perry, at Benedict, recently.

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It's time—NOW—to put an end to this crying shame. *You* and your friends can help! Please read the rules on this page . . . read them again . . . *memorize them* . . . tell others about them. Then be careful in all forest and woodland areas. Do your part to help prevent fires!

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1. Crush out your cigarette, your cigar, your pipe ashes.
2. Break your match in two. When you can hold the burned end between your fingers—play safe, use the ash tray.
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News From
DERBY

Clyde Williams is able to be out again after several days' illness.

Mrs. John Larkey and daughters, Jean and Eloise, of Norton, were visiting here Saturday and attended the barn dance at the 'teen-age club at Appalachia Saturday night.

Mrs. Elizabeth Blair, of Indian Springs, Tenn., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Lundy.

Harold Hart, of the U. S. Navy, is spending a leave here.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gillenwater, a daughter, at the Masonic Hospital in Appalachia.

Mr. and Mrs. Vaught Farmer were visiting relatives at Lebanon over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Milt Hall, Mrs. Milford Burchett and Mary Helen spent Sunday at East Stone.

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From where I sit ... *by* Joe Marsh

Dick Newcomb Goes Fishing by Proxy

Bob Newcomb used to be the best fly caster in the county. Never missed a Saturday at Seward's Creek. But come the war, and Bob's son going off in uniform, he just lost interest in things like fishing.

But the [illegible] day Bob got a letter from the South Pacific ... kind of a homesick letter: "I'm thinking of you, Dad, fishing in Seward's Creek; cooking trout over an open fire; and keeping the beer cool in the stream. Keep an extra bottle cool for me."

So Bob spent his next day off exactly as Dick dreamed of his doing—fished Seward's Creek again, and cooked the trout, and kept the beer cool in the stream. And you knew he was doing it for Dick.

From where I sit, it's what the men overseas would have us do—keep alive the little customs, the small pleasures, they remember—keep them alive till *they* come home to share them.

Joe Marsh

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Greetings From "A Sailor Friend"

Somewhere in
the Philippines.

Mr. Sam C. Blackwell, Editor,
The Powell Valley News.
Dear Mr. Blackwell:

Will try to write you a few lines from the Philippines. Hope this finds all my friends in Pennington Gap and St. Charles getting along fine. I was manager of the Kroger Store in St. Charles before entering the Navy.

I have been in five invasions since I have been overseas; have been in air raids; seen Jap planes shot down; attacked by Jap Q boats. The Q boats are like our P T boats, only smaller.

I was in the invasion of Luzon, the Philippines. It was the biggest invasion of the Pacific. Guess I will see more of the Japs before coming back to St. Charles.

Tell all my friends hello, and best of luck to all.

A sailor friend,
Howard Johnson.

The highest point in Bataan is Mount Bataan, which rises about 4,660 feet.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:
In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 3rd day of April, 1945.
Leonard Sexton ......Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Emma Sexton .... Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce A Vinculo Matrimonii on grounds of wilful desertion. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Emma Sexton, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address is Kingsport, Tenn., it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p. q. W. L. Davidson.
Adv. No. 14-4t

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LEE 4-H CLUB NEWS

The 4-H Clubs of Lee County met April 7 at Jonesville, for the purpose of organizing a county council. Three delegates from each club were present, from which the following officers were elected:

President, David Fletcher, Stickleyville; vice president, Clara Rasnic, Stickleyville; secretary and treasurer, Opal Wilder, Flatwood; reporter, Mac Gilbert, Elk Knob.

The following objectives were set forth for the clubs and club members:

Membership: Set the goal for 250 club members for the year 1945; order 300 4-H emblems for club members.

Projects:
I. (a) Encourage projects that are essential to war food program.
(b) 90% of members completing projects and record books.
(c) Use all prize money and medals offered to 4-H Club projects in county, state and national contests.

II. Recreation:
(a) Use a portion of each meeting for recreation.
(b) Have county-wide picnic during summer.
(c) Send materials on recreation to each club to help club programs.

III. Leadership:
(a) Send delegates from each club to State Short Course.
(b) Two meetings of County Council each year.
(c) Have at least one local adult leader for each club.
(d) Encourage 4-H members to attend local church and Sunday School.
(e) Have one day of County Fair observed as "County 4-H Day".

IV. Activities:
(a) Help in War Bond and Collection Drives.
(b) Exhibit projects at Fair and 4-H shows.
(c) Help farmers in solving labor shortage by working.
(d) Help in community service and activities.
(e) Have county livestock judging teams.

Enjoys News From Home

From somewhere overseas, Sgt. George Shuler, son of John A. Shuler, of St. Charles, writes the following:

Editor, Powell Valley News:
Pennington Gap, Va.
Dear Editor:

I have been overseas forty-two months, and have been receiving The Powell Valley News regularly. I enjoy reading it very much, and wish to express my thanks to you and your staff for the swell job you have done in getting the news to the men overseas.

You have just the kind of news they enjoy—the news from home.

Sincerely yours,
Sgt. George V. Shuler.

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A Line From Warren C. Mitchell, Jr.

Among the many young people sadly missed from our community because of war is Warren C. Mitchell, Jr., former instructor in English and band director for Pennington High school, and now serving as technical sergeant with the U. S. Army overseas.

Mr. Mitchell made a great donation to the educational and social life of the young people, as he not only trained them, but made himself "one of them" and shared life with them. His high school band gained outstanding recognition as they went far and wide to give concerts or to play to social and community affairs, and the daily street practice parades, in their uniforms of white and gold, were high points of entertainment for our town folk.

That Tech. Sgt. Mitchell retains kind memories of Pennington Gap is evidenced by the following excerpt from a letter to friends here:

"I receive The Powell Valley News, and although it's a month old by the time it reaches me, I am glad to get it, for it enables me to keep up with the community and what is going on.

"I read it with great interest, since I know so many of the people mentioned, and usually it has some pictures of some of my former students."

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An Optimistic Outlook

Pfc. John C. Cooper, serving with the U. S. Army somewhere in the Mariannas, writes us:

Dear Editor:

I have been receiving The Powell Valley News for some time now, and find it interesting, for it helps me to learn what my old friends are doing.

I have been in the Army going on three years, and hope it won't be much longer until we can all get back to where we left off.

As for me, I hope to see the Golden Gate in '48.

Pfc. John C. Cooper.

Cheese should be gently melted as too much heat will make it stringy and leathery.

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Thursday and Friday, May 3 - 4
TALL IN THE SADDLE
—with—
JOHN WAYNE — ELLA RAINS

Saturday, May 5 — DOUBLE FEATURE
THE BIRTH OF A STAR
—also—
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—with—
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Rising Sun 9080
The Greatest Living Son Of Lyon
Artist No. 1925

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Rising Sun is a deep bay stallion, 15.3, weighing 1,050. He is claimed to be one of the greatest living sons of Lyon Artist. He has ability to do and can do; is very fast on the rack and trot with worlds of action. He has a good neck; the best of withers, and the power to transmit his good qualities and wonderful conformation to his offspring. This horse was bred and raised in Kentucky by Mr. Vernon Underwood, who now has several of his colts ready for the shows. Both show and using horses are fast coming back to their own. Why not breed to the best and raise your own saddle horse. Give this horse a chance with good mares and you are bound to profit by doing so as some of his colts have recently sold for $3,500.00. Visiting mares can be cared for by the day or week at the W. W. Jessee Farm, Dryden, Virginia.

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For the last 3 years, you've been buying Bonds steadily—saving part of every dollar you earned.

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You've been laying aside money to help safeguard your job after the war, and help guarantee a healthy, prosperous Country for us all.

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Last, but by no means least, you've been sending your dollars into the fight—backing up G. I. Joe.

You don't want to undo all you've done. It just isn't smart. To say that it's cutting off your own nose is to put it very, very mildly.

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Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. VanDeventer have had as their week-end guests Dr. and Mrs. Marshall M. MacLain, of Washington, D. C. Mrs. MacLain, formerly Miss Helen Jones, is Mr. VanDeventer's niece. While in the county Dr. and Mrs. MacLain will meet numerous other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Lewis and little daughter, Betty, of Chattim Hill, Va., visited here with Mr. Lewis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cam J. Lewis, over the week-end.

Dorothy Bright, serving as Sp. (Q) 2-C. Cryptograph, Washington, D. C., is here on furlough visiting with her father, C. S. Bright, and family.

14 - 15, "Winged Victory". Be Coming to Lee Theatre on Monday and Tuesday, April sure to see this picture!

G. C. (Steve) Tomlinson, who for the past two years has served as SK (D) in the U. S. Navy, stationed at San Diego, Calif., has been medically discharged, and with Mrs. Tomlinson, formerly Miss Evelena Pugh, is visiting their parents here. They plan to return to Johnson City, where they made their home before he entered service.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Kirk entertained at dinner Sunday the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sprinkle and daughters, Alice and Gay; Mrs. Maurice Williams and son, Billy, of St. Charles; Mrs. Wanda Low and Mrs. Bruce Sprinkle, of Ellicott City, Md.

Cecil Evans and Bernard Wheeler spent the week-end at High Point, N. C. While there they visited Mrs. Flora Evans and other relatives.

Mrs. Bruce Sprinkle, of Ellicott City, Md., is staying with her sister, Mrs. B. A. Wheeler, while her husband is serving in the armed forces.

Mrs. Ernest L. Evans, Jonesville, visited friends and relatives in Exeter and Big Stone Gap last Friday.

Birth Announcement

Mr. and Mrs. Carl C. Vaughan announce the birth of a son on April 9, to whom has been given the name James Edward. Mrs. Vaughan was formerly Miss Sallie Smith, daughter of J. Marion Smith.

E. J. Hughes, Seaman 1-C., has returned to the naval hospital at Farragut, Idaho, after a furlough visit with his mother, Mrs. Hazel Hughes, of Stickleyville. Seaman Hughes was wounded last November while serving overseas, and returned to the States the following February. His wife accompanied him to Idaho.

Mrs. Tom Hart, of Richlands, has accepted a position as nurse at Lee General Hospital.

Out-of-town friends and relatives attending funeral services for H. L. Hartley were: Mr. and Mrs. John Brewer, Eidson, Tenn.; Mr. and Mrs. Stirl Hartley, of Kingsport, Tenn.; D. H. Darnell, Rogersville, Tenn.; A. H. Stout, Eidson, Tenn.; W. H. Smith, of Gate City, Va.; Mrs. Lillie Maness, Eidson, Tenn.; Sgt. and Mrs. L. J. Stewart, North Carolina; Mr. and Mrs. Buster Croley, Black Star, Ky.; and Mrs. Junior Rogers, Kingsport, Tenn.

Coming to Lee Theatre on Monday and Tuesday, April 14 - 15, "Winged Victory". Be sure to see this picture!

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kelly, of Washington, D. C., are visiting here with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Herndon; also with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kelly, of Harlan, Ky.

Mrs. C. M. Lundy has returned from Crab Orchard, Ky., where she attended the graduation of her nephew, Paul Gardner Hayes.

J. J. Minton, of Alpine, Ky., is here visiting his sons, W. F. Minton, and family, of Pennington Gap; James Minton and family, of Elk Knob; and his daughter, Mrs. Maggie Penrod, of St. Charles.

Mrs. E. C. Gardner left Monday for Peoria, Ill., to join her husband, who is stationed there with the U. S. Army.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Herndon and children, and her mother, Mrs. Price, of Chilhowie, spent last week here with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Herndon and family.

Miss Edna Ruth Russell entertained a number of young friends and relatives at dinner last Sunday, in celebration of her birthday. Those enjoying the affair were: Dorothy and Ann Minton, Anna Mae Cox, Jimmie Heck, Jack Keel, Mrs. Ross Heck, Edgar Gilliam, Jack Heck, in addition to the family and relatives. Miss Russell received lovely gifts.

Mrs. Fred P. Russell, Misses Betty Heck and Betty Russell spent the past week-end in Cumberland Gap, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Crowell and Mrs. Clarence Smith, of Newport News, Va., and Mrs. Arthur Crowell, of Wise, Va., are visiting at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Crowell, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Stewart, and other relatives here this week.

Misses Edith and Ruth Heck, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., spent last week here with their mother, Mrs. Ross Heck.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Allen, of Benedict, spent last week here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Allen.

Gene Philip Reasor and Jay Graham recently visited with friends at Hiwassee College, returning via Knoxville for a stopover with the Housley family.

Mrs. Henderson Kirk, of St. Charles, was in Harlan, Ky., Tuesday.

Mrs. Bill Lee and daughter, Betty, and Levon Woodard visited Mrs. George Hurd, Sunday.

Coming to Lee Theatre on Monday and Tuesday, April 14 - 15, "Winged Victory". Be sure to see this picture!

Seaman Lonzo Bray is at home on furlough with his family. Seaman Bray has just completed boot training.

Mrs. Alva Smith and Mrs. Rando Smith were in Harlan, Ky., Tuesday.

Mrs. Muriel Rush, Jr., is at home for a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Murphy King.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Skaggs are visiting friends and relatives at Bristol this week.

Mrs. Dora Quinley, of Wallins, Ky., visited Mrs. Bill Casteel, of Bonny Blue, last week.

Mrs. Tunis Napier and Mrs. Lonzo Bray were in Bristol, Tuesday.

JUNE BRIDE - TO - BE

Miss Marie Smith

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smith, of Pennington Gap, announce the engagement of their daughter, Marie, to Mr. E. F. Dise, of Tangier, Va. The wedding will take place in June.

GIVES 'EM A CHASE

S.-SGT. HAROLD B. CLARK

Staff Sgt. Harold B. Clark, of Pennington Gap, Route 1, and now serving overseas, assumed command of his platoon when the lieutenant was wounded, and continued to lead the fight against the Germans, who tried to overrun the house for 48 hours. The Krauts chased him up into the attic three times daily and he chased them right back again, according to a report in the Army paper.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Clark and the husband of Mrs. Ella Clark, of Pennington Gap, Route 1.

LANDED IN GERMANY

PVT. HUBERT HAMMONDS

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hammonds have received word that their son, Pvt. Hubert Hammonds, 19, has landed safely somewhere in Germany.

Hubert has been in service about nine months. He received his basic training at Camp Hood, Texas, after which he came home on an 11-day furlough. He returned to Camp Chaffee, Ark., and from there he went to Camp Gruber, Okla., thence to Fort Meade, Md., from where he sailed overseas. His mother has had several letters from him.

Powell Valley Youth Rally At Union Church

The Powell Valley Youth Rally will be held at Union Church, on Sunday, April 29, beginning at 3:00 p. m., and continuing throughout the evening.

The minister, Rev. W. B. Moore, and the new president, Mrs. Ruth Keith, will be in charge of the meeting. Refreshments will be served by the host church.

NOTICE

The School Trustee Electoral Board of Lee County will meet at the Court House, Jonesville, Va., on the 19th of May, 1945, at 10:30 A. M., for the purpose of appointing a member of the County School Board in the Jonesville District, to serve for a term of four years.

Subscribed to this the 24th of April, 1945.

R. B. BEELER, Clerk.
Adv. No. 17-2t.

Mayflower Victory Club

Mrs. Lee Francis entertained members of the Mayflower Victory Club at her home Saturday night, assisted by Mrs. Marcus McKinney. After the business was disposed of, games and contests were enjoyed. Mrs. King Kelly won the prize in the contest. Delicious refreshments were served to the following members: Mesdames Boyd Bailey, John Hawkins, Garland Casteel, Jake Howard, Bill Casteel, Marcus McKinney, King Kelly, Cecil Broyles and Dora Quinley.

Ann Schuer, of L.M.U., spent the week-end with Margaret Rasnic.

IMPORTANT . . . .

ALL LEE COUNTY CITIZENS OF VOTING AGE

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AUCTION SALE

Wednesday, May 9, 1945

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The building is about 35 x 65 feet, with five- room living quarters and bath room. The recreation hall is 35 x 40, and all equipment.

This location and property is well suited for summer homes or recreation for camping of churches and schools. Room for more cottages for summer homes if desired.

This property is put up for sale at a price that you could not buy the material for today, and put on grounds, let alone the land and construction.

Sale will take place at the property on Wednesday, May 9th, at 1:30 P. M. (CWT), on terms cash or one-third down, balance 6, 12 and 18 months time. Possession at once. We mean business, as we are going to sell this property at a bargain!

IF ANYONE IS INTERESTED IN LOOKING THIS PROPERTY OVER, SEE ME OR CALL PHONE No. 54 FOR ENGAGEMENT TO INSPECT SAME.

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AGENT AND AUCTIONEER

PHONE 54

Pennington Gap, Virginia.

NATIONAL BABY WEEK — APRIL 29 - MAY 5

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TOWN TALK

About This, That, And The Other

"The kiss of the sun for pardon,
The song of the birds for mirth,
One is nearer God's heart in a garden
Than anywhere else on earth."

Tough on advertisers

"It pays to advertise"—no doubt about it, providing the printer or typtist makes no mistakes in the wording. In that case, there's no telling what you might get. For instance, the following Advs. were taken from here and there over the country and printed in the Southern Agriculturist:

"There is not a store in North Carolina with so many imported and fine fools as you find in our grocery." —Charlotte, N. C., paper.

"Honest Value—A $28.00 Roadster for $150.00."—Memphis, Tenn., paper.

"Widows made to order—send us your specifications"—Elpaso, Texas, paper.

"Every child laying an egg in the doorman's hand will be admitted free to the matinee."—Little Rock, Ark., paper.

"For sale—Large crystal vase by lady slightly cracked."—Birmingham, Ala., paper.

"For trade—One good deer rifle for a woman." — Lake Charles, La., paper.

"Don't kill your wife—let our washing machines do the dirty work."—A Mississippi Electrical Dealer's ad.

"Wanted—Car for a cow, also radio for a steer."—Bluefield, W. Va., paper.

Old News

Again, through the courtesy of friends, we have the privilege of reading October 22, 1909, and January 8, 1913, issues of "The Pennington News" published at that time in Pennington Gap by W. K. Hopkins, now an Attorney living at Appalachia.

Briefly stating, in the October 22 number, the issue of the day seemed to be an attempt at getting an election to decide whether or not Pennington Gap should be made the County seat, and the Court House be moved here from Jonesville. Through the columns of this paper G. W. Horton and F. R. Stickley of Jonesville were wranging over the issue.

The Fair and Carnival held at Pennington Gap, October 13-16, was hailed as a success. Paragraph: "The formal opening of the Fair was at 9:00 a. m., on the 13th, with a parade which formed on Morgan Avenue near Pennington Gap Bank.

At 10:00 o'clock the parade was ready to march with the carnival officers in front, followed by the Pennington Brass Band, Lodges of all kinds, the 400 children of Lee Baptist Institute with their teachers, all carrying American Flags."

In the personal column: Hon. Harvey Young going to Texas to see his son, Dr. G. W. Young.

Rev. E. F. Music to preach at Witt's School House the following Sunday.

January 8, 1913: W. G. Burgan left Christmas for Tellico Plains, Tenn.

W. H. Ellison down from Norton. C. C. Flanary down from Rhoda visiting home folks. All the above and many, many more mentioned in these papers have passed on long time ago.

"If Wilson and Bryan should clash"—is an editorial headline; and "Earth's better day draws near" is the three column prophecy by Pastor Russell, of Louisville.

Well, we like to read of the past and think of the future

(More on page four)

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Weather Bureau report for the week ending May 6th, 1945, for Lee County, furnished by Cam J. Lewis, official observer:

Date	Temperature		Rainfall
April May	Highest	Lowest	Inches and 100ths
30	51	34	.02
1	54	32	frost
2	62	41	.10
3	45	39	.76
4	56	36	.27
5	46	37	.42
6	59	35	.02

Five Die In Plane Crash Near Ewing In Lee Co.

Plane Crashed Against Mountain in Heavy Fog

A Naval air plane crashed on a rugged peak of Stone Mountain, near Ewing, Virginia, in Lee County, late Friday evening, May 4, taking a toll of five lives.

Four of the victims have been identified as Lieut. Col. J. F. Walters, USMC., of Rockville, Mo., L. J. Smernoff, 29, Aviation Machinists Mate 2-C., U. S. N., Col. E. F. Symmns, 31, Washington, D. C., and Thomas Eugene Hubbs, USN., S. 1-c., Long Beach, California. The fifth victim has not yet been identified.

The Public Relations Office of the Fifth Naval District, Norfolk, reported that the Navy plane had left the Naval Air Station at Anacostia, D. C., at 5:28 p. m. Friday. The crash is reported to have taken place at 8:15 p. m.

Wheeler Kesterson, Supervisor of County Game Wardens in Southwest Virginia, was one of the first to reach the scene of the crash. He said it struck the mountain side during a fog, flashed into flames and tore a great hole in the earth when it struck. Mr. Kesterson said the first searching party found three of the bodies lying some distance clear from the plane, but burned to considerable extent, that the fourth was found next day on the crest of the mountain about fifty feet above the wreckage, and that the charred remains of the fifth body was still in the plane last Sunday.

Ambulances belonging to the Tennessee Valley Authority and from Middlesboro removed the bodies.

T. B. Fugate, president of the Peoples Bank at Ewing called County officers at Rose Hill and assisted in organizing a searching party after two eye-witnesses to the crash, Mr. and Mrs. Hoy Brooks, of near Ewing, came to his home and told him of what they had observed. They stated that they were standing on the porch of their home near the edge of the mountan when they saw the plane, capped by fog, coming along the edge of the fog apparently headed toward the mountain side and that they both expressed the belief that the pilot had not seen the mountain. Just as Mrs. Brooks remarked that she believed the plane was going to hit the mountain, Mr. Fugate said, they saw it crash into the mountain side.

Public Relations Office in giving out information regarding the dispatch of the plane, said it was headed for Dayton, Ohio.

Rev. Moore Will Speak At Admant On May 15

Rev. W. B. Moore will be the principal speaker at a Mass Meeting Tuesday evening, May 15, at 7:30 o'clock, at Admant Church on Stone Creek, held by the Lee County dry forces in the interest of the campaign against the sale of beer, wine and whiskey in the county.

The public is invited to come and hear Rev. Moore discuss this issue.

Attend Funeral

Mrs. C. B. Fry and Miss Helen Fry went to Kingsport Thursday, where they were called on account of the death of their uncle, L. D. Fletcher.

Funeral services for Mr. Fletcher were held at the Funeral Chapel in Kingsport Saturday morning at 10:30 o'clock.

RETURNS TO HOSPITAL

PFC. BEN H. LAMBERT

Pfc. Ben H. Lambert, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lambert, of Duffield, Va., was inducted into the Army January 11, 1944, and took his basic training at Camp Blanding, Fla. He sailed for overseas duty August 6, 1944, landing in Scotland.

Pfc. Lambert was in three major battles in France, Germany and Belgium. He was wounded in action January 8, 1945, and assigned to a U. S. Army hospital at Camp Carson, Colo. He came home on furlough, returning to the hospital April 9.

His wife, Mrs. Flossie Price Lambert, is working in a Baltimore, Md., shipyard. He has three brothers overseas: Pfc. Dainer C. Lambert, in Italy; Cpl. Gay Lambert, in Belgium; and Cpl. Warren Lambert, on Saipan.

Pfc. John Biggs Killed; Brother Is Wounded

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Biggs of Woodway, were notified a few days ago that their son, Pfc. John Biggs, was killed in battle on Luzon, April 9, 1945. He had been wounded in the first invasion of the Philippines and had returned to active duty.

The parents also received word that another son, Pvt. James Biggs, was recently wounded in Germany. A third son, Sgt. Henry Biggs, is serving in Germany.

Draft Board Offices Will be Moved; Dates Changed

The offices of Local Draft Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, will be moved May 18 to second floor of the Shelburne Building, (formerly known as the Roller Building, corner of Joselyn St. and Kentucky Ave.

Beginning June 1, the Board Meetings will be held Thursday afternoon of each week, at 1:30, instead of on Tuesday afternoons as heretofore.

Pennington Gap P. T. A. Elects New Officers

The last meeting of the P.T.A. was held at the school building Tuesday afternoon, May 8. Mrs. J. R. Barron was program leader and presented a program in keeping with Music Week. New officers elected for the ensuing year were:

President, Rev. P. R. Stubbs, vice president, Mrs. Elmo David; secretary, Mrs. C. D. Mehaffey; treasurer, Mrs. Katherine McFarland; program chairman, Mrs. M. H. Robbins; membership chairman, Mrs. W. B. Livesay.

WINS BRONZE STAR

T.-5 CHARLES C. PARSONS

Technician Fifth Grade Charles C. Parsons, serving with the 263rd Field Artillery Battalion, U. S. Army, has been awarded the Bronze Star Medal, together, with citation for "heroic achievement in connection with military operations against an armed enemy near Esselborn, Luxembourg, on January 25, 1945. The citation reads in part:

Fifth Grade Parsons, a headquarters battery radio operator, was engaged in the transmission of fire data to the battalion fire direction center. His radio position came under extremely heavy enemy small arms and mortar fire. Despite the continuance of the hostile fire, he remained courageously at his post until relieved. His heroic action was instrumental in bringing accurate artillery upon enemy positions harassing our advancing forces. His courage, initiative and unusual devotion to duty reflect the highest credit upon Technician Fifth Grade Parsons and the armed forces of the United States."

Parsons entered the Army in August, 1943, when hist 18 years old. He made his home here with his aunt, Mrs. J. C. Stapleton, and attended Pennington High School. He is a brother of Mrs. Lora Wynn.

Music Week Observed In Pennington Gap

National Music Week, beginning annually the First Sunday in May, opened officially in Pennington Gap Sunday afternoon, May 6, with a program sponsored by the Lee Choral Club at the Baptist Church from 3:00 to 4:00 o'clock. The music clubs of both Lee and Wise Counties took part in the program. A Silver offering was taken to help buy musical instruments for wounded war veterans.

Tuesday afternoon the local music clubs sponsored a program for the P. T. A. and other programs have been observed during the week.

On Saturday, May 12, the Choral Clubs of Lee and Wise will broadcast from Kingsport at 12:15 p. m. (EWT), which is 11:15 a. m. by our time (CWT).

Kentucky Ministers Help Lee Dry Forces In Wet-Dry Campaign

The Lee County Dry Forces, with Rev. C. D. Mehaffey as Chairman and Rev. P. R. Stubbs as Vice Chairman, have had the assistance of several Kentucky ministers in Mass Meetings held in the interest of the Local Option election May 29th.

Among them are: Rev. A. R. Perkins, pastor of the Methodist Church at Harlan; Rev. Clyde R. Widick, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Pineville; Rev. Tom Vaughan, of High Splint Baptist Church; Rev. W. J. Bolt, pastor of Harlan First Baptist Church, and others.

Speaking schedules for the following week include: A Mass Meeting at Ben Hur school house Monday night, May 14, 7:30, Rev. Clinton Green speaker. Stickleyville School Building Friday night, May 18, W. H. Creech, speaker. Sunday afternoon, May 20, at 2:30, the Rev. O. U. Kays, of Middlesboro, will be the principal speaker at Rose Hill Methodist Church.

Meetings will be held at Glass Memorial Church May 21, at 7:30 p. m., and Blackwater High School Building May 23, at 7:30 p. m., with Revs. L. D. Perkins and J. C. Jackson, of Jonesville, in charge.

Miss Imogene Burgan was the week-end guest of Miss Julia Pankow of Woodway.

HOW ABOUT A CHURCH FOR A WAR MEMORIAL?

Recently we have been reading much about proposed memorials, honoring our boys both living and dead, who have given so much, that we may continue to be a free people. Free to continue to live the lives we have been used to. Free to worship God as our hearts dictate, which means so much.

We the people of West Blackwater are in need of a new church building. Why not let it be a memorial? I among many others of Lee County have lost one of my precious boys in this war. I have two other sons in the service of our country, as have my neighbors who will be interested in a memorial of this kind.

I have been soliciting aid for a new church building for more than a year, and I wish to thank all who have contributed. Still we are far from being able to build, and am still planning on doing the work.

I appeal to every Christian who is interested in the Lord's work, for help on this memorial. Help me to build a house for the Lord which would please Him, and serve the generations to come.

Anyone who desires to contribute to this worthy cause will have my deepest gratitude, and the blessings of "Him who takes notice of all we do."

This in memory of my son, Lloyd Lawson Anderson, Jr., who died in France Sept. 24, 1944.

I thank all who read this and understand.

Effie Baker Anderson
Blackwater, Va., Route 2
Box 11.

Pfc. Humbert, son of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Humbert, of St. Charles, has been commended by his group commander for his meritorious work during a year of service overseas with the 361st P-51 Mustang Fighter Group.

The 20-year-old soldier links .50-caliber cartridges into belts for the Mustang fighters at the Eighth Fighter Command base.

1st and 2nd Induction Call For Month of May

TO MAKE SECOND TRIP

S. 1-C. ARNOLD O. PARSONS

Seaman 1-C. Arnold Odell Parsons, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Parsons, of Keokee, Route 1, volunteered for service August 20, 1944. He took his boot training at Bainbridge, Md., and from there went to Norfolk, where he took six weeks' training at the Armed Guards' School. Was then assigned to the U. S. Merchant Ship "New York". Upon has return from a trip to Cherbourg, France, Seaman Parsons came home for a four-day furlough, and has now returned to New York and is awaiting assignment for another overseas trip. He attended school at Meadow Fork in Lee County.

St. Charles Community Holds Dry Rallies

The dry forces in the St. Charles area are busy holding rallies in the interest of the Wet-Dry election to be held May 29. Speakers include local pastors and visiting ministers from various places.

Local Board No. 2 Sends Many for Pre-Induction, Few For Actual Service

Selective Service Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, Lee County, Va., lists the following large number of pre-induction registrants in first call for May, and only eleven who will answer second induction call:

Mack Fisher, Norton, Va., Charles Emory Horton, Kingsport, Tenn.; Dock Stewart Johnston, Dryden; Va.; Elbert Jessie St. Charles, Va.; Teddy Carr Fry, Baltimore, Md.; Harrison Kimberling, Clayton, Indiana; George Raymond Parks, St. Charles, Va.; Clyde Stapleton, Evarts, Ky.; William Collins, Jonesville, Va.; Ernest Clifford Waddill, Sergent, Ky.; Clarence Cuby Cooper, Pennington Gap, Va.; Horace Hilton, St. Charles, Va.; George Parker Earlie, Path Fork, Ky.; Roy Edward Shuler, Dryden, Va.; Willie Collin Lawson, Clayton, Indiana; Robert Franklin Martin, Hamilton, Ohio; George Phillips, Rhoda, Va.; Jake Marvin oJhnson, Keokee, Va.

Robert Bruce Palmer, Keokee, Va.; Joe Folk Reasor, Pennington Gap, Va.; Robert Lee Stevens, Pennington Gap, Va.; John Clifton Winfrey, Helena, Ala.; Roy Winford Scroggs, Wayne, Mich.; William Huff, Bonny Blue, Va.; Guy Thomas Smith, Kingsport, Tenn.; William Doyle Lundy, Brooklyn, Md.; Tip Edmond Eldridge, Springfield, Ohio; Baylor Smith, Oak Ridge, Tenn.; William Smith, Jr., Pennington Gap, Va.; William Conard Bartley, Danville, Ind.; William Jennings Posten, Radford, Va.; Doyle George Ward, Baltimore, Md.; Andy Monroe Wilson, St. Charles, Va.;

Clarence William Hodgeouth, St. Charles, Va.; Garvie Edward Cooper, St. Charles, Va.; John Richard Kirk, Rt. 1, Pennington Gap, Va.; James Charles Davis, St. Charles, Va.; Albert J. R. Hughes, Rt. 1, Pennington Gap, Va.; Marshall Preston Herren, Rt. 1, Keokee, Va.; John G. Harber, Jr., Pennington Gap, Va.; Wilborn Reynolds, Pennington Gap, Va.; James Clarence Robbins, Keokee, Va.; Billy Rogers, St. Charles, Va.; J. C. Leach, St. Charles, Va.; Willas Otto Wynn, Calvin, Va.; Peco [illegible] Duffield, Va.; Robert Coy Lawson, Dryden, Va.; Clyde Walter Coffman, Pennington Gap, Va.; Roscoe Clell Johnson, Rt. 2, Pennington Gap, Va.; Roy Junior Sage, Rt. 1, Pennington Gap, Va.; William Henry Crum, St. Charles, Va.; Elmer Eugene Hargraves, St. Charles, Va.; James Pinkney Carter, Rt. 2, Pennington Gap, Va.; Charles Wade, Rt. 1, Big Stone Gap, Va. Charles, Va.; Raymond Eugene Elmer Eugene Short, Valvin, Va.

Second induction call for May 15, 1945:

Paul E. Wyatt, Baltimore, Md.; John Riley Gibson, Pennington Gap, Va.; Edgar Morris, Dunbar, Va.; Starling Robert Estep, Calvin, Va.; Claude Thomas Pennington, Rt. 1, Keokee, Va.; Samuel Bruce Young, Woodway, Va.; Marion Wheeler Hall, Knoxville, Tenn.; Johnny B. Herrin, LeJunior, Ky.; Rufus Lee Daugherty, Pennington Gap, Va.; John Bradshaw, Keokee, Va.; Clifford Wiley Wilson, Rt. 1, St. Charles, Va.

Board 1 Lists Men For Pre-Induction Exams

Billy Robbins Believed To Have Been Rescued

Strong hope is now held that Seaman William G. ("Billy") Robbins, of Woodway, is safe, although his life was despaired of when it was learned that his ship, the U. S. Destroyer, the "Tringle" had been sunk off the shores of Okinawa between the 14th and 18th of April.

Announcement of the sinking of the "Tringle" was made April 20, and later the parents received two letters from Billy dated April 28, one an Air Mail and one a V-Mail. It has been reported since that several of the crew were saved.

Billy has survived four major battles during his service in the Navy. One time, off the shores of Mandora, his ship was hit by a shell, then he went to the Admiralty Islands, and from there to Iwo Jima.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Robbins of Woodway, and is a former Pennington High School student.

Cpl. Jack A. Collier Reported Killed in Crash

Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. J. F. Collier were happy about V-E Day Tuesday, and thankful that so far as they knew their three sons in service were safe.

But about 6:00 o'clock they were saddened by a telegram from the War Department announcing that their son, Cpl. Jack A. Collier, 21, had been killed in the Asiatic Theater of Operations May 5. Cpl. Collier graduated from Pennington High School in the class of '42, and entered service the following August. At the time of his death he was serving with the Air Corps Transport Command.

He is survived by his parents, one sister, Betty Ann, two brothers, Pfc. George Collier, with the U. S. Army in the Philippines, and Pvt. James Collier, at home on furlough from Camp Rucker, Ala.

Thirty-five To Answer May 16 Pre-Induction Call; New Registrants

Selective Service Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va., lists the following men who will fill the May 16th pre-induction call; also those who became 18 years of age and registered during the month of April:

Pre-Inductions:

David Otis Miles, R 4, Jonesville; John Carmony, Jr., Ewing; Howard Kirk, R 4,; Jonesville Robert Edward Nelson, R 4, Jonesville; Harry Everett Thompson, Ewing; Smith Bailey Wilson, R 4, Jonesville; Robert Alvis Lewis, Rose Hill; James Charlie Allen, R 1, Blackwater; Robert Jerrell, Jr., Rose Hill; Floyd Larry Warf, Gibson Station; Luther Porter Fletcher, Jonesville; James Otis Laforce, R 2, Jonesville; Claude Edward Fee, R 2, Rose Hill; Carson Moore, R 3, Jonesville; Harry Edward Harber; Rose Hill; Hubert Taylor, Ewing; Keith Fee, Rose Hill; James Robert Cooper, Rose Hill.

Otey Franklin Harris, Jr., Ewing; Delmer Wright, R 2, Jonesville; Fonie Hogson, Jonesville; Grant Levare Langley, Hagan; Jonce Franklin Williams, Rose Hill; Samuel Rufus Noah, Gibson Station; James Lester Williams (Lester Lovens), R 1, Rose Hill; Eugeen Bledsoe, R 1, Blackwater; George Emory Marcum, R 1, Jonesville; Lester Dewey Johnson, R 2, Jonesville; Charles Sherman Ward, Jr., Jonesville; Ben A. McDaniel, R 1, Rose Hill; Robert Seabolt, R 1, Ewing; Paul Dewitt Seale, R 1, Rose Hill; Olin Colby Eldridge, Jonesville; Edmond Spurlock, Rose Hill; Lee Foster Ingle, Jr., Rose Hill.

New Registrants

Luther Porter Fletcher, Jonesville; Claude Edward Fee, R 2, Rose Hill; James Robert Cooper, Rose Hill; Carson Moore, R 3, Jonesville; Harry Edward Harber, Rose Hill; Hubert Taylor, Ewing; Franklin Brooks, Ewing; Keith Fee, Rose Hill; Olin Colby Eldridge, Jonesville; Edmond Spurlock, Rose Hill; Otey Franklin Harris, Jr., Ewing; M. B. Johnson, R 2, Jonesville; Paul Seabolt, R 2, Jonesville; Hollis Gene Daugherty, Jonesville.

Pfc. Albert S. Smallwood Killed in Action April 13

Hubert W. Smallwood, formerly of Pennington Gap and now of Knoxville, Tenn., was notified by the War Department that his brother, Pfc. Albert S. Smallwood, 32, died of wounds received in combat in Germany April 13, 1945.

Pfc. Smallwood was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Gilmer Smallwood, of Jonesville, Va. He had served in the Army for 13 years, most of the time serving in foreign service. For the past nine months he has been serving in the European Theater of Operations.

Mrs. R. C. Laningham was called to Stanford, Ky., due to the illness of her mother, Mrs. Alice Wilkerson.

Roy Tomlinson Family Hurt In Car Wreck Sat.

Conditions of All Have Improved; Expected to Recover

Roy Tomlinson, wife and two children, James, sixteen months, and Carolyn, nearly three, were brought to Lee General Hospital Saturday morning, May 5, suffering severe injuries from an automobile wreck which occurred just outside Natural Tunnel in Scott County.

Mr. Tomlinson's arm was broken and he was suffering severe bruises and shock. Mrs. Tomlinson sustained a broken jaw, severe cuts about the face and other injuries. The baby's skull was fractured, and the little girl was only slightly injured. All were reported much improved yesterday, and Mr. Tomlinson and the two children were returned to their home. Mrs. Tomlinson remained for further treatment and observation.

Mr. Tomlinson stated that the family were on their way to Bristol to see Mrs. Tomlinson's sister, Mrs. Jean Meade Cox, and collided with a car coming this way. The driver of the other car was also reported injured and taken to a Kingsport, Tenn., hospital and later released.

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Urgent Appeal For Help In Drive Against Cancer

Mrs. C. B. Fry, Local Chairman of the Virginia Cancer Foundation, in co-operation with the American Cancer Society, issues an appeal to the citizens of Lee County to support the campaign in the interest of the prevention and cure of cancer, being conducted May 1-15.

Science contends that cancer is no longer a hopeless disease; that thousands of cases are being cured every year and that many thousands more could be cured or prevented if men and women would learn the facts and follow the simple steps outlined by these societies.

Workers in this area are: Dryden, Mrs. R. S. Orr; Bonny Blue, Mrs. Barker; Ewing, Mrs. T. M. King; Flatwood, Mrs. E. S. Suttle; Rose Hill, Mrs. C. L. Grabeel; Pennington Gap, Mrs. M. H. Robbins; St. Charles, Mrs. L. B. Hagy; Jonesville, Mrs. George P. Cridlin.

Mrs. Fry urges your help in this cause when approached by any of these ladies or their helpers.

IN MEMORIAM

In the passing of Brother H. L. Hartley, Pennington Lodge No. 155, I.O.O.F., has sustained loss that will be remembered for many years, and we grieve his passing, for he has answered the call of the Great Noble Grand of our universe.

Brother Hartley was reinstated in this Lodge on the 12th day of November, 1943, and from that time until his death on the 18th day of April, 1945, he was a fond and loyal Brother of our Order, although he was handicapped with sickness and did not have the privilege of attending as he would have liked; but he was a great influence in our midst.

Brother Hartley has a splendid family and was liked by a multitude of friends in and out of his Lodge, and he was known to be affectionate by his many friends and he took Odd Fellowship seriously.

He was possessed with a genial, kindly nature that won friends, and a loyalty that held them.

Truly we have lost a good Odd Fellow. We shall sorely miss his presence, but be ever guided by and inspired by his memory. Now therefore, be it resolved, That Pennington Lodge No. 155, I. O. O. F., take this means of expressing its appreciation of the life and accomplishments of Brother Hartley, and the honor and recognition he brought this Lodge and the community in which he lived; and be it further resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of this Lodge; that a copy be published in the Virginia Odd Fellows and The Powell Valley News, and that a copy be sent to the widow and family.

Ellis Roberts,
J. V. Kelly,
Tom Osborne,
Committee.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of Lee County, in vacation, the 12th day of April, 1945.

William L. Yeary....Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Pauline Blair Yeary, Infant
.... Defendant

The object of the above styled suit is to obtain a divorce on behalf of William L Reary ,complainant, from Pauline Blair Yeary, infant, defendant, on ground of adultery committed by the defendant, without the procurement or connivance of the complainant and within five years from the commencement of this suit.

And it appearing by affidavit filed according to law that Pauline Blair Yeary, infant, the above name defendant ,is not a resident of the State of Virginia, it is therefore ordered that the said Pauline Blair Yeary, infant, do appear within ten days after due publication of this order in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of said County and do what may be necessary to protect her interests, and it is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a newspaper published in Lee County, Virginia. And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, on or before the next succeeding rule day, and that another copy hereof be mailed to the defendant at the Post Office address given in the affidavit.

Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
Robt. B. Ely, p. q.
Adv. No. 19-4t

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NOTICE

The School Trustee Electoral Board of Lee County will meet at the Court House, Jonesville, Va., on the 19th of May, 1945, at 10:30 A. M., for the purpose of appointing a member of the County School Board in the Jonesville District, to serve for a term of four years.

Subscribed to this the 24th of April, 1945.

R. E. BEELER, Chmn.
Adv. No. 17-2t.

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Special Election, May 29th
Lee County

A Guide Ballot

First: Shall the Sale of Beer and Wine (Containing More Than Three and Two-Tenths Per Centum of Alcohol By Weight Be Permitted In Lee County?

~~YES~~
NO
(Strike Out One)

Second Shall the Sale of Alcohol Beverages Other Than Beer and Wine Be Permitted In Lee County?

~~YES~~
NO
(Strike Out One)

THOSE WHO DO NOT WANT BEER, WINE, NOR LIQUOR TO BE SOLD IN LEE COUNTY STRIKE OUT YES (—YES—) ON BOTH QUESTIONS AS INDICATED ON THE ABOVE GUIDE BALLOT.

YOUR VOTE IS NEEDED

YOU ARE QUALIFIED TO VOTE IN THIS ELECTION IF YOU WERE QUALIFIED TO VOTE IN THE LAST PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION, 1944.

Lee County Dry Forces
Charlie D. Mehaffey, Chairman
P. R. Stubbs, Vice Chairman
W. H. Parrott, Secretary
W. H. Creech, Treasurer

P. S. Send Contributions to Treasurer, W. H. Creech, Pennington Gap, Va.

Deaths AND FUNERALS

P. H. Chadwell

Peter H. Chadwell, of Ewing, died at his home April 26, following an illness of about one week. He was 76 years old.

Funeral services were held by the Rev. A. E. Robertson, Monday, April 28, at 10:00 a. m. Burial followed in Jones Cemeter at Ewing. Active pallbearers were nephews of Mr. Chadwell, and included Tip, Bill, Mose and Pierce Chadwell, and Shelby Robinson. Flower bearers were: Misses Jessie, Beatrice and Cleo Jones, Pauline Hoskins and Louise Daniel. Richmond's Funeral Home was in charge.

Mr. Chadwell as survived by his widow, Mrs. Cornie Chadwell, of Ewing; two daughters, Mrs. J. N. Gibson, of Kingsport, and Miss Olga Chadwell, Ewing.

Addie Lawson Roop

Addie Lawson Roop died at her home at Jonesville on May 3, at the age of 69. She had been ill for about two years.

Funeral services were held at the home May 4, at 2:00 p. m., conducted by the Rev. L. D. Perkins, pastor of the Jonesville Methodist Church. Burial followed in the family cemetery, with Gus Henderson, Undertaker, in charge.

Surviving are the husband, John B. Roop, of Jonesville; six sons, Claude, Jenis, Coy, Guy, and Ulys G., of Jonesville; John G. of Panama; two daughters, Miss Ina Mae Roop and Mrs. Burleson Orr; three brothers, Sam, John and Charles Lawson; and one sister, Mrs. Ollie Edwards.

NOTICE

Persons having claims against the estate of C. H. Shuler, deceased, are hereby notified to present same to Mrs. C. H. Shuler, Administratrix of the estate of said C. H. Shuler, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to settle indebtedness at once.

Mrs. C. H. Shuler,
Administratrix of the estate of C. H. Shuler, deceased, Route 1, Keokee, Va.
(Adv. 18-4t. pd.)

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

Virginia: In the Clerk's Office of the County of Lee, in Vacation, the 10th day of May, 1945.

Lula Newman, surviving widow of Oat Newman, deceased, and in her own right, et als
Vs) ORDER OF PUBLICATION
J. W. Newman, administrator of J. J. Newman, deceased, and in his own right, et als.

The object of the above styled suit is to wind up the estate of James J. Newman, deceased, to partition his undivided interest, or interests, in lands and to have same sold and the proceeds distributed to those entitled.

And it appearing by affidavit filed according to law that the following defendants: Sarah Jane Garrett, Hazel Garrett Rice, James Omer Garrett, Marie Garrett Carter, Lucy Newman Coldiron, Noah Newman, Margarite Newman Williams, Elinor Newman, Thurman Bailie, Wesley Bailie, Samuel Bailie, Arlena Garrett, Fred Garrett, Ewill Garrett, Iona Garrett Turley, Hyatt Garrett, F. K. Parsons, Jack Parsons, Ruby Parsons Pennington, Blanche Parsons, Paul Parsons, Madge Parsons, Marjorie Parsons and Jefferson Kyle Parsons, Jr., are not residents of this State; it is, therefore, ordered that the said named defendants do appear within ten days after due publication of this order, in the Clerk's Office of our said Circuit Court, and do what is necessary to protect their interests. And it is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a newspaper published in Lee County, Virginia. And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of said County on or before the next succeeding rule day, and that another copy hereof be mailed to the defendants to the Post Office address given in the affidavit.

Attest:
D. C. Sewell, Jr., Clerk
By Charles N. Haws, Deputy Clerk
Robt. B. Ely, p.q.
Adv. No. 19-4t.

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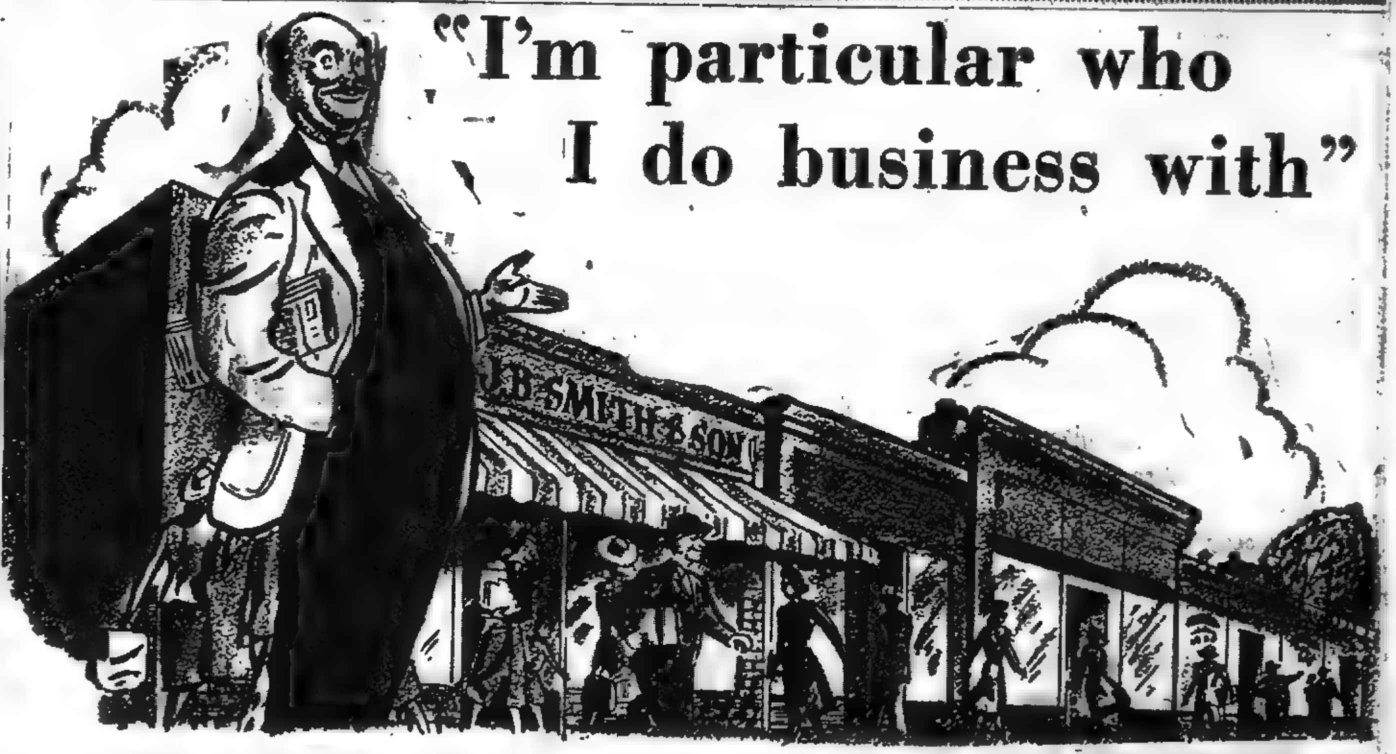

I KNOW there are a few merchants who think it's smart and profitable to buy things as cheap as possible and ask no questions. Just as there are individuals who jump at the bait when some slicker says: 'I can get it for you wholesale.' Well, I'm different, I guess. I'm particular who I do business with.

"For one thing, I aim to stay in business a long time. When I get too old, I want the business to be there for Sam, Jr., to take over. He's pretty busy right now killing Japs. Mother and I can only hope our prayers that he comes back alive will be answered — just like millions of other American parents.

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"I guess I surprised him when I told him what I thought about government in business. I don't like it. I happen to know that TVA's bargain rates are phony, whatever the politicians who run it claim. And I know how I would feel if some tax-dodging outfit set up in my line of business across the street and started to undersell me. If the government can run the power companies out of business that way, it can run anybody out of business.

No Hand-Outs, Please

"Maybe it's hard for some people to turn down a bargain, regardless of whether it's a product of fair competition or a government subsidy. When it comes to electricity, I'll stick with business management just as I would in buying any other commodity. Maybe we can stop some of this monkey business with the taxpayers' funds if we let the spending crowd know how we feel about it.

"Anyway, just like I said in the beginning, I'm particular who I do business with. And I don't want any handouts from TVA or any other government agency, whether they're rebates or special rates or whatever. Regulation, sure. But no government competition, if you please, with my tax dollars making up the losses."

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V-E Day Baby

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. George Napier, Pennington Gap, at 6 a. m. Tuesday, May 8. Dr. C. C. Carr, attending physician., said "we" called him Victor E., in honor of V.-E. Day.

Cpl. Clyde Myers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Myers, reported for duty after spending forty-five days with his parents.

T. Sgt. and Mrs. Violes Lee Flanary and son, Danny, of Smyrna, Tenn., are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Z. C. Flanary and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wilcox.

Be sure to see "Thirty Seconds Over Tokyo", coming to Lee Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, May 21 - 22.

Sgt. Pete Orr and brother, Dickie Orr, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., spent the week-end with friends and relatives here. They are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Orr, of Oak Ridge, formerly of this place.

Theater Party

Mrs. Jake Howard entertained the pupils of the upper grades of Pine Grove School with a theater party at Lee Theater Monday afternoon. Those attending were: Radford West, Nina Kirk, Elmer Garrett, Wanda Kirk, Hazel Rhea, Bonnie Head, Harold West, Dortha Ely, Etta Corbin, Omer Rhea, Geneva Doss, Antney Rogers, Rispal Lou Kirk, Bob Lee, Mollie Napier, L. P. Lanham, Jenelle Irvin, Jackie Ruth Spears, Christine Lanham, Clarence Woodard, Helen Cooper and Betty Lou Miles.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Cox entertained a number of their friends at a party Tuesday night, May 8, in honor of their sons, Joe Pat Cox, S. 1-c, who has been in the South Pacific Area for a year, and Sgt. Clyde Cox, who is stationed at Camp Lee, Va. Those present besides the family were:

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Kelly, Bruce, Kenneth and Mildred; Mr. and Mrs. Pete Myers and Jimmie Joe; Mr. and Mrs. Luther Cross and Patsy; Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Kelly and Charlotte; Misses Elsie Rhea, Nola Myers, Jessie Myers, Elberta Travis, Cora Evelyn Matthews, Christine Bailey, Jeanette Fleenor, Marie Clark, Joe Carter Matthews, J. F. Fleenor, Walter Clark, J. D. Richardson. After several games, refreshments were served.

Also Rev. and Mrs. C. D. Mehaffey, Eugene and Albert; Billy Lynn Richards, Elise Rhea and Mrs. Etta Green enjoyed a picnic supper with the family Wednesday evening.

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Friends of Mrs. J. H. Crutchfield, formerly of Jonesville and now of Portsmouth, Va., will be glad to know that she is improving after undergoing an operation at the Lake View Hospital, Suffolk, Va.

Miss June Hughes, employee of Murphy Stores in Pikeville, Ky., spent a vacation last week with her mother, Mrs. Hazel Hughes, of Stickleyville.

John Queener and family visited his father, who lives in Jacksboro, Tenn., recently. They reported a nice time although it was cold and rainy.

C. B. Fry spent last week-end in Washington, D. C., and Baltimore with his son, Ted Fry, and family, and his daughter, Mrs. Clyde Luntsford, and family.

Cadet Harry Keener Fry, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Fry, is here from San Marcos, Texas, to spend a fifteen-day furlough with his parents and friends.

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E. C. Barton, of Washington, D. C., and son, Don, who is Navy Chief Petty Officer, arrived in Pennington today for a visit with relatives and friends. Mrs. Barton stopped over in Johnson City for a few days, after which she will come to Pennington.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Ely announce the birth of a daughter on May 1, who has been given the name Phyllis Ann.

Mr. and Mrs. Rhea Parsons and daughters, Jane Ann and Davene, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Parsons 'parents, Mr. and Mrs. A .D. Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. Cline Yoakum had with them last week their son, Pvt .Cecil Yoakum, from Camp Wheeler, Ga.; also their daughter, Mrs. Lewis Wilder, and Mr. Wilder ,of Konxville, Tenn.

After lying in bed with a broken leg since March 28, Mrs. Josephine McNiel is "stepping lively" about the house with the aid of crutches. She was hurt in a car wreck.

Mrs. C. E. Johnson and small daughter, of Evarts, Ky., have been visiting Mrs. Sallie Clark for the past few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs .Cam J. Lewis have two members of their family, who have been away for some time, visiting with them. Miss Virginia Lewis ,of the new government hospital staff at Radford, and Seaman 2-C. James (Jimmie) Lewis, in from the Mediterranean area for a 15-day furlough.

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Wednesday and Thursday, May 16 - 17
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Also Latest News

Friday and Saturday, May 18 - 19
DOUBLE FEATURE
BILL ELLIOTT
—in—
VIGILANTES OF DODGE CITY
—and—
THE HOUSE OF FEAR
Also Serial

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Twelve healthy gentle cattle to graze. Care of Powell Valley News, Pennington Gap, Va.
Adv. No. 19-2t.

LOST

Ladies' Gruen Wrist Watch; rose gold; somewhere between West Joselyn Ave. and Pennington Pharmacy. Reward. Return to Mary Smith.
Adv. No. 19-1t pd.

Mrs. W. J. Richards is convalescing at her home from a long illness, due to a fall.

TOWN TALK

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while we live in the present.

Brothers-in-law Meet.

S. 1-C. T. R. Bailey, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Bailey, and MMS. 3-C. Clayton Hedrick, husband of Mrs. Lawanna Bailey Hedrick, met in Hawaii the other day. "It was a happy meeting", they both wrote back home.

Carr-Harr-Barr-Parr.

And they all live in Pennington Gap; Carr, the Doctor, Harr the Banker, Barr, the Insurance Representative, and Parr, C. and P. Telephone Co. Manager. In colors we have Black, White, Green and Brown. In occupations, Parsons, Gardners, Farmers, Tillers, Carpenters, Miners, Cooks, Merchants, Smiths.

These are just common names, likely to be found in any town.

Out But Not Down

Shelburne Stamper, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Stamper, of Pennington Gap, Route 2, is out of the Army, having been, medically discharged because of wounds received in action over Belgium while serving as Staff Sergeant with the AAF.

But though "out" Shelburne is by no means "down", and is making valuable donations in the way of usefulness to our town and community. He was a teacher in Lee County public schools prior to his entering service in 1942, and plans to attend the University of Columbia this coming season.

In the meantime he will devote much of his time to his favorite pastime of painting. Shelburne is a natural "born" artist, and has indulged in painting practically all his life, he says. In 1939 he did a painting for the Baptistry of the First Christian Church in Pennington Gap, and last Sunday at the Youth Rally of Union Christian Church on Station Creek his 5x9 production of Christ in Gethsemane was unveiled. Shelburne says he hopes at a later date to make an extensive study of art.

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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

The Hoskins are a One-Family USO

Saturday night is open house for service men at Dad and Ma Hoskins'. They spread out sliced turkey and chicken, hotbreads and cake, sweet cider and ice-cold beer—and let any service man who wants to, come and help himself.

Some townsfolk thought the fellows might get obstreperous or take advantage of the Hoskins' hospitality. But the men are quick to recognize that here's a real American home, where friendliness and moderation are just naturally observed.

And do they appreciate it? A touch of home life, hospitality, good food, a pleasant glass of beer or cider—and, afterwards, maybe a sing around the piano, or a chat before the fire.

From where I sit, a lot more families could take a tip from the Hoskins', and give our service men a chance to spend off hours in homelike surroundings, in an atmosphere of moderation and good fellowship.

Joe Marsh

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TOWN TALK

About This, That, And The Other

Death Goes On Rampage

It is appalling how many homes death has visited these last few days in Pennington Gap and community. It's victims have been people of varied ages. Some were published in the death column of this issue and others will be printed next week. May we who are left find comfort in the thought that . . .

"They live again in minds made better by their presence."

"What Winter Is This?"

That's what everybody is asking, since redbud, dogwood and blackberry winters have had their day. Guess this is just a little cold spell that sometimes follows a hard rain; at any rate, it deprived some of the young folks of a picnic and swimming party at Big Stone Gap.

V-Cherry

Cherries are ripe and housewives are busy canning and making pies. However, one that survives is one grown on a tree at the A. D. Rogers home. It is a large, well-formed cherry, and very plainly bears the letter "V" in a lighter shade of red. Weegie discovered the cherry and is keeping it in the refrigerator.

Natural Instinct

Here's a little story passed along to us by a resident of Florida: A man walking along a lakeside saw several colored children in bathing, and he saw an alligator seize one of them.

Frantically he ran to the house where a colored family lives and asked if the children belonged to them. On being told they did, he gently broke the news that an alligator had destroyed one of them.

The mother threw up her hands in a gesture of impatience as she said:

"Laws a mercy! I've been tellin' dat lazy man of mine to watch out — I believed somthin' was ketchin' our children!"

(More on page four)

O. E. S. Officers Installed

The newly elected officers of Powell Valley Chapter No. 13, Order of Eastern Star, were recently installed. They are:

Mrs. Rebecca Pugh, Worthy Matron; Gladys Robbins, Associate Matron; B. H. Wainscott, Associate Patron; Pearl Hughes, Treasurer; Helen Wainscott, Secretary; Ethel Stewart, Chaplain; Anne Laningham, Organist; Estell Tyler, Marshall; Maude Fletcher Brown, Conductress; Mable Orr Barker, Associate Conductress; Virginia Lou Stacy, Adah; Virginia Myers, Ruth; Tyra Gardner, Esther; Ida Richards, Martha; Estelle Myers, Electa; Virginia Pennington Holt, Warder; Cornelia Pugh, Sentinel.

The following officers retired after serving twenty months as the first officers of the Powell Valley Chapter.

Mrs. Jake (Gertrude) Howard, Worthy Matron; Dr. M. H. Robbins, Worthy Patron; Rebecca Pugh, Associate Matron; Bill Richards, Associate Patron; Gladys Robbins, Conductress; Maude F. Brown, Associate Conductress; Bennie Mae Flanary, Organist; Maxie Cox, Chaplain; Marie Bryant, Adah; Mildred Richards, Ruth; Beulah Parks, Esther; Mrs. C. C. (Anne) Carr, Martha; Cora Hinkle, Electa; Mossie Green, Warder; Hannah Tipton, Sentinel.

The chapter was instituted on Friday, August 18, 1943, with thirty-nine charter members. The membership is 88 at present.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Weather Bureau report for the week ending May 13, 1945, for Lee County, furnished by Cam J. Lewis, official observer:

Date	Temperature		Rainfall
May	Highest	Lowest	Inches and Hours
7	59	35	.02
8	68	37	.00
9	75	40	.35
10	66	36	.00
11	60	31	.36
12	64	37	.00
13	60	44	.65

Men In Second May Pre-Induction Call

Sixty From Board No. 2 Will Leave May 21st For Physical Exams

The following registrants have been selected to fill the second May pre-induction call for Local Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, and will leave Monday, May 21, for physical examination:

William Mack McCann, Duffield; Robert Zackariah Burke, Jonesville; William Paul Sage, R. 1, Duffield; John Edward Dotson, St. Charles; Roy Ancil Johnston, Woodway; Curtis Coy Stidham, St. Charles; Neal Ewing, R. 1, Pennington Gap; Julius Frederick Ridings, R. 1, Keokee; Riley Cook, R. 4, Jonesville; Howard Herron, Benedict; Silas Maynard Wood, R 1, Duffield; Sam Lee Davis, Olinger; Lonnie Elmer Fields ,St. Charles; Eckie Edward Ward, Calvin; Howard Judson Quillen, Dryden; Leland Clayton Sloaver, St. Charles; Everett Leslie Johnston, R. 2, Pennington Gap; Campbell Bascom Coomer, R. 1, Big Stone Gap; James Barker, R. 3, Jonesville; Sherman Wade, Dryden.

Clarence Alvin Hall, R. 1, Big Stone Gap; Lee Vernon Shell, Pennington Gap; Paul Thacker, St. Charles; Martin Henderson Reasor, Olinger; Liburn Clayton Myers, R. 2, Pennington Gap; Carl Mullens, R. 1, Big Stone Gap; Lones Hayes Mullins, Wind Rock, Tenn.; Boyd William Stidham, St. Charles; Charles Murrell Young, Dunbar, Va.; Grover Charles Fultz, St. Charles; Troy Clifford Bailey, Detroit, Mich.; John Henry McQueen, R. 1, Pennington Gap; William Fred Fannon, R. 1, Dryden; James Herbert Wade, R. 1, Dryden; Daniel Monroe Wilson, Jonesville; Blue; Ben Burke, R. 3, Jonesville; Alex Wilson Reasnic, Duffield; Joe Gordon Gibbons, Pennington Gap; Fayette Ely, R. 1, Dryden; Roy Bennie Cooper, Osage ,W. Va.

William Horttell Hawkins, Inman, Va.; Lester Cecil Redwine, St. Charles; Don Lee Myers, R. 1, Dryden; Leamon Cecil Kennedy, Bonny Blue; Roth Elton Hobbs, R. 2, Pennington Gap; Roy Vastine Parsons, Duffield; Lester Varble, St. Charles; Earl Franklin Sage, R. 1, Duffield; Walter Baker, St. Charles; Jett Parks R. 1, Pennington Gap; Everett Charles Neeley, Clayton, Ind.; Judson Taylor Daugherty, Pennington Gap; Vincent Crabtree Hobbs, R. 1, Dryden; Charlie Edgar Stranger, Danville, Ind.; Buford Stapleton, R. 1, Pennington Gap; Lloyd Marion Satterfield, R. 1, Pennington Gap; William Worley Dinsmore, Keokee; William Howard Rogers, R. 1, Big Stone Gap; Charles Edward Marion, R. 2, Pennington Gap; Harry Lee Shuler, Keokee.

To Hold Revival At Calvary Baptist Church

The Rev. J. F. Aker, of Radford, Va., will conduct a revival at Calvary Baptist Church in West Pennington, beginning June 4. The meeting will probably continue two weeks. The public cordially invited.

Kester Greene, Pastor.

WITH ANTI-TANK UNIT

PFC. BILLY R. BURGAN

Pfc. Billy R. Burgan, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Burgan, of Jonesville, Va., entered service on December 13, 1943, and received his basic training at Camp Wolters, Texas.

He has been overseas about two months, and is now with an anti-tank unit in Germany.

Pvt. Jack Williams Is Reported Killed May 5

PVT. JACK E. WILLIAMS

A message came from the War Department this morning to Mrs. Emma Williams, notifying her of the death in action of her son, Pvt. Jack E. Williams, in Czechoslovakia on May 5, 1945. He would have been 19 years old in next month.

Jack graduated from Pennington High School in the class of '43, and worked for the Standard Service Station here until his enlistment in service October 11, 1944. Soon following his furlough home in February, he sailed for overseas duty.

Besides the mother, he is survived by four sisters, Mrs. Josh Barney and Miss Irene Williams, of Pennington Gap; Mrs. Frank Bischelia, Middlesboro, Ky., and Lt. Dorothy Williams, with the Army Nurses' Corps at Camp Lee, Va.; and two brothers, George Williams, of Appalachia, and Cpl. R. E. Williams, of Fort Warren, Wyoming.

Dry Forces Announce Places, Dates of Meetings

The following places, dates and speakers are outlined by the Lee County Dry Forces in the interest of the local option election to be held May 29:

Ewing Grammar School—Sunday, May 20, at 2:30 p. m.; Rev. O. U. Kayes, of Middlesboro, speaker.

Glass Memorial Church—Monday, May 21, at 7:30 p. m.; Rev. L. D. Perkins and Rev. J. C. Jackson, of Jonesville, speakers.

Blackwater High School—May 23, at 7:30 p. m.; Revs. Perkins and Jackson, speakers.

Deep Springs Baptist Church—May 22, 7:30 p. m.; Rev. J. A. McVey and W. H. Creech, speakers.

Woodway Community Church—May 22, 7:30 p. m.; Rev. W. H. Parrott, speaker.

Rose Hill Methodist Church—May 23, 7:30 p. m.; Rev. C. D. Mehaffey, speaker.

Robbins Chapel—May 25, 7:30 p. m., Rev. C. B. Herndon, speaker.

Dryden High School—Sunday, May 27, 2:30 p. m.; Rev. C. D. Mehaffey, speaker.

Poor Valley Community Church — May 24, 7:30 p. m.; Rev. C. B. Herndon, speaker.

Other meetings have been planned, details of which will be announced later.

Sgt. Andy P. Stanley Is Liberated

Mrs. E. P. Stanley of Stickleyville, came in to see us the other day to subscribe for The P. V. N. and to tell us the good news that her son, Sgt. Andy P. Stanley, is among the Virginia War Prisoners recently liberated from the Nazis in Germany.

Mrs. Stanley is hoping he will be home soon.

Lt. and Mrs. B. B. Laningham arrived here Monday afternoon from Yuma, Arizona., where Lt. Laningham has been stationed as instructor in an Army Air Corps camp. They will be here until Sunday, when they will go to Greenville, S. C.

Lt. Laningham is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Laningham, and Mrs. Laningham was formerly Miss Josephine Reasor.

"MIGHTY SEVENTH" WAR LOAN DRIVE OPENED MONDAY

Again an opportunity is before the public to participate in a nation-wide War Loan — "The Mighty Seventh"—which opened officially May 14, to continue to July 1.

Hon T. B. Fugate, Lee County War Finance Chairman, reports a meeting held yesterday at Lee Bank & Trust Co., Pennington Gap, at which time organization was perfected for the county. Mr. Fugate reports that the largest E Bond quota has been assigned Lee County that has ever been assigned them in any previous War Loan Drive, because, he states, the needs are so much greater, and in reality this is two drives in one. The assignment by areas are:

Rose Hill area, $75,000; Jonesville area, $75,000; Pennington Gap area, $75,000; St. Charles area, $75,000.

The St. Charles area breakdown is as follows: Leona Mines, $25,000; Bonny Blue, $25,000; Benedict, $25,000; St. Charles, $10,000.

A county-wide meeting of workers will be held Monday night, May 25th, for checking results.

Local Boys Liberated From Prison Camps

Many Lee County folk are being made happy by the liberation of boys from war prison camps in Germany. Among those directly reported are:

Lt. Wayne W. Livesay, held prisoner in Germany for more than nine months, writes his mother, in part: "I am in a hospital in Paris; not sick, just for a check-up, and it shouldn't be long now until I'll be coming home . . . . It seems so good to be free again, that it all just seems like a dream. If it is, I hope I'll not wake up."

Pfc. Claude Graham, also a prisoner nine months in the same camp with Lt. Livesay, writes his mother: "It's good to see the American flag flying over this place, and to be in friendly hands again. I hope to be coming home soon." He is a brother of Mrs. O. E. Willis, of Pennington Gap.

Sgt. Tom Housley cabled his mother a greeting on Mothers' Day, expressing his joy at being free again, and saying he expected soon to be on his way home. Sgt. Housley is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Housley, formerly of Pennington and now of Knoxville. He was reported missing on D-Day, and a few days later reported a prisoner.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Richmond, of Ewing ,are reported to have had a message from their son, Sgt. Dan P. Richmond, held prisoner since January, 1945, stating his happiness to again be a free man.

Pvt. Grover C. Carmany, of Ewing, is included in the liberated list, but details have not been learned.

Mrs. Emmett Stanley, of Stickleyville, told us several days ago of the freedom of her son, Sgt. Andy Stanley.

For these and all others yet to be reported, we are extremely glad and join with others in the hope of "seeing them soon".

Award For Soldier Son To Be Presented Parents

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Stickley, of Rose Hill, are eagerly awaiting word from their only son, Sgt. Fred Frank Stickley, supposed to be among the liberated war prisoners of Germany.

Sgt. Stickley is entitled to two awards — one Air Medal and one Oak Leaf Cluster, and these will be presented to his parents at their home on the morning of May 24, by Lt. Mott, of the Public Relations Office, Army Headquarters Air Base, Richmond, Va.

Sgt. Stickley went down over Kassel, in Germany, October 7, 1944; bailed out with a broken plane, and was taken prisoner by the Germans. He was in Stalag Luft IV, and later moved to Mooresburg.

He is a grandson of the late B. F. and Elizabeth Ball Kincaid, formerly outstanding residents of Ewing.

Rev. Parrott To Speak For "Drys" At Keokee

Rev. W. H. Parrott, pastor of Admant Baptist Church, will speak at Keokee High School gymnasium on Sunday, May 27, at 2:30 p. m., in the interest of the Lee County Dry Forces.

"Mack" Garrett Dies From Heart Attack

McKinley Garrett, more familiarly known as "Mack" Garrett, died suddenly from a heart attack at his home about 2:15 p. m., Tuesday, May 15, just after returning home with some groceries. He was 45 years old.

Mr. Garrett was a painter and paperhanger by trade, but recently had been assisting in Richard Orr's barber shop.

Funeral services were held today at 2:00 p. m., at the First Baptist Church, conducted by the pastor, Rev. P. R. Stubbs, assisted by the other local pastors. Burial followed in Hill Cemetery.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Maggie Fleenor Garrett; seven children, Clarence Edward, Dewey Lee, Fred Ray, Harold, Jimmy Joe, Orbin, and Betty Jane; the father, James Garrett; one sister, Mrs. Addie Gibson; and four brothers, Chester, Elbert, Hobart, and Bill.

Big Stone Gap District Conference Convenes

The Big Stone Gap District Conference convening at Appalachia, May 15 - 16, is reported as very successful and well attended from over the counties of the District, including Lee, Wise, Scott, and Dickinson. The conference was presided over by Rev. Roy E. Early, Superintendent.

A. S. Pennington, of Pennington Gap, was re-elected as Conference Lay Leader, and Hubert Wheeler, of Rose Hill, was elected as one of the assistant lay leaders.

A resolution was adopted to appoint a committee for the purpose of launching a crusade against legalized alcoholic beverages in all the counties of the District. The resolution committee was composed of Rev. C. D. Mehaffey, Rev. Sam Leidig, Rev. Powell Richardson, A. S. Pennington, and Hubert Wheeler.

Movement To Organize Cub Pack In Pennington

Kenneth Connelly, deputy regional executive, Region Four, Cincinnati, and Harold G. Hayes, Scout Executive, Lonesome Pine Council, with headquarters in Pikeville, Ky., were in Pennington Gap Wednesday in the interest of organizing a Cub Pack, which is a Scout organization for boys nine, ten and eleven years of age.

Accompanied by the Boy Scout Troop and their leader, Claude Grace, they attended prayer meeting services at the Methodist Church on Wednesday evening, and Mr. Connelly gave an interesting talk outlining the purpose and plans of the organization, and soliciting cooperation in putting it over.

"One of the purposes of the Cub Pack," he said, "is to strengthen the home - life of young boys. The young people are being pulled too much away from the home. Since industry has come into the country, homes are being pulled apart. A program of Cubbing is set up to give the boys something to do; to help keep family life together."

Report of X-ray Clinic

Miss Eva Pugh, Tuberculosis Field Nurse, reports that at the X-ray Clinic held in Pennington Gap Methodist Church the week of April 30, 131 persons were examined. Of this number there were 33 positive cases (new and old), and quite a few recommended for sanitorium or hospital treatment.

Miss Pugh states that all of the reports are in the hands of family physicians, and those x-rayed are urged to return to him for advice and instructions.

Piano Recitals

Miss Cora Lewis will present the members of the "Pennington Gap Junior Musicians' Club" in a piano recital on Monday evening, May 28, at 8:00 o'clock, in the high school auditorium.

On Tuesday evening, May 29, at 8:00 o'clock, the members of the "Pennington Gap Juvenile Musicians' Club" will also be presented in recital in the high school auditorium.

The Pennington Glee Club will assist in each of the programs. The public is cordially invited to attend both recitals.

Brothers-in-Law In Shooting Affray

HIS WARFARE ENDED

PFC. DAINE O. PARKEY

Pfc. Daine Overland Parkey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parkey, of Jonesville, was killed in action April 17, according to a message received by his parents from the War Department. He was serving with General Courtney Hodge's First Army in Germany.

Pfc. Parkey entered service september 27, 1943. He held the Good Conduct Medal, the Combat Infantryman Badge, and the Middle European Defense Ribbon with two Bronze Stars. He attended Jonesville High School, and would have been 21 in June.

He is survived by his parents, a twin brother, Dennis Parkey, and two sisters, Mrs. Anne Nida and Mrs. Alberta Parsons.

LEE COUNTY SCHOOLS TO CLOSE NEXT WEEK

The week beginning May 21 will bring to a close the eight high schools and 70 public schools of Lee County. It has been our custom in the past to publish a special edition dedicated to the schools each year at closing time, but due to production difficulties beyond our control, it has been impossible for us to do so this year.

We congratulate the principals and teachers who have guided the children and young people of our county through this, another successful school term, and wish for one and all a very happy vacation .

Pennington High School will graduate a class of 45 this year, the final exercises being set for Friday night, May 25. The class pageant, "In Freedom's Holy Light", will be presented. Miss Helen Mullins is valedictorian of her class, and Miss Doris Jean Jessee is the salutatorian.

The baccalaureate service will be held Sunday evening, May 20, in the First Baptist Church, with Rev. C. D. Mehaffey as speaker.

The senior play, "The Bride's Stand In", will be given at the high school auditorium Wednesday evening, May 23.

Jonesville High School Commencement Program

Jonesville High School will present the following Commencement program at the high school auditorium:

Friday, May 18, 8:00 p. m., Band and Choral Club Concert.

Sunday, May 20, 11:00 a. m., Baccalaureate Service, Rev. W. B. Moore, pastor First Christian Church, Pennington Gap, Va.

Thursday, May 24, 8:00 p. m., Graduation Exercises. Pageant: "A Pan-American Fiesta", Senior Class.

Friday, May 25, 10:00 a. m., final Chapel Exercises.

Friday, May 25, 8:00 p. m., Mrs. Alice Carter presenting Miss Patricia Dandridge Horton in piano recital.

Card Of Thanks

Our sincerest thanks to all our friends for the kindness shown us in the death of our brother, James C. Ellison.

We are grateful to all who assisted in the home, to the friends who called, to all taking part in the beautiful funeral services, for the floral offerings, and for the donations of cars .

Mrs. Laura Ellison and Family,
The Brothers and Sisters.

Kermit Edens Wounded By Shotgun Blast Fired By R. L. Combs, Wed.

"I got a dirty deal," Kermit Edens, 31, declared this morning from his hospital bed at Lee General. "I didn't even know Bob was mad at me until he told me he was going to kill me."

"Bob" is R. L. Combs, 55, Edens' brother-in-law and next-door neighbor. They live on Route 1, Jonesville, in the Beech Grove community.

Edens told the Powell Valley News reporter this morning that he and Combs had worked near each other practically all day, he doing some harrowing and Combs removing some rock from the premises.

"Once during the day," Edens said, "I went to look for a collar I always used on an old mule, and Combs told me he had it on a younger mule of his, but we didn't have any words about it. Later in the evening, about 7:00 o'clock, Bob called to me from his porch and asked me if we were going to get along, and I told him of course. He then said he was going to kill me anyway, and fired a shotgun into my right side."

According to Sheriff J. W. Newman ,Combs was arrested by himself and Deputy J. S. Doyle, given preliminary trial and released under bond.

Combs is said to be a shell-shocked veteran of World War I.

I.O.O.F. Will Hold District Meeting

There will be a District Meeting of Odd Fellows at Pennington Lodge No. 265 on May 19, 1945. This meeting will celebrate the 126th year of Odd Fellowship in America, and all Odd Fellows and families are welcome.

Features of this meeting will be singing, music, speaking, prize contests and a good social entertainment. Prize to the oldest Odd Fellow present. Please have date of initiation verified by your lodge. Prize to the youngest Odd Fellow. Present date of initiation verified by your lodge. Prize offered to the winner in a gobble contest. Prize offered for the best acted blind date. Prize of $5.00 to the member who has carried the applications and received the most members since last May 18, 1944. Have your lodge verify the correct account.

These features are sponsored by Pennington Lodge and the D.D.G.M.

Ellis Roberts, D.D.G.M.

Mrs. T. E. Vaughan, of East Rainelle, W. Va., is visiting her son, Carl Vaughan, wife and son, at the home of J. Marion Smith, near Woodway.

Mrs. Eva Horn and son, Jimmy Don, are here from Bristol visiting among relatives and friends.

SERVING IN PACIFIC

ELIJAH C. CARTER, F. 2-C.

Fireman 2-C. Elijah C. (Lige) Carter, of the U. S. Navy, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Carter, of Wise, Va. He entered service May 30, 1944, took his boot training at Camp Peary, Va., and from there went to Norfolk, Va., from there to New York; thence to San Francisco, Calif.; and is now serving somewhere in the South Pacific.

He is the husband of the former Ruth Stewart. They have two sons, Zan, five years old, and Tony, two years old.

News From
POOR VALLEY

(For week of May 3)

Pvt. George Parsons has been transfeered from England to a convalescent hospital in West Virginia.

Pvt. Edward McFarland has been transferred to Fort Bragg, N. C.

Mrs. Mae Gibson and daughter Patsy Anne attended Sunday School at Valley View Church, Sunday.

Mr. J. B. Earley and grandson John Thomas Ely spent Saturday night with Mr. Earley's daughter Mrs. Effie Astrop.

Mr. and Mrs. Hasque Slagle and children Florence and Phyliss were dinner guests of Mrs. Slagles' parents Mr. and Mrs. Henry Parsons, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carroll were visiting on Dry Branch the past week end.

Mrs. Bennie Mae Howard was shopping in Pennington, Friday.

THERE'S A BRIGHT FUTURE FOR FARM TELEPHONE SERVICE, TOO!

We would like to see many more farms with telephones.

Bell Telephone Laboratory research—although nearly wholly diverted to war projects—has found new ways to extend and improve farm telephone service: Stronger wire that takes fewer poles, how to send telephone messages over electric power lines, radiotelephones to reach remote spots.

We are busy right now planning how to use these ideas. There's a bright future for the farm telephone when manpower and materials are again available

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Miss Mae McCracken of V. I. C. has been employed by Mr. Hayes Brown to do cooking and other house work while his wife June is convalescing from an operation which she underwent several days ago at Lee General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bailey and family were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Bailey on Big Hill, Sunday.

Mrs. Edith Astrop and daughter Juanita were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Parsons Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Duskie Greene and Mrs. Geneva Lee were visiting Mrs. Inez Huff at Dryden, Sunday.

Walter "Big Jack" and Rastus Derry made a business trip to Pennington, Saturday.

Mrs. Estelle Kelly and children of near Seminary were visiting Mrs. Nettie Livingston and Mr. and Mrs. Boland, Sunday afternoon.

News From
NAGAN

(For week of May 10

Miss Bonnie Langley, who is employed at Baltimore, Md., is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Langley.

Mrs. Mary Watkins spent Sunday with her daughters, Mrs. Arney Ramsey and Mrs Dorothy Gilliam, of Flatwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Depew and family of Hubbard Springs, visited Mr. and Mrs. Steve Langley, Sunday.

Hugh McConnell, of the U. S. Navy, was visiting friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Eldridge and family, of Flatwood, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Cellie Thomas Sunday.

Rev. George Vanhuss, of Rose Hill, preached here Sunday.

Sgt. Lester Hensley, of Memphis, Tenn., is spending a thirty day furlough with his wife and parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanders Grabeel and family, of Rose Hill, spent Sunday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gill Hensley.

Sgt. Lester Hensley and wife, Pfc. Lawrence Hensley and Byrd Hensley of the Marines, visited relatives in Kentucky last week.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of my beloved husband, Pvt. Clay Coldiron, Jr., who lost his life in service May 14, 1944. He is not dead, only sleeping.

They took you away from me,
But I prayed that you'd return;
God saw cause to call you,
But for you I'll always yearn.
Darling, there's two of us now—
Only the baby and me;
We will be always thinking of you
Wherever you may be.

By his wife.

WANTED

Twelve healthy gentle cattle to graze. Care of Powell Valley News, Pennington Gap, Va. Adv. No. 19-2t.

Gas Pumps At Filling Stations In Lee Tested

A recent test of gas pumps at filling stations in Lee County by W. L. Gray, an inspector of the Division of Markets of the State Department of Agriculture shows the following results: A total of 84 gas pumps were found in use and tested; 15 of these were found incorrect or failed to meet the standard requirements.

Those pumps that were found to be correct were approved and sealed with a white sticker or tag, which indicates to the purchaser that these pumps were tested and approved by the inspector. The public is urged to look for the white seal on gas pumps when buying gasoline as the presence of this seal is their best insurance against inaccurate measure. All pumps found to measure inaccurately or have mechanical defects of such a nature as to lead to inaccurate measure or facilitate the perpetration of fraud were tagged with a red "Condemned for Repairs" tag, indicating to the purchaser that the pumps were not in an approved condition when tested. All such pumps are required to be repaired and corrected at once if continued in use.

In connection with the testing of gas pumps, the grease measuring devices used in filling the transmissions and differentials of automobiles were also tested. Grease measuring devices that do not measure correctly are condemned in the same manner as gas pumps. However, the approved stickers are not applied to grease measuring devices that are found to measure correctly but the adjusting apparatus on such devices is sealed in such a way that the measure cannot be altered without first destroying or mutilating the seal.

IN MEMORIAM

In memory of Daddy, by the children of H. L. Hartley, who departed this life April 18, 1945.

Out of our sorrow and heartaches, there has come to us a moment when it seems we've gone the last mile of the way, and that we've borne the last burden we can bear. But out of these hours of loneliness and sorrow, because our Daddy has gone, comes that blessed eternal promise of God that we shall not walk alone; and, if we fall, He is there is raise us up again.

Every time our hearts are broken, He is there to heal, and every time we go down in Gethsemane He is there with us.

When our Daddy left us we were reminded anew that man's stay upon this earth is indefinite, that we have no certainty of the present or of the future; but we thank God for the life our Daddy lived and for the consolation that if we strive to emulate the life he lived here with us we, too, shall have a new beginning in an eternity of peace that passeth all understanding.

Across the lonely and indefinite years that lie before us will come the comforting thought of the words below, which prove to us that man does not suffer alone:

I stumbled and fell by the wayside,
No one but myself was to blame;
I was blinded and groping in darkness,
And weakly I called His name.
He answered and said to me slowly,
"Do you think none has suffered but you?"
He held out those hands with the nail-prints—
"I was lost in Gethsemane, too."

FOR SALE

One 5-room house, with bath, on five 80-foot lots, fronting on Morgan Ave., extending back to Church Ave. Property located second door east of First Baptist Church. See or write Miss Orpha Headen. Pennington Gap, Va. Adv. No. 20-2t pd.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

Virginia: In the Clerk's Office of the County of Lee, in Vacation, the 10th day of May, 1945.

Lula Newman, surviving widow of Oat Newman, deceased, and in her own right, et als

Vs) ORDER OF PUBLICATION

J. W. Newman, administrator of J. J. Newman, deceased, and in his own right, et als.

The object of the above styled suit is to wind up the estate of James J. Newman, deceased, to partition his undivided interest, or interests, in lands and to have same sold and the proceeds distributed to those entitled.

And it appearing by affidavit filed according to law that the following defendants: Sarah Jane Garrett, Hazel Garrett Rice, James Omer Garrett, Marie Garrett Carter, Lucy Newman Coldiron, Noah Newman, Margarite Newman Williams, Elinor Newman, Thurman Baille, Wesley Baille, Samuel Baille, Arlena Garrett, Fred Garrett, Ewill Garrett, Iona Garrett Turley, Hyatt Garrett, F. K. Parsons, Jack Parsons, Ruby Parsons Pennington, Blanche Parsons, Paul Parsons, Madge Parsons, Marjorie Parsons and Jefferson Kyle Parsons, Jr., are not residents of this State; it is, therefore, ordered that the said named defendants do appear within ten days after due publication of this order, in the Clerk's Office of our said Circuit Court, and do what is necessary to protect their interests. And it is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a newspaper published in Lee County, Virginia. And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of said County on or before the next succeeding rule day, and that another copy hereof be mailed to the defendants to the Post Office address given in the affidavit.

Attest:
D. C. Sewell, Jr., Clerk
By Charles N. Haws,
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Adv. No. 19-4t.

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"Good In War"

Out of war grows much good for humanity. While many hearts will be broken, loved ones lost, towns destroyed and temples wrecked, there will be factors that will add to human progress. Public health will be improved. The use of blood plasma, the discovery of the use of certain drugs, plastic surgery and other improvements forced upon us of necessity will save many lives as time goes on.

New opportunities for young people have been discovered. Who of us knew much of India or Africa or South America or the islands until our boys went there? All these places hold opportunities for scientists, engineers, teachers and physicians. New uses of wood, milk, grain and even weeds, open doors of usefulness and opportunity. We know more of both friendly and enemy countries than we ever knew. It may be that we get so steeped in love of luxury and ease; become so soft through wealth or the "security" of a paternalistic government that a loving God who prefers strength and character to weakness, gives us a war to burn the dross and refine the gold.

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OLD JUDGE: "Glad to tell you, George. Until recently, a person known as an alcoholic was generally treated as a social outcast. Little if anything was done to understand him or help him. But, during the past few years, medical research and study has developed that alcoholics are really sick people... that there is usually a deep-rooted physical, social or emotional reason behind their behavior. That's why today so much is being done to help them by finding out and correcting the condition that leads them to excess."

GEORGE: "How many folks are there like that, Judge?"

OLD JUDGE: "Well, according to scientific research, 95% of the people who drink, drink sensibly. 5% do so unwisely, at times. Included in that 5% is the small percentage of the sick people I'm talking about."

GEORGE: "That certainly gives me a clearer picture. It's the most sensible approach I've ever heard on the subject."

This advertisement sponsored by Conference of Alcoholic Beverage Industries, Inc.

News From OCOONITA

A large crowd attended Sunday School at the home of Mrs. Charlie Mullins on Mothers' Day, May 13. Rev. Kester Greene preached a wonderful Mothers' Day sermon. Since the Ocoonita Baptist Church has been torn down, and a new one being built, Sunday School and night services are being conducted in the homes.

Pfc. Neal Ingle, who has been serving overseas in the U. S. Army for the past three years, is spending a 45-day furlough with his mother, Mrs. Jesses Ingle; also other relatives and friends here.

Willis Krick, who served four months overseas with the U. S. Army, and just recently returned to the States, spent a 15-day furlough with his wife and little son at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Caner Johnson. He returned to his post at Asheville, N. C., Monday.

Miss Thelma Burchett ,employed at Kingsport, Tenn., was the week-end guest of Mrs. Bonnie Ingle.

O. J. Fleenor, who is employed at Oak Ridge, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Fleenor.

Mr. and Mrs. Caner Johnson enjoyed a family reunion at their home on Mothers' Day. All the members of the family were present, as follows: Glen Johnson and two children, of Cumberland, Ky.; Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Fleenor, of Knoxville; Mrs. Golden Hargraves and two children, of Knoxville; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Clarkson and little son, of San Francisco, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Willis Krick and little son, of North Carolina; Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ingle, of Ocoonita; Miss Bernice Johnson, who is employed at Oak Ridge; and Jackie Johnson, at home.

Paul Clarkson, who is with the U. S. Navy in San Francisco, accompanied by his wife and little son, Roger, is spending a few days with Mrs. Clarkson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Johnson.

Jackie Johnson is visiting in Knoxville, Tenn.

News From DRY BRANCH

By Edith Astrop
(For week of May 3)

Messrs. Corbitt Astrop and Paul Early visited Cpl. Billy Astrop at a convalescent Hospital in New York over the week end. Billy is doing fine and expects to be at home soon.

Mr. Stuart Pugh is being employed by Mr. and Mrs. Elhannon Howard of Poor Valley to do farm chores.

Mr. and Mrs. James Early and Ralph and Merble Early were visiting friends in Olinger, Saturday.

Mrs. Anna Mae Oakley made a business trip to Harlan, Ky., recently.

Misses Sandra and April Meredith of near Pennington spent the week end with home folks.

Mrs. Vernell Edens and Sue Ely attended a movie in town Monday.

Mrs. Virginia Merchant has purchased some new furniture and is housekeeping on Big Hill.

Master Ben Gilbert of Dryden spent Monday night with Danny Cox

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Kyle Gibson have moved to Baltimore, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Shufflebarger were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Parsons and family in Poor Valley, Sunday.

Mrs. A. P. Cox and son Danny, Mrs. J. B. Cox and Miss Meda Parsons attended a movie at Lee Theatre Monday night.

Misses Francis and Pearl Johnson were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hayes Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Parsons and families Sunday.

Mr. Herman Shufflebarger is able to be out agan after recently undergoing an appendectomy.

Mr. Wm. Moore and daughter Kitty were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Holley Astrop, Sunday.

Dents in wood surfaces may be straightened out by placing a piece of dampened blotting paper or woolen cloth over the dented place and then pressnig with a warm iron.

News From BENEDICT

Mrs. James Holman and daughter, June, and son, Conley, of this place, visited Mrs. Holman's daughter, Mrs. Lillie Johnson, of T. S., Ky, last week.

The Rev. McVey, of Monarch, visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Scarborough, Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Florence Tipton and little daughter, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., visited friends here Thursday.

Mrs. Lucilla Hall and son, Marion Walter, and Mrs. Walter Yates, all of this place, visited relatives at Harriman, Tenn., Saturday.

Mrs. Bonnie Sturgill, of this place, visited relatives at Monarch, Thursday.

ATTENTION VOTERS!

Special Election, May 29th Lee County

A Guide Ballot

First: Shall the Sale of Beer and Wine (Containing More Than Three and Two-Tenths Per Centum of Alcohol By Weight) Be Permitted In Lee County?

—YES—

NO

(Strike Out One)

Second Shall the Sale of Alcohol Beverages Other Than Beer and Wine Be Permitted In Lee County?

—YES—

NO

(Strike Out One)

THOSE WHO DO NOT WANT BEER, WINE, NOR LIQUOR TO BE SOLD IN LEE COUNTY STRIKE OUT YES (—YES—) ON BOTH QUESTIONS AS INDICATED ON THE ABOVE GUIDE BALLOT.

YOUR VOTE IS NEEDED

YOU ARE QUALIFIED TO VOTE IN THIS ELECTION IF YOU WERE QUALIFIED TO VOTE IN THE LAST PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION, 1944.

Lee County Dry Forces

Charlie D. Mahaffey, Chairman
P. R. Stubbs, Vice Chairman
W. H. Parrott, Secretary
W. H. Creech, Treasurer

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Olinger Man Promoted

Major Leslie W. Bailey, serving in U.S.M.A. Inf. Det., West Point, N. C., was promoted to his present rank from that of captain on April 17, 1945. He is one of the instructors in the use of infantry weapons and tactics.

Major Bailey is entitled to wear the Combat Infantryman's Badge and European Theatre ribbon with four campaign stars.

He is the son of the late Charles D. Bailey and Mrs. Mary Sword Bailey, of Olinger. His wife was formerly Miss Sarah Halliday, of Williamson, N. C., and they have a son, Leslie W., Jr.

First Christian Church

Sunday morning, May 20th: Bible School 10:00 a. m., H. O. Hines, Supt. Worship with communion at 10:45. Sermon by Rev. A. E. Robertson, of Gibson Station, Va.

Christian Endeavors meet at 6:30 p. m., Mrs. Ruth Keith, president. We join the other churches in the First Baptist in the Pennington High School baccalaureate service at 7:30 p. m. Sermon by Rev. Charlie D. Mehaffey, pastor of the Methodist Church.

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Deaths AND FUNERALS

Bobby Jean Hughes

Bobby Jean, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hughes, was found dead in bed early Sunday morning, April 30th.

Funeral services were held at the home Monday afternoon, by Rev. P. R. Stubbs, and burial followed in Cecil Cemetery. The father is serving with the U. S. Army overseas. Besides the parents ,one brother survives.

Curtis Delph

Funeral services for Curtis Delph, 29, fatally injured in a mine accident at Bonny Blue on April 28, were held at Admant Baptist Church, May 2, at 10:00 a .m., conducted by Rev. W. H. Parrott, Burial was in Fry Cemetery at Pennington Gap, with St. Charles Funeral Home in charge.

Mr. Delph had resided at Maness, Va., practically all his life. He was a member of Bonny Blue Local Union No. 6444, and of I.O.O.F., Pennington Gap, and Jr. O. U. A. M. Council No. 88, St. Charles.

Surviving the the widow, Mrs. Vivian Delph; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Delph; and two children, James and Scott, all of Maness. Six brothers, Galloway Delph, of the U. S. Army, stationed in Mississippi; Clarence Delph, Kemmerer Gem; Howard Delph, Maness; Claude Delph, of the U. S. Army in the Pacific; Ulysses Delph, and Virgil Delph, both of Maness, also survive.

James C. Ellison

James Carroll Ellison, 74, died at the home of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Laura Ellison, Saturday morning, May 12. He had been in declining health for several years, and had been confined to his room nearly two years.

Funeral services were held from the Methodist Church, Monday, May 14, at 2:00 o'clock p. m., conducted by the pastor, Rev. Charlie D. Mehaffey, assisted by Revs. P. R. Stubbs and W. B. Moore. Burial was in the Fry addition of Cecil Cemetery. Estes & and Cecil in charge. Pallbearers, honorary and flower bearers were friends and neighbors.

Besides Mrs. Ellison and family he is survived by the following sisters and brothers: Mrs. J. M. Blair, Wise, Va.; Mrs. W. F. Bonham, Jonesville; Mrs. G. W. Ball, Jonesville; Mrs. Roy E. Anderson ,Porsmouth, Va.; Mrs. Etta Green, Pennington Gap; J. M. Ellison, Orlando, Fla.; C. K. Ellison, Sr., Abingdon, Va.; Robert E. Ellison, Petaluma, Calif., Marvin F. Ellison, Colorado Springs, Colo.; and W. E Ellison, Portsmouth, Va.

Tobias P. Smith

Tobias Pennington Smith, of Keokee, died at his home May 12, 1945, after an illness of only a few days. He was 89 years of age. Mr. Smith was a farmer, and had lived his entire life in Lee County.

Funeral and burial were held at the Anderson Cemetery at Robbins Chapel on Monday, May 14, at 10:30 a. m., conducted by Rev. Hobart Martin.

Surviving are the wife, Mrs. Naomi Smith, of Keokee; two sons, George Smith, of Exeter, Va., and Tobias Smith, of Keokee; and one sister, Mrs. Mary Carter, of Keokee.

Roger Dale Rutherford

Roger Dale Rutherford, five-weeks-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rutherford, died at the home at Kemmerer Gem, May 6.

Funeral services were held at the First Baptist Church of Darby at 1:00 p. m., May 7, conducted by Rev. Clinton Green. Burial in Cove Cemetery at Dryden.

The parents and two brothers survive.

Mrs. Easter DeBusk

Mrs. Easter DeBusk died at her home near Pennington Gap, Saturday, May 12, after a long illness. She was 86 years of age. Burial was in Keokee Cemetery on Monday afternoon, May 14, at 2:00 o'clock.

Mrs. Debusk is survived by one daughter, Miss Nannie Debusk, and one son, Joshua DeBusk.

Polly Ann Crusenberry

Polly Ann Crusenberry 87, of Kemmerer Gem, died at her home May 14 after an illness of about one month. Funeral services were held Wednesday, May 16, at 11:00 a. m., in the First Baptist Church of Darby, conducted by Rev. Clinton Green. Burial followed in the Town Cemetery at St. Charles.

Mrs. Crusenberry is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Rosa Rutherford ,of Kemmerer Gem, and Mrs. Anna Johnson, of St. Charles; three sons, Will Crusenberry, of Kemmerer Gem; Harve Crusenberry, of St. Charles; and Charles Crusenberry, of Keokee.

John Harve Dean

John Harve Dean, 62, died at his residence at Rose Hill, Va., Sunday, May 13, after an illness of only five days. Mr. Dean was a merchant and farmer by trade, and a member of the Methodist Church. He had lived in Rose Hill practically all his life.

Funeral services were held at Ewing, May 15, at 2:00 p. m., conducted by Rev. A. J. Ledford, assisted by Rev. J. N. Brister and Rev. Tip Parkey. Burial in Dean Cemetery at Rose Hill. Richmond Funeral Home in charge.

Mr. Dean is survived by two brothers, H. C. T. Dean, Ewing, and C. F. Dean, Rose Hill; and four sisters, Mrs. R. L. Bales, Mrs. Howell Bales, Mrs. S. J. Edds and Mrs. Ida Friar, all of Rose Hill.

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TOWN TALK

(Continued from page one)

Boys and Roses

The little boy was apparently seven or eight years old, and terribly neglected looking. His hair stood straight up, his hands, face and feet were crusty with dirt, and his clothing plainly showed the lack of care and attention.

But he walked proudly about among the people at the bus station, wearing a smile on his face and holding in each hand a large, beautiful rose. He walked up to me and held the flowers up for my approval, and he said: "'Em grows at home."

I asked him if he had any for sale, and he answered "Naw", but walked over to an aged man at the terminal counter. "Here," he said, "you can have one of 'em", and placed one in the man's hand.

Somehow I couldn't help but wish that boy had a chance in the world.

No Funerals

George W. Sweet, employed at Oak Ridge, is past 30, and the only funeral he has attended since he was nine years old was that of his uncle, James C. Ellison, last Monday.

Goes to Church

Eugene Rogers is with the U. S. Army, stationed in Australia, in a little town where there is but one church, but 'Gene writes home that he attends regularly, as was his custom while at home.

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Some men might have grumbled about getting precious little time off, and finding their home upset. But not Lud. He just took his coat off, and pitched in and helped.

And when he got the last curtain in place, and stepped down off the ladder, there was his missus with a tray of cold beer and cheese blintzes she'd made for Lud. And blintzes are Lud's favorite dish.

From where I sit, it's little things like this that will help to ease our troubled lives today—see us through difficulties—keep alive the spirit of good fellowship and mutual respect. Try trading a helping hand for ice-cold beer and blintzes. See if it doesn't make life seem a little brighter!

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The purchase outside the County and the possession within the County, of Wine, Beer and Whiskey will not be affected by this election, being legal under our National and State Laws. Therefore, this election will only prohibit the sale within the County.

Any Incorporated town in the County with a Population of 900 or more can call for a separate election on legalizing the sale of Beer, Wine and all other alcoholic beverages.

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Ballard Wolfenbarger

The 25th Infantry (Tropic Lightning) Division, on Luzon, in the Philippines, announces that Ballard Wolfenbarger, son of Mrs. Frances Wolfenbarger, of Gulston, Ky., has been promoted to Technician Fourth Grade while in combat against the Japanese on Luzon Island.

Wolfenbarger enlisted January 4, 1940, and has been overseas five years. The 25th Division experienced the original enemy attack on Pearl Harbor, and in their more than three years overseas service defeated the Japs at New Georgia and Guadalcanal in the Solomons.

Wolfenbarger is a nephew of Mrs. T. L. Hargraves, of Pennington Gap.

Ready For Sea Duty

Garland Oaks and Keith Ledford ,of Ocoonita, have finished their Naval training and are now ready for sea duty. Both boys volunteered for service last October at the age of 17 years. After completing boot training in December, they were given brief furloughs home.

At present they are stationed at Newport, R. I., and are expecting to sail the Atlantic soon. They are the sons of Mr and Mrs Cecil Oaks and Mr. and Mrs. Millard Ledford, of Ocoonita.

Coming Home

Pfc. Lewis E. Baumgardner has returned from five months overseas in the E. T. O., on the U. S. Hospital Ship Acadia. He is temporarily being treated at Stark General Hospital, Charleston, S. C., prior to being transferred to another Army hospital for definite treatment. His home is at Pennington Gap.

"Billy" Tritt

Pfc. Wm. E. "Billy" Tritt, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Tritt, of Woodway, is serving in the Pacific area, with the U. S. Marine Corps.

He enlisted in December, 1943, and has been overseas almost a year. He attended Pennington High School.

Harold E. Quinley

T.-4 Harold E. Quinley, of Pennington Gap, is serving with the 3110th Signal Service Battalion in the European theater of war. His group has recently been awarded the Meritorious Service Unit Plaque. The citation accompanying this award reads in part:

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Sgt. Wm. A. Garrett

Sgt. William A. Garrett, son of Mr. and Mrs. William R. Garrett, of Ben Hur, has recently been promoted to his present rank. He is serving as radio operator, stationed with a veteran B-24 Liberator Bombardment Group in Southern Italy.

Sgt. Garrett is a 1941 graduate of Jonesville High School and received his wings at Yuma, Ariz.

Phm. 3-C. J. H. Lowe

Phm. 3-C. James H. Lowe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lowe, of Rose Hill, Va., has been graduated from the Training Command Field Medical School for hospital corpsmen.

He was graduated from Thomas Walker High School at Ewing in 1943, where he participated in basketball, and was employed at farming for his father before he enlisted in the Navy.

S. 1-C. Campbell R. Sexton

Seaman Sexton is a son of Mrs. Ellen Muncy, of Jonesville, and has been serving in the U. S. Navy, in the South Pacific area, for the last twelve months.

Pfc. Howard C. Garrett

Pfc. Garrett is a member of the famed 369th "Hell Hawks" Fighter-Bomber Group, with the Ninth Air Force Fighter-Bomber Base in Germany.

He enlisted in the Army in April, 1943, and since that time has successfully completed an Air Force Technical School. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Garrett, of Route 2, Jonesville, and did farm work before entering service.

Pvt. George R. Pennington

Pvt. George R. "Dock" Pennington, 21, is at the Miami Beach rest center awaiting reassignment after completing a tour of duty outside the continental United States. Pvt. Pennington was overseas a year in the Southwest Pacific area, where he was a truck driver and mechanic. Following his return to this country October 3, 1944, he was until recently hospitalized.

He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Olin Pennington, of Ben Hur.

Two Lee County WAC's

Margaret Billiter, daughter of Mrs. Callie Burgan, of Pennington Gap, and Wilma J. Hughes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Hughes, of St Charles, are members of the Women's Army Corps.

Miss Billiter is a private, taking her basic training at the Third WAC Training Center at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga.

Pvt. Hughes reported recently at headquarters of the San Francisco Port of Embarkation for duty with the 107th WAC Detachment. Prior to entering the Army in December, 1944, she was a defense worker at Riverdale, Md.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of Lee County, in vacation, the 12th day of April, 1945.

William L. Yeary... Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Pauline Blair Yeary, Infant
..... Defendant

The object of the above styled suit is to obtain a divorce on behalf of William L Reary ,complainant, from Pauline Blair Yeary, infant, defendant, on ground of adultery committed by the defendant, without the procurement or connivance of the complainant and within five years from the commencement of this suit.

And it appearing by affidavit filed according to law that Pauline Blair Yeary, infant, the above name defendant ,is not a resident of the State of Virginia, it is therefore ordered that the said Pauline Blair Yeary, infant, do appear within ten days after due publication of this order in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of said County and do what may be necessary to protect her interests. and it is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a newspaper published in Lee County, Virginia. And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, on or before the next succeeding rule day, and that another copy hereof be mailed to the defendant at the Post Office address given in the affidavit.

Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
Robt. B. Ely, p. q.
Adv. No. 19-4t

News From DERBY

By: Mary Helen Burchett

Rev. and Mrs. H. P. Richardson and children, Carolyn and Eddie, spent a few days last week with Mrs. Richardson's parents at Raleigh, N. C.

News was received here last week that Denver Hall had received a shell-shock in the Philippines and had been taken to a general hospital in Netherlands East Indies, and was improving satisfactorily.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Williams, Mary Jane and Preston spent the week-end in Bristol.

The Girls' Interest Group held their monthly meeting Tuesday, May 8, at the home of Billy Joe Stuart. Those present were: Carliss Early, Annalois Burns, Mary Jane Williams, Mary Helen Burchett, Jackie Meade, Margaret Bond Meade, Peggy Ann Meade, Peggy Kilgore, Lois Kilgore, Billy Joe Stuart ,and Mrs. Robinette, the leader.

Mr. and Mrs. Milt Hall and Billy, and Mrs. Milford Burchett were visiting in Jonesville, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tolbert Bailey, of Norton, were visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert White, Sunday.

Mary Helen Burchette spent the week-end at Hubbard Springs.

(For week of May 10

At the Derby Theatre Monday night, May 14, at 7 o'clock the following plays were presented: "Wedding of Jack and Jill", by the first and second grades, and "Victory For Vegetables" and "Brownies From Healthland", by the third grade.

George Sewell, Bobby Williams and Misses Jean and Wanda Williams, of Jonesville, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Williams, Friday afternoon. The Misses Williams remained for the week-end.

A large crowd from here attended the senior play "Bolts and Nuts", at Appalachia, Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs .Morgan Williams Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Roberts and Mary Jane Williams were visiting in Jonesville, Sunday.

Several from here attended the Jonesville-Appalachia baseball game at Andover, Sunday.

Mrs. Eli Stansberry, Mrs. I. J. Payne, and Mrs. Douglas Coffey have returned from a visit at Norfolk.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Gilley, Mrs. Hobart Short and Sue Ann, and Miss Ester Lawson, of Kingsport ,were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Lawson, Sunday.

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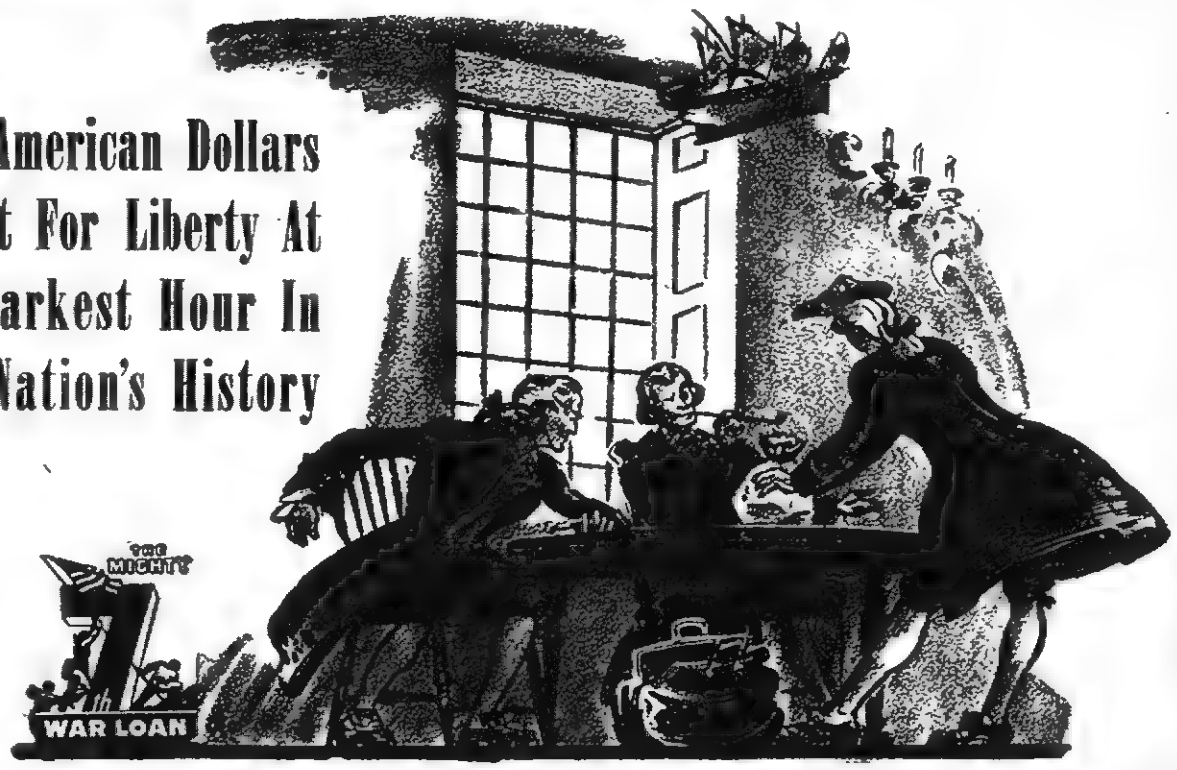

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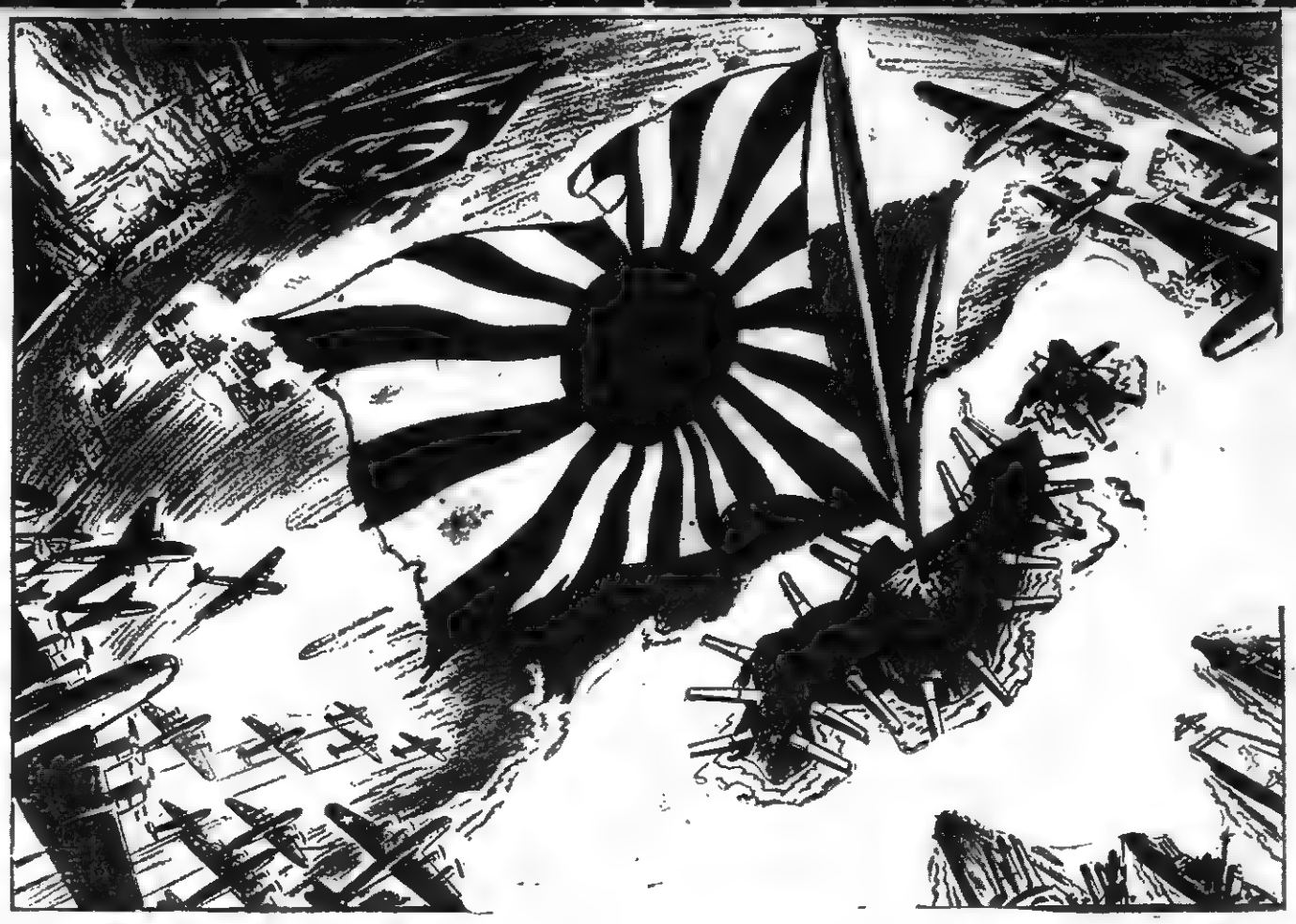

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Social and Personal

Funeral Attendants

Those from a distance coming here for the funeral of James C. Ellison were:

J. M. Ellison, Orlando, Fla.; Charles K. Ellison, Sr., Abingdon; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ellison and little daughter, Teddy, and Mrs. R. E. Anderson, Portsmouth, Va.; Mrs. J. M. Blair, Wise, Va.; Palmer R. Ball, Hazel, Va.; Mrs. Robert T. Ellison, Kingsport, Tenn.; Morgan M. Maiden, Elizabethton, Tenn.; Captain George A. Blair, Bristol; Misses Patty and Ann Ellison and George W. Sweet, Oak Ridge, Tenn.; Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ball, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parkey, Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Parsons and little daughter, Wesley LaGail; Mrs. Hubert Nida, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Harris and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Oxford, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bonham, of Jonesville; and Roy H. Ball, Appalachia.

Don't fail to see "The Very Thought of You", coming to Lee Theatre, on Monday and Tuesday, May 28 - 29.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Barton, of Washington, D. C., and Chief Petty Officer Don Barton, of the U. S. Navy, are here for a few days' visit among relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Howard and son, Edward; Mrs. Ruby Stout and son, Bobby, of Kingsport, were here Sunday visiting among relatives and friends.

Mrs. Mae Ellison, of Kingsport, spent the week-end here, due to the death of her uncle, James C. Ellison.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Overbay spent the week-end with their son, Paul L. Overbay, and family, and their daughter, Mrs. Julian King and family, in Kingsport.

Don't fail to see "The Very Thought of You", coming to Lee Theatre, on Monday and Tuesday, May 28 - 29.

Mrs. Thomas R. Ford has returned to her home in Cherry Point, N. C., after a visit here with her sisters, Mrs. Ernest Fry and Mrs. A. C. Boggs. Mrs. J. D. Housley and little daughter, of Evarts, Ky., are still visiting with them.

Mrs. A. C. Shelton is back from Charlottesville, Va., where she spent a few days with relatives.

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KEITHLEY THEATRE
JONESVILLE, VIRGINIA

Monday and Tuesday, May 21 - 22
I LOVE A SOLDIER
—with—
PAULETTE GODDARD — SONNY TUFTS
BEULAH BONDI

Friday and Saturday, May 25 - 26
DOUBLE FEATURE
RUSTLER'S HIDEOUT
—starring—
BUSTER CRABBE — AL ST. JOHN
PATTI McCARTY
—also—
THE GREAT MOMENT
—with—
JOEL McCREA - BETTY FIELD - HARRY CAREY

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Matinee Monday, Wednesday and Thursday, 2:00 p. m.
Continuous From 12:00 On Saturday.

Monday and Tuesday, May 21 - 22
Thirty Seconds Over Tokyo
—with—
SPENCER TRACY — VAN JOHNSON

Wed., May 23—BARGAIN DAY—14c and 20c
GASLIGHT
—with—
CHARLES BOYER — INGRID BERGMAN
JOSEPH COTTEN
Also Chapter No. 7, Serial,
"HAUNTED HARBOR"

Thursday and Friday, May 24 - 25
THE CONSPIRATORS
—with—
HEDY LAMARR — PAUL HENREID

Saturday, May 26 — DOUBLE FEATURE
BRAND OF THE DEVIL
—with—
JIM NEWILL - DAVE O'BRIEN - ELLEN HALL
—also—
MAIN STREET AFTER DARK
—with—
EDWARD ARNOLD — SELENA ROYLE
TOM TROUT

Card Of Thanks

Peggy Ann Graham

We wish to express sincerest thanks to all our friends for their many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy in the illness and death of our little daughter, Peggy Ann Graham.

We are especially grateful for the floral offerings; to Rev. C. D. Mehaffey who officiated at the funeral, to those who sang, and to those who donated the use of their cars.

Also in a special way we want to thank Dr. Bailey and members of the Harlan hospital staff for their valuable services, and to the Anderson & Laws Funeral Home of Harlan and Estes & Cecil Funeral Home in Pennington Gap.

Mr. and Mrs. James N. Graham.

Mrs. Millard Brown and daughter, and Miss Ruth Carter, of Keokee, Route 3, have returned from Crumpler, N. C., where they visited with friends. Also Mrs. Brown and daughter spent two weeks with her husband, Pfc. James M. Brown.

County Court Clerk Has Returned Home

D. C. Sewell, Jr., Clerk of the County Court at Jnesville, is back at his home after a several weeks' illness in a Norton, Va., hospital. Mr. Sewell suffered a succession of heart attacks while attending a business meeting at Norton.

Home Again

Tech Sgt. Robert Laningham, after serving a 6 months' stretch in the Pacific area, is enjoying a well-earned rest in this his native land. He is the son of Mrs. C. H. Howard, of Kingsport, the grandson of Mrs. Julia Wells, Jonesville, and has many other relatives in and about Pennington.

Robert survived the bombing of Pearl Harbor, and several other major combat engagements.

Staff Sgt. Clarence Bays, also in service for a straight six years, is here from the European area. He is a former resident of Pennington Gap, and a brother of the late Hayden Bays.

WANTED

Ten to 25 houses and lots in Pennington Gap, Stone Creek, Ben Hur and Woodway; in price from $1,000 to $5,000; for sale to people who have me locate homes for them in the above localities.

Anyone that may be wanting to sell, see me and list with me at your price, and I will add only a small commission and sell and get your price and little for myself.

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SHIELD EXPERT HERE

H. M. SHEVNAN, widely known expert of Chicago, will personally be at the John Sevier Hotel, Johnson City, Thursday only, May 24, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Mr. Shevnan says: The Zoetic Shield is a tremendous improvement over all former methods, effecting immediate results. It will not only hold the rupture perfectly no matter the size or location, but it will increase the circulation, strengthen the weakened parts, and thereby close the opening in ten days on the average case, regardless of heavy lifting, straining or any position the body may assume. A nationally known scientific method. No under straps or cumbersome arrangements and absolutely no medicines or medical treatments.

Mr. Shevnan will be glad to demonstrate without charge.

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Large incisional hernia or rupture following surgical operation especially solicited.

St. Charles, Jonesville Lead Lonesome Pine

Cumberland Comes To St. Charles; Pennington And Jonesville Travel

The St. Charles Miners and Jonesville ride the crest of the Lonesome Pine as all clubs fulfill schedules over the week-end.

Next Sunday, May 20, will bring together the league's strongest clubs. Cumberland comes to St. Charles; Pennington Gap goes to Oreton; and Jonesville goes to Dunbar.

St. Charles rambled to an 8 to 1 victory over Pennington at St. Charles Sunday, with "Red" Skiles and Pearl Scott doing the mound duty for the winners, holding the visitors to six scattered hits, while the Miners blasted out 14.

Oss Pennington led the Miners' slugging with three doubles for four trips, followed by Hack Pope, with a double and single for three. Foster, Stallard and Pannell collected two blows each. Shelbourne collected three for four to lead his team with half their total safeties.

St. Chales infield clicked very nicely with five double plays.

Oreton and Jonesville fought the most exciting battle of the week-end at Jonesville. The Capitol Hill lads won over Oreton by a close count of 3 to 2. Earl Mabe held the Jonesvillians to ten scattered hits, while Glenn Russell was quite stingy to give up only four safeties. Glenn Russell, Red Russell and Bowen led the Jonesville hitting with two hits each.

Cumberland and Dunbar endured a double struggle at Benham to open their portion of the Lonesome Pine, after being rained out last week-end. Dunbar won the opener 11 to 9, with Cumberland clinching the nightcap 9 to 8.

Both games were considered slugfests, with considerable slugging from the bats of both clubs. Foster Bishop collected four for five in the opener to lead for Dunbar. Sage and Cowan hit homers.

THE OFFICIAL STANDING

Team	W	L.	Pct.
St. Charles	2	0	1.000
Jonesville	2	0	1.000
Cumberland	1	1	.500
Dunbar	1	1	.500
Pennington	0	2	.000
Oreoto	0	2	.000

Methodist Church

Sunday morning, May 20th: Church School at 9:30, Clyde M. Kirk, Supt. Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon subject: "'A Compassionate Patience." Pennington High School seniors of this church and their parents will be special guests of honor. Special music.

Intermediate and Young Peoples' meetings at 6:30 p. m. Baccalaureate service in the First Baptist Church at 7:30. Midweek prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Charlie D. Mehaffey, Pastor.

FOR SALE

FOUR ROOM BOXED HOUSE

Four large lots, garage, electric lights, water.,

Located in North Pennington just across railroad from M. J. Pennington residence.

—See—

Dewey Davidson

FOR SALE

McCormick Grain Binder, right hand; six-foot cut. K. C. Munsey, Route 1, Jonesville, Va.
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NOTICE

Powell Valley National Bank .... Complainant
Vs.
Lee County Fair Association, Inc. .... Defendant

All persons holding stock certificates in the Lee County Fair Association, Inc., please turn them in, or furnish proof of the issuance of such stock to the undersigned commissioner.

GUY. A. KAUFFMAN,
Special Commissioner.
Adv. No. 20-1t.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of my beloved son, Pvt. Clay Coldiron, Jr., who lost his life in service May 14, 1944. He is not dead, only sleeping.

You came, you went, we said good-bye,
And the parting, oh it was sad;
As I watched the train that was carrying you away
Somewhere beneath God's blue skies.

Yes, we have parted, but we shall meet again,
In a land that is beautiful and fair;
Where no more partings and tears are shed,
But we shall be happy there.
Sleep on, and take your rest.

Lovingly, a devoted mother,
Mrs. Clay Coldiron, Sr.,
Woodway, Virginia.

First Baptist Church

Sunday morning, May 20th: Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. A. T. Burchette, Supt. Morning worship, 10:45, Rev. T. L. Burchette, speaker. Special music.

Training Unions meet at 6:30 p. m. Baccalaureate Service at 7:30, Rev. Charlie D. Mehaffey, speaker. Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30.

The pastor goes this Sunday to Flatwood to preach the baccalaureate sermon.

P. R. Stubbs, Pastor.

How women and girls may get wanted relief from functional periodic pain

Cardui, many women say, has brought relief from the cramp-like pains and nervous strain of functional periodic distress. Taken like a tonic, it should stimulate appetite, aid digestion, thus help build resistance for the "time" to come. Started 2 days before "your time", it should help relieve pain due to purely functional periodic causes. Try it!

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COUPLE WERE MARRIED IN JANUARY

P.O. 1-C. and Mrs. J. B. Hounshell

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Penley, Route 3, Jonesville, Va., announce the marriage of their daughter, Gaynelle, to J. B. Hounshell, M.MM. 1-C., of the U. S. Navy, January 22, 1945.

The bride is a graduate of Jonesville High School, class of '43, and is also a graduate of Knoxville Business College. At present she is secretary in the business office of Lincoln Memorial University.

The groom is the youngest son of Mrs. Joe Hounshell, of Jonesville, Va. After his graduation from Jonesville High School, class of '42, he immediately entered the U. S. Navy. After various enterprises in the Pacific, including engagements in four major battles, he returned to the States, where he was hospitalized for a time, after which he was for some time instructor at the University of Illinois. He was then transferred to Chicago for a short period, and at present is stationed at Traverse City, Mich.

Seaman Billy Robbins Coming Home Soon

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Robbins, of Woodway, were happily surprised Sunday by a long distance telephone call from their son, F. 1-C. Wm. G. "Billy" Robbins, somewhere in California, telling them he would be home soon.

Seaman Robbins is one of the few survivors of the U.S.S. Pringle, destroyer, reported sunk sometime between the 14th and 18th of April. He is said to have been in at least six major battles.

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TOWN TALK

About This, That, And The Other

"I wish I were a little rock
A sitting on a hill,
A doing nothing all day long
But just a sitting still;
I wouldn't eat, I wouldn't sleep,
I wouldn't even wash—
I'd sit and sit a thousand years,
And rest myself, b'gosh!

At least that's the way we're apt to feel at the end of these modern busy days, but after all, May is a pretty good month in which to be "up and about", with it's special days and events.

In May we have May Day, Mothers' Day, Memorial Day, Music Week, Graduation Exercises, Class Plays, and this and that and the other. This year we had V-E Day, which henceforth will live in the minds of American people.

May marks the end of schools and the beginning of vacations.

In May we have "blackberry" winter"—the several-day period when the weather man plays all kinds of pranks — one minute serving us sizzling hot weather, the next hustling into our coats and re-kindling fires.

May Flowers

The April showers brought forth just plenty of May flowers, unusually thrifty and beautiful this year, and among the most beautiful display is the Iris grown by Mrs. Millard Flanary at her home in Dryden. She has more than 30 varieties.

His First Camping Trip

Eugene Lee Mehaffey will experience his first camping trip next week at Camp Sequoyah, near Bristol, which is the intermediate camp of Holston Conference. Roy E. Early, Jr., son of the district superintendent, Rev. Roy E. Early, Sr., will be included in the group.

Likes The Hills

The following lines come from Pfc. George L. Sprinkle, somewhere in Germany, a few days before hostilities ceased:

"News from home means a lot to guys over here. Germany is O. K., being as I have to stay here, but the hills of Virginia are the best. You just don't know how glad I was to get news from my home town. I have been over here two and a half years."

"The Show Is Over . . ."

These lines are included in a letter written by Cpl. L. R. Howard, in Germany, on V-E Day, May 8, to his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Howard, of this city.

"There isn't much I can say right now, but the SHOW IS OVER and that is what I and thousands of others have been waiting for these many months. It has been a long struggle and we greet the good news with a sigh of relief. No one will ever know just what it means unless they have been through it, and I give thanks to God and the allied powers that we have come through it.

"There have been many bad things happened over here; thousands of people have been made slaves and made to work and endure untold hardships, but, like General Ike told us before, we crashed the forces of Europe, the tide has turned and the free people of the world are marching together for victory."

(Turn to page eight)

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Brooks, son, Dale, and daughter, Dorothy of Harrogate, Tenn., were visiting Mr. Brooks' brother, Curtis Brooks, and family, Sunday.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Weather Bureau report for the week-ending May 20, 1945, for Lee County, furnished by Cam J. Lewis, official observer:

Date	Temperature		Rainfall
14	76	47	.00
15	83	58	.00
16	82	59	.05
17	85	59	.00
18	72	46	.50
19	55	45	.04
20	63	38	.00

St. Charles-Jonesville Lead Lonesome Pine

Pennington-Oreton At St. Charles Sunday; Dunbar vs. Jonesville

Week-end results in the Lonesome Pine League failed to alter the tie for first place in the standings between the St. Charles Miners and the Jonesville Capital lads. St. Charles defeated Cumberland, Ky., 4 to 2 at St. Charles; Jonesville defeated Dunbar 8 to 7; while Oreton staged the field day of the season ,lambasting Pennington Gap 26 to 5 at Andover.

Next Sunday's schedules will take St. Charles to Cumberland; Dunbar comes to Jonesville, while Oreton will play Pennington Gap at St. Charles.

The St. Charles-Cumberland contest was quite interesting throughout, with a large crowd attending. Wacks toed the slab for St. Charles, retiring the first 18 men in order, striking out 7. He gave up one run in the seventh, with Scott taking over on the mound in the eighth. He gave up a run in the ninth.

Darnell started on the mound for Cumberland, with Wheelock relieving in the fifth.

Dame Pannell and Hensley led the Miners' hitting with 3 hits for 4 trips each; Holman hit a long triple against centerfield fence; Duncan had 2 for 4. Wheelock led Cumberland's hitting with 3 for 4; Baker had 2 for 4 for Cumberland's total of five hits.

Dunbar and Jonesville shared 12 hits each as the latter eased out with an 8 to 7 victory. Bowen went the route on the mound for Jonesville, whiffing 11 men, though having distinct trouble in the last four innings. Bropks went the route for Dunbar.

Rufus Russell led Jonesville's hitting with 3 for 5; Bowen and Fugate collected two safeties each. Cowan led Dunbar with 3 for 5; Sage, Bishop and Morelock collected two safeties each.

Hitting was so terrific in the Oreton - Pennington Gap game that the smell of horsehide is still evident over the Andover field. Pennington sent five pitchers to the mound, neither being able to stop the onslaught of the Oreton bombarding squadron. Mabe stood the gaff for Oreton, pitching a smooth game, although touched for five runs.

THE OFFICIAL STANDING

St. Charles	3	0	1.000
Jonesville	3	0	1.000
Cumberland	1	2	.667
Dunbar	1	2	.667
Oreton	1	2	.667
Pennington	0	3	.000

Dr. W. J. Bolt, Harlan, Ky., will speak for the Drys in St. Charles High School auditroium, Sunday, May 27, at 2:30 p. m.

Mrs. Lee Salley is a patient in Lee General Hospital, and is improving nicely.

SAILING SOUTH PACIFIC

S. 2-C. WALTER R. HINES

Walter R. (Dub) Hines, Seaman Second Class, of Jonesville, entered the Naval Reserve August 7, 1944, at the age of 17, following his graduation from Jonesville High School in May.

After receiving his boot training at Bainbridge, Md., he went to Newport, R. I., for further training. He is now aboard the U.S.S. "Vesuvius" somewhere in the South Pacific.

Seaman Hines is a son of Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Hines, of Jonesville.

WITH SEVENTH ARMY

PFC. ROBERT J. GREEN

Pfc. Robert J. Green is the son of Mrs. Celia Green, Pennington Gap. He is with the 79th Division of the Seventh Army.

Pfc. Green has been overseas for more than a year, and was recently awarded the Combat Infantryman Badge. Before entering service he attended St. Charles High School.

Cub Pack Scout Organization Planned

On Monday, Thursday, and Friday nights of next week meeting will be held in the Methodist Church here, beginning at 7:30 o'clock, for the purpose of organizing a Cub Pack Scout troop for boys 9, 10 and 11 years of age. Only parents of boys this age are urged to be present.

Harold G. Hayes, Scout Executive, of Pikeville, Ky., will be in charge.

D. B. Shoun Purchases Nigger Head Club

The Nigger Head Club, located in the Gap of the Mountain just opposite Nigger Head Rock, north of Pennington, where the picturesque mountain scenery lends all kinds of enchantment for folk in recreational mood, has been purchased by Dr. G. B. Shoun, St. Charles pharmacist.

Dr. Shoun plans to improve the surroundings, make picnic grounds and turn the club into a recreational center for the community and the many people of the St. Charles coalfield areas.

The club was formerly owned by M. S. Culbertson, of Pennington Gap.

Jonesville Lady Hurt In Fall Today

Mrs. Ruth Wygal, Jonesville, was brought to Lee General Hospital this morning suffering a broken hip. Mrs. Wygal said she started to pick some cherries, slipped on the dewy grass and fell. She is a sister of Mrs. J. E. Laningham, this city.

Beef Production Payment

The War Food Administration has announced a beef production payment of 50 cents per hundred weight, effective for all sales beginning May 19 on good and choice cattle.

On the basis of preliminary information, payments will be made under the following conditions :

(1) Cattle must be owned and fed by the applicant for at least 30 days.

(2) They must be sold to licensed slaughterers.

(3) The weight must be at least 800 pounds live weight or more.

(4) Sales price at least the amount listed for minimum stabilization range for good grade cattle.

All cattlemen who wish to apply for this subsidy should retail evidence of all sales.

This production payment will be made through the County AAA Office.

F. K. Hyatt, Chairman,
Lee County A. C. A.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Gibson and daughter, Ann, of Corbin, Ky., were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McElyea here recently.

Middlesboro Pastor To Speak Here For "Drys"

The Rev. O. U. Kayes, pastor of the Methodist Church in Middlesboro, will be in Pennington Gap on Sunday, and will speak at the Methodist Church Sunday evening, May 27, in the interest of the Dry Forces of Lee County.

The remaining dates of campaign speaking are as follows:

Friday evening, May 25th, at 7:30, at the Seminary Methodist Church; Rev. G. D. Mehaffey, speaker.

Friday evening, May 25th, at 7:30, Robbins Chapel; Rev. C. B. Herndon, speaker.

Sunday, May 27th, at 2:30 p. m., at Dryden High School; Rev. C. D. Mehaffey, speaker.

Sunday, May 27, at 2:30 p. m., Keokee High School; Rev. W. H. Parrott, speaker.

Monday, May 28, at 7:30 p. m., at Bethel Memorial, in the Hubbard Springs community; Rev. C. D. Mehaffey, speaker.

Sunday, May 27, at 7:30 p. m., Walnut Ridge Baptist Church, in the Gibson Station community; Rev. J. A. McVey, speaker.

First Christian Church

Sunday, May 27: Bible School at 10:00 a. m., H. O. Hines, Supt. Worship with communion at 10.45. Sermon subject: "This Life Our Trial For Eternity".

Christian Endeavors meet at 6:30 p. m., Mrs. Ruth Keith, president; Miss Christine Winters, program leader.

No preaching at night, as pastor goes to Union Church for evening worship.

Choir rehearsal on Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock. Mid-week prayer service at 7:30.

W. B. Moore, Minister.

First Baptist Church

Sunday morning, May 27th: Sunday School at 9:30, A. T. Burchette, Supt. Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon subject: "Apostolic Armament".

Evening: Training Unions meet at 6:30. Preaching at 7:30. Sermon subject: "The Hunger of the Soul".

On the evening of May 31st a supper will be given at the church in honor of all new members who have come into the church since the beginning of the year.

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

P. R. Stubbs, Pastor.

Methodist Church

Sunday, May 27th: Church School at 9:30 a. m., Clyde M. Kirk, Supt. Morning worship at 10:40. Sermon subject: "Well Done". Special music.

Evening: Young People's Groups meet at 6:30. Preaching at 7:30 by Rev. O. U. Kayes, of Middlesboro. Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening, followed by choir rehearsal.

Charlie D. Mehaffey, Pastor.

"Not Much Marrying"

"There's just not much marrying going on in Lee County," the assistant clerk at Jonesville commented, in reporting the marriage licenses issued during the months of March and April.

Three licenses were issued in March, and two in April. They were as follows:

March: J. C. Perkins (col.), and Odie Fern Porter (col.), both of Pennington Gap; Rev. C. L. Wiggins officiating.

Truman Hedgecoth, 28, and Anna Lenora Carter, 23, both of St. Charles; Rev. C. D. Mehaffey officiating.

James Charles Davis, 21, and Inez Lambert, 17, both of St. Charles; C. R. McPherson officiating.

April: Clearence Seabolt, 21, of Hagan, and Gladys Yeary, of Pennington Gap; Rev. L. D. Perkins officiating.

Warren R. Kirk, 19, Pennington Gap, and Eudenia Stapleton, 21, Pennington Gap; Rev. R. H. Wheeler officiating.

So far, there have been three licenses issued during the month of May.

Miss Horton To Be Presented In Recital

Mrs. R. C. Carter, Music Director of Jonesville High School, will present Miss Patricia Dandridge Horton in a Senior Music Recital at the Jonesville High School auditorium on Friday evening, May 25, at 8:00 o'clock.

14 Registrants, Board 1, Passed Physical Exams

The following registrants from Selective Service Board No. 1, at Jonesville, passed successful pre-induction examinations May 16th, and are awaiting their induction calls:

George Emory Marcum, Jonesville; Howard Kirk, Jonesville; Lester D. Johnson, Jonesville; Samuel Rufus Noah, Gibson Station, John Carmony, Jr. ,Ewing; Paul Dewitt Seal, Rose Hill; Eugene Bledsoe, Blackwater; James O. Laforce, Jonesville; Robert Jarrell, Jr., Rose Hill; Floyd L. Warf, Gibson Station; Luther P. Fletcher, Jonesville; James R. Cooper, Rose Hill; Keith Fee, Rose Hill; Edmond Spurlock, Rose Hill.

Shoun and Fritz See Meteor Near St. Charles

Police Chief Bill Fritz and Dr. G. B. Shoun, of St. Charles, reported Monday that they saw a large meteor fall from the sky apparently striking in the mountains west of St .Charles in the direction of Harlan County, Ky.

Chief Fritz and Shoun, who were walking down a street about 10:30 p. m., said they happened to look into the sky at a bright reflection, and saw the meteor falling at great speed. "It was as large as a small oil tank and carried a trail of white and blue fire from 50 to 100 feet long," said Dr. Shoun. Chief Fritz commented: "It was really exciting and looked also to me like it could have been a flaming plane falling. It was less than a couple of minutes until a plane did pass in the same direction that we saw the falling object; it was traveling north and going very fast."

Several other people on the streets saw it and, too, were amazed. Dr. Shoun was so impressed that he got a party together and went into the Pocket of Creek section and to the Kentucky line in search of its possible landing place, but found nothing. "It could have been many miles further than we estimated," Dr. Shoun said.

Jonesville Soldier At San Francisco Conference

His good conduct record in the Army, his background and talent, has won for Cpl. Sam Combs, of Jonesville, national recognition. He is serving at the United Nations Conference on International Organization now in progress in San Francisco.

Cpl. Combs is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Combs, of Jonesville. He has served about thirty months overseas with an airborne antiaircraft machine gun battedr, and has seen action in the China, Burma, India, African Theater of Operations. He wears the following decorations and service ribbons: Good Conduct Medal, Pre-Pearl Harbor, African Theater of Operation, Asiatic-Pacific Theater ribbon with two stars.

Pfc. Palmer W. Horton Is Missing In Action

Pfc. Palmer W. Horton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Horton, of Pennington Gap, is reported by the War Department as missing in action since April 19, while serving with the Fifth Army in Italy.

Pfc. Horton took his basic training at Camp Gruber, Okla. He had recently been awarded the Combat Infantryman Badge and one bronze star.

Cpl. Robert T. Ellison Receives Several Awards

According to information received by his wife, Cpl. Robert T. Ellison, serving with the 10th Infantry Division in Austria, has been awarded the Combat Infantryman Badge, three Silver Stars and Oak Leaf Cluster for gallantry and heroic action in service. He is now resting and relaxing at a rest center in Vienna.

Cpl. Ellison entered service about two years ago, and has been overseas since November 7, 1944. He was formerly manager of the A. & P. Tea Company at Kingsport, and later payroll clerk for the Holston Ordnance Works.

He is the son of Mrs. Laura Ellison, of Pennington Gap. His wife, formerly Miss Mae Maupin, resides in Kingsport.

Ensign Curtis Brooks spent a two weeks' furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Brooks.

Local Residents In Development Program

BUILDER OF BRIDGES

CPL. J. R. HOUSLEY, JR.

Crossing the Roer River, flowing at the rate of nine feet per second, approximately six miles per hour, was an engineer's nightmare, for engineer bridging equipment needed in the crossing has no rated capacity faster than seven feet per second.

In other words, the bridges supposedly will not carry a load in water faster than seven feet per second maximum. However, the March 3 issue of "Stars and Stripes" relates how the 1141st Engineer Combat Group, commanded by Col. Wm. L. Rogers, accomplished the impossible and built foot bridges across the onrushing Roer, and a Pennington Gap boy had a part in this unusual achievement. He is Cpl. J. R. Housley, Jr., with the 279th Combat Battalion, attached to the 1141st.

According to the Stars and Stripes, the first footbridge was completed at relatively leisure time, but a shell hit broke two cables that held it in place and it washed down stream. Another was started, but onrushing waters uprooted a tree which fell and broke it in two.

Despite heavy losses to both boats and bridging equipment, engineer crews continued to ferry across enough infantrymen to support the attack. A reserve of assault boats of approximately 100 was brought to the river, but they were lost, either to the surging river or by enemy fire. During the attack an additional 100 boats had to be rushed forward from a depot. When one of the bridges was well under way, enemy artillery opened and annihilated the work already accomplished. It was started again and completed, but enemy aircraft scored a direct bomb hit, and the entire bridge sank.

Attempted for the third time, the bride was completed.

Cpl. Housley, who participated in this bridge-building, is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Housley, Sr., formerly of Pennington Gap, but now of Knoxville, Tenn., and is the husband of Mrs. Fern Kelly Housley, daughter of M. D. Kelly, of Pennington Gap. Mrs. Housley and little son are staying with her father for the duration.

Pennington Gap On Traffic Honor Roll

According to an Associated Press news dispatch, dated May 21, at Richmond, Va., and carried in the Bristol Herald-Courier, Pennington Gap is among the Southwest Virginia towns with a population of 1,000 or more receiving honor roll awards for having no traffic fatalities for a period of two or more years. In fact, Pennington Gap is among the 21 towns that have not had a traffic death within the corporate limits within six years, Major J. R. Nunn, acting superintendent of State Police, announced.

Other nearby towns on the list are Wise, Clintwood, and Appalachia.

Major Nunn pointed out that Virginia has been honored by the National Safety Council in being selected as winner of the southern division for a reduction in traffic fatalities.

"It is only fitting," he said, "that police officials of our cities, towns and counties should receive recognition. Awards are being made to chiefs of police, or police officials responsible for traffic enforcement in the communities."

New Board of Directors Will Represent Six S. W. Virginia Counties

Formation of the High Knob Development Association for the development of that area as a recreational center for the far southwest, immediately followed a conference at Richmond, Wednesday, May 16, between Gov. Darden and a delegation of legislators and interested citizens from Southwest Virginia, at which meeting the Governor promised full cooperation and support in plans for the area's development. Ryland G. Craft, of Gate City, was elected president of the Association, and Robert S. Graham, of Norton, was named vice president.

William A. Wright, chairman of the Conservation Commission, pledged the support of his organization, and plans were immediately undertaken to organize the citizens of the area into an Association to confer with Federal authorities for the development of the High Knob, a beautiful mountain site rising more than 2,000 feet above Norton, on a high scale as the logical post-war recreational area, for the 3,413,000 people of Virginia and the surrounding States within a 100-mile radius.

In addition to the officers named at the conference, other members of the organizing committee for the Association were the following: Governor Darden, Commissioners William A. Wright and C. S. Carter, of Bristol, also a member of the State Conservation; W. L. Griggs and S. W. Coleman, of Gate City; R. S. Graham, A. S. Pennington, of Pennington Gap; J. J. Stump, of Norton; George Taylor, of Big Stone Gap; State Senator M. M. Long, of St. Paul; Wilson Counts, of Clintwood; Purie Stewart and Dr. G. B. Setzler, Pennington Gap; State Senator Harry Stuart, of Elk Garden; and Vernon Smith, of Grundy.

In addition to the citizens from the southwestern counties affected who met with the Governor, all members of the House and Senate, in Richmond for the special session of the General Assembly, joined with them in presenting the case, asking that the State assist in every way possible. These included Senators Long, Stuart, Robinette, Neff, and Battle, and Delegates Bandy, Hamblen, Smith, Tate, Witten, Boyd, Craft, and Gray.

Junior Commando Club Giving Circus

Bobby Osborne, president of the Junior Commando Club, reports that the club is giving a circus May 31, beginning at 12 noon ,but he fails to state where the circus will be. Anyway he invites the public to attend and help them enjoy a good time.

IN HOSPITAL TRAINING

E. RAY STURGILL, H.A. 1-C.

E. Ray Sturgill, H.A. 1-C., son of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Sturgill, of Woodway ,entered service May 26, 1944. He took boot training at Camp Peary, Va., then was transferred to a Hospital Corps School at the Naval Training Center at Bainbridge, Md.

After completing this school with the rating he now holds, he was stationed at the U. S. Naval Hospital in Philadelphia, Pa. He is now in training at the Pennsylvania Hospital in Philadelphia.

His wife is a former employee of the A. & P. Tea Co. in Pennington Gap, and is married to the former Peggy Hall, of Woodway.

A Sergeant's Prayer

The following beautiful poem was written by Staff Sgt. C. C. Burchette, serving somewhere in the Pacific area ,and is copied from the Middlesboro Daily News.

Sgt. Burchette is a nephew of both Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Burchettte, of Pennington Gap. The poem follows:

Almighty God, and all present power,
Short is the prayer I make to Thee;
I do not ask, in battle hour,
For any shield to cover me.

The vast unalterable way
From which the stars do not depart
May not be turned aside to stay
The bullets flying to my heart.

I ask no help to strike my foe;
I seek no petty victory here;
The enemy I hate, I know
To Thee is also dear.
But this I pray—be at my side
When death is drawing through the sky,
Almighty God, who also died,
Have mercy, and teach me how to die.

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Seamen Stay Together

Somewhere in
the Philippines.

Mr. S. C. Blackwell, Editor,
The Powell Valley News,
Pennington Gap, Virginia.
Dear Editor:

I am here with a boy from St. Charles — Emmett Tomlinson, and we have been together since we have been in the service. The rest of the boys I took boot training with are somewhere else.

Tomlinson has a wife and two children— His wife is working in a shipyard at Baltimore, Md. I also have a wife and two children and they are staying at her father's at Duffield until I get back home—which I hope will be this summer.

It is pretty hot here in the Philippines. We get plenty of cocoanuts here; also there are lots of monkeys here in the jungles.

The Seabees have done a fine job here in the Philippines. The trouble with the Japs is, they stay in one place too long, and the Seabees built a park around them, so they don't like the Seabees at all.

Tell everybody in Pennington hello for us.

Yours sincerely.
S. 1-C. Ora Sturgill
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A Boy And His Dog

(By Kenneth Litton, age 14)

I love to roam through the woods all day,
With my faithful dog by my side;
O'er a hill, through a valley so low,
Where the sparkling waters glide;
Through a field of yellow corn so high,
Across a meadow so green—
Just my dog and I, side by side,
It all seems like a dream.

But soon my dog will be leaving me—
He has a job with Uncle Sam;
I know he's strong and brave,
And will fight for us like a man;
He seems to know what it's all about,
And why he is going away;
And although my eyes are filled with tears,
I know he'll return some day.

It's hard, I know, for a boy
To give his dog away;
And it's hard for me to part with him,
As I remember our happy days;
But I want to do my part
To keep my country free;
And if I'm too young to go and fight,
Old Shep will go for me.

A "gig" in mining is a wooden chamber or box divided in the center and used to draw up and lower miners in a pit or shaft.

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Lapel Pin, gold with three sets, red, white and blue. Reward. If found return to Mrs. H. D. Morris, Box 351, Telephone 96, Big Stone Gap, Va.
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Wine Is A Mocker And Strong Drink Is Raging

R. E. L. Parsons

Mr. Voter: On Tuesday the 29th inst. you have the opportunity to express at the polls your position on an issue of the gravest import. It is an old issue —an issue that has plagued society almost since the earliest dawn of the history of man. It is a social evil that has wrecked and blighted countless individuals in its deadly wake. Liquor as an evil needs no evidence to prove its character. Instead of being an asset, we know it to be a damnable liability.

This disgraced outcast was a supreme issue in the Presidential campaign of 1928, and was voted down by an overwhelming majority. It had no social standing then. But today that is different. Liquor is now welcomed into the best so-called society.

Why, movie scenes must have a drink to complete their role. This miserable bum has become a second Cinderella. It is no longer a despised, disgraced thing. It has become almost as popular as Santa Claus. But while our attitude toward liquor has changed, there is one something that has not changed. And that is liquor itself — it is the same old deadly enemy of mankind. It still bites like a serpent and stings like an adder. It still lowers our vitality, blunts our intellect ,and kills our inhibitions. In spite of the fact that some very prominent people must give advice to our young men and women on how much to drink and how to behave, there is absolutely no way to carry it with safety. It blasts modesty and tends to change the timid and innocent girl into the bold and brazen hussy. The virtue of Diana herself is not to be trusted, if and when she is drunk. We had better change our attitude toward this deadly thing. We had better take our stand for decency and sobriety and for a better county and State for our children.

You who are not interested in this all important issue condone to this mighty evil that may wreck and ruin your boy or girl. Go to the polls on Tuesday the 29th ,and cast your lot with the forces or righteousness for a better community and a better county in which to live.

Pfc. Austin Bays Aids Tank Corps In Germany

From an anti-tank squad of the 45th "Thunderbird" Division of the Seventh Army in Germany comes a story of success that denotes quite a field day for Pfc. Austin D. Bays, of Ewing, Va., and his crew.

Stationed in position with their well armed squad to protect advancing infantrymen from possible attack by German tanks or counterattack, Bays' outfit of the 4th sighted a Jerry procession of two dozen trucks and almost as many horse-drawn vehicles loaded with arms and supplies.

Getting a good range as they opened fire, their third shot caught the first wagon, setting it on fire . . . . they followed speedily with 150 rounds of anti-tank shells, pouring them into the motorised and horse-powered convoy until the last one was blown up or set on fire as they ran crazily off the road in a frantic effort to escape which failed drastically to materialize.

Bays said: "This was a regular field day to get them all." He further stated: "Our targets are usually heavy German tanks, and when we ran into a truck and wagon convoy, it was like bird hunting after chasing lions and tigers."

Landing overseas with the 45th Division in June, 1943, Bays has taken part in the invasion of Sicily, the Italian campaign at Salerno, the Anzio beachhead, and capture of Rome, the invasion of Southern France and the drive into Germany. He has been awarded the Purple Heart for wounds received at Salerno; also wears the Combat Infantryman Badge, and is entitled to five battle stars on his campaign ribbon. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Bays, of Ewing, Va.

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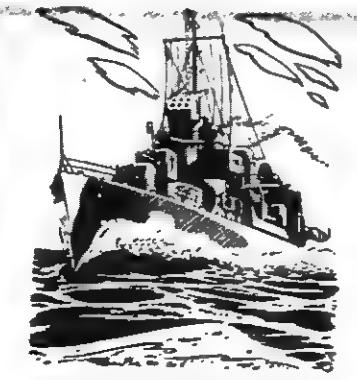
HIGHLIGHTS OF 1944
from the
General Electric
annual report

JET PROPULSION. General Electric developed the world's most powerful engine for the world's fastest plane—the G-E jet propulsion engine for the Lockheed P-80 "Shooting Star." It is over twice as powerful as previous models produced for the Army Air Forces.



PRODUCTION INCREASED. For the fourth successive year, General Electric turned out record quantities of war goods despite an average of 2 per cent fewer employees. G. E. produced over 8,000,000 horsepower of ship propulsion turbines for the Navy in 1944.

EMPLOYEE EARNINGS UP. The average G-E employee earned $2,772 in 1944. Employees also shared $234,000 in Suggestion Awards. Top award was $2,000 for an idea that speeded production of G-E gun control for the B-29. G-E employee suggestions aid the war effort.

234,732 STOCKHOLDERS. Ownership of the company was divided among more stockholders than ever before. Dividends were $1.40 per share—same as 1943 and 1942, less than 1941 and 1940. Net income was less than 1940, while sales billed were 3¼ times greater.

NEW DEVELOPMENTS. G-E research and engineering played a part in such recent developments as radar, silicones, jet propulsion, rocket weapons, remote gun control for the B-29 "Superfortress," the A-26 "Invader," and the P-61 "Black Widow."

4736 WAR VETERANS HERE. By the year's end 4736 returned service men and women were working at plants of General Electric and affiliated companies. 2205 were former G-E employees. On December 31, 1944, a total of 50,220 employees of General Electric and affiliates had entered the armed services.

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VOLUME OF BUSINESS	1944	1943	CHANGE
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NET INCOME AND DIVIDENDS			
Net income for the year	$ 50,800,000	$ 44,900,000	+13%
Per share	$ 1.76	$ 1.56	+13%
Dividends declared and paid	$ 40,300,000	$ 40,300,000	—
Per share	$ 1.40	$ 1.40	—
TAXES			
Total taxes	$ 176,000,000	$ 163,000,000	+ 8%
STOCKHOLDERS			
Number on December 31	234,732	229,127	+ 2%
EMPLOYEES			
Average number on payroll	167,212	171,133	— 2%
Total earnings of employees	$ 464,000,000	$ 472,000,000	— 2%
Average annual earnings	$ 2,772	$ 2,756	+ 1%

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OLD JUDGE: "Yes, every bit as true, Jim."

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With Our Service Men

Joe Harold Willis

Joe Harold Willis, 17, Seaman second class, U.S.N.R., of Jonesville, Va., recently arrived at the Naval Training Station, Norfolk, Va., to undergo training for duties aboard a new destroyer of the Atlantic Fleet. He has completed a period of training at the Naval Training Center, Bainbridge, Md.

Willis is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Willis, of Jonesville, and attended Flatwood High School.

Sgt. Arthur M. Howard

Sgt. Howard is serving with the 874th Aviation Battalion in the Philippines. He took part in the New Guinea campaign and is now lending a hand in the Philippine liberation.

Sgt. Howard has been overseas since January, 1944, and was promoted to sergeant January 26, 1945. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Howard, of Pennington Gap, and prior to his induction into the Army November 23 ,1942 ,at Abingdon, he was employed in the traffic department of Cooper's Bus Line in Pennington Gap. A brother, Seaman first class Keith B. Howard, is stationed in California.

Pvt. Lloyd Pugh

Pvt. Lloyd Pugh, riflaman, of Route 2 ,Pennington Gap, Va., has been cited by the 362nd Infantry Regiment of the Fifth Army's 91st "Powder River" Division, and awarded the Combat Infantryman Badge for actual participation in combat against the enemy in Italy.

S. Sgt. Jack J. Smith

Staff Sgt. Jack J. Smith, 22, of Duffield, Va., is an aerial gunner on a B-24 Liberator, serving with one of the most active heavy bomber groups in the 15th Air Force. He has flown more than 50 combat missions against important and heavily defended German held targets in Southern Europe. During this time he has seen action over Italy, Germany, Austria, and the Balkans.

Sgt. Smith wears the Air Medal with three Oak Leaf Clusters and the European-African Middle East ribbon with two bronze battle-participation stars.

T.-4 Crofton M. Bays

Technician Fourth Grade Crofton M. Bays, son of W. P. Bays, of Hubbard Springs, is among the more than 1,000 service men and women enrolled in the University of the South Pacific, first Army overseas educational institution of its kind in the world.

He is enrolled in the school course on business law. A clerk-typist with the G-3 Section, South Pacific Base Command Headquarters, he entered the service in May, 1943, and has been overseas since October, 1943. He was graduated from Flatwood High School and attended Milligan College in Johnson City, Tenn., before entering the Army.

Seaman 1-C. Clifton Hensley

Seaman Hensley, who is the son of Steve Hensley, Rose Hill, was none too cheerful when his ship returned to the United States early in April after a period of extended convoy duty in foreign waters, because his name was not on the leave list.

He got his desired leave, however, and a carton of cigarettes, too. The ship's gunnery officer granted him the leave for carrying off top honors in a pointer-trainer competition on all main battery guns during the ship's return passage to this country.

Sgt. Tolbert W. Howe

Sgt. Tolbert W. Howe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh M. Howe, of St. Charles, has recently been awarded an Oak Leaf Cluster to the Air Medal. He won the decoration for "courage, coolness and skill" and for his outstanding performance of duty during a number of Eighth Air Force attacks on military and industrial targets in Germany.

Sgt. Howe is now a member of the 486th Bomb. Group, a unit of the Eighth Air Force's Third Air Division.

David Woodrow Lambert

David Woodrow Lambert, husband of Mrs. Mary Ruth Lambert ,of Blackwater, route 2, has just completed a course for aviation metalsmiths at the Naval Air Technical Training Center in Norman, Okla., and received a rating as seaman first class.

Seaman Lambert attended Blackwater High School, and was formerly employed by Consolidated Aircraft until he entered the Navy at Jonesville last August.

Sgt. Joe B. Morley

Sgt. Joe B. Morley, who has been fighting with the 8th Division of the First Army, has been reported wounded in action. Sgt. Morley has been moved from Germany to a hospital somewhere in England, and is reported doing fine.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Morley ,of Ewing, and a graduate of Thomas Walker High School.

Pfc. Edward T. Tate

The Good Conduct Medal for faithful and exact performance of duty was recently awarded to Pfc. Edward T. Tate ,of East Stone Gap, Va., who is now assigned to the Pacific Division, Air Transport Command, and stationed in the Hawaiian Islands.

Pfc. Tate is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Demer R. Tate, Sr., of East Stone Gap. His wife makes her home at St. Charles, Va.

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Virginia: In the Clerk's Office of the County of Lee, in Vacation, the 10th day of May, 1945.

Lula Newman, surviving widow of Oat Newman, deceased, and in her own right, et als

Vs) ORDER OF PUBLICATION

J. W. Newman, administrator of J. J. Newman, deceased, and in his own right, et als.

The object of the above styled suit is to wind up the estate of James J. Newman, deceased, to partition his undivided interest, or interests, in lands and to have same sold and the proceeds distributed to those entitled.

And it appearing by affidavit filed according to law that the following defendants: Sarah Jane Garrett, Hazel Garrett Rice, James Omer Garrett, Marie Garrett Carter, Lucy Newman Coldiron, Noah Newman, Margarite Newman Williams, Elinor Newman, Thurman Bailie, Wesley Bailie, Samuel Bailie, Arlena Garrett, Fred Garrett, Ewill Garrett, Iona Garrett Turley, Hyatt Garrett, F. K. Parsons, Jack Parsons, Ruby Parsons Pennington, Blanche Parsons, Paul Parsons, Madge Parsons, Marjorie Parsons and Jefferson Kyle Parsons, Jr., are not residents of this State; it is, therefore, ordered that the said named defendants do appear within ten days after due publication of this order, in the Clerk's Office of our said Circuit Court, and do what is necessary to protect their interests. And it is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a newspaper published in Lee County, Virginia. And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of said County on or before the next succeeding rule day, and that another copy hereof be mailed to the defendants to the Post Office address given in the affidavit.

Attest:
D. C. Sewell, Jr., Clerk
By Charles N. Hawa,
Deputy Clerk

Robt. B. Ely, p.q.
Adv. No. 19-4t.

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Cadet Brooks Graduates From U.S.M.M. Academy

Kings Point, N. Y. — Cadet-Midshipman Curtis C. Brooks, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Brooks, of Pennington Gap, Va., has just graduated from the United States Merchant Marine Academy here. He has qualified for his license as Third Assistant Engineer and he will soon be shipping out in that capacity aboard a vessel of the U. S. Merchant Marine. In addition to receiving his license he received a commission as Ensign in the U. S. Naval Reserve.

Brooks is a graduate of Pennington High School, where he was a member of the baseball and football teams and sports editor for the school paper. He was appointed to the United States Merchant Marine Cadet Corps twenty months ago, reporting to the United States Merchant Marine Cadet Basic School, Pass Christian, Miss. After three months studies he was assigned as an engine Cadet-Midshipman to a merchant ship carrying war supplies to the far-flung battlefronts. Serving eight months at sea he reported to Kings Point on August 15, 1944, to complete his academic studies.

Brooks has a brother serving in the U. S. Navy.

The sensation of color can be produced by stimuli other than light, for instance pressure on the eyeball in complete darkness.

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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

Dan Culpin Gets His Second Wind

Dan Culpin got his plowing done in record time this year. He was sitting on his porch, enjoying a well-deserved glass of beer, while Bob Wirts, his neighbor, still had over an acre to go.

It burned Bob up, seeing Dan relaxed while he worked. So he'd stop and have a glass of cider—and make out that he was in no hurry anyway.

"And that was the trouble," Dan explained to me. "I kept on going till I got my second wind; and saved my rest until the job was done. He stopped to rest—and he never got his second wind."

From where I sit, there's a moral there for all of us. We've been working hard to win this war. A little rest may look awfully tempting. But by keeping going, by never letting up, we can count on getting our second wind that will overcome weariness and see us through to Victory.

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Bronze Star Will Be Awarded Posthumously

Mrs. Betty V. Hughes, formerly of Pennington Gap, Va., who now resides at Harlan, Ky., is to receive the Bronze Star Medal awarded posthumously to her husband, Pfc. Jessee W. Hughes, it was announced recently by the Public Relations Office at Richmond, Va.

Pfc. Hughes was killed in action while guarding a Nazi transport with the 88th Infantry Division in Italy. The official War Department citation reads in part as follows:

"Pfc. Hughes displayed magnificent heroism and outstanding courage at the cost of his life in an assault on strong enemy positions. As his company approached its objective the lead squad, for which he was scout, routed several Germans from the vicinity of a house. One was killed and the others hastily withdrew through an olive grove, to the far side of the hilltop.

"Pfc. Hughes and five others of the squad who had reached the barren top of the hill in pursuit of the enemy continued the chase for one hundred yards. Through the hostile fire of the machine guns and machine pistols, and with grenades blasting among them, these men crawled forward until, only twenty feet from the Germans, they were completely pinned down.

"When the squad leader ordered his men to advance, Pfc. Hughes unhesitatingly moved ahead, his heroic action inspiring his comrades to follow. With utter disregard for the murderous hail of machine bullets spattering all about him, he made his way forward and hurled two grenades at the enemy, forcing them to withdraw to the rear of the slope of the hill. Desperately the enemy retaliated with machine gun fire and grenades, and Pfc. Hughes arose to charge and engage them in hand-to-hand combat. The next moment a burst of machine gun fire killed him instantly.

"By his exemplary courage and aggressive action, Pfc. Hughes enabled his comrades to drive the Germans from the hill."

He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Hughes, of Pennington Gap.

News From OCOONITA

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Ingle and family, of Benedict, and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ingle, of Pennington Gap, were visiting Mrs. Josie Ingle, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Oaks and little son, Ronald, of Loyall, Ky., are visiting relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ingle, Miss Bonnie Ingle and Pfc. Neil Ingle were visiting in Shawanee, Tenn., and Middlesboro, Ky., last week.

P.O. Edward Green is spending a furlough here with his mother, Mrs. Mary Allen, and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Agnes Hurl, of Ewing, is visiting her son, Garrett Wolfe, and family.

M.S. Walter Fleenor, who has been overseas for some time, is visiting his uncle, C. S. Fleenor, and other relatives here.

Morgan, Milford and O. J. Fleenor, who are employed at Knoxville, Tenn., were visiting home folk over the week-end.

Anita Clark, of Pennington, spent the week-end with her grandmother, Mrs. J. M. Oaks.

Pfc. Legette Oakr returned to Fort Barrancas, Fla., last Friday after spending a 15-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Oaks and other relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Terry and family were visiting relatives at St. Charles last Sunday.

Seaman Dayton Pachodzav, of Little Creek, Va., is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Pachodzay.

Miss Axie Oaks, of Blackwood, visited her mother, Mrs. J. M. Oaks, over the week-end.

Mrs. Blanche Fleenor is visiting her mother, Mrs. James Absher, in Kingsport, Tenn

News From DERBY

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Williams were happy to receive word that W. R. Williams had been liberater from a German prison camp.

Johnny Stuart, who is employed at Portsmouth, is spending a few days here with his parents.

A large crowd attended the birthday party given for Peggy Anne Meade at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Roberts were visiting at Jonesville, Sunday.

Miss Blanche Lawson, Kingsport, Tenn., spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Lawson.

People here were sorry to hear that Jack McArthur has been seriously wounded.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Cross have recently moved from here to make their home in Appalachia.

Clyde Williams made a business trip to Kingsport, Saturday.

Wilma Jean and Lucille Carroll, of Hubbard Springs, were visiting relatives here over the week-end.

Those who attended the League social here Tuesday night were: Bill Redah and Frances Jessee, Margaret Bond and Peggy Anne Meade, Mary Helen Burchett, Mary Jane Williams, Billy Jo Stuart, Billy Hail, Frank Turner, Ralph Early, Fred Powers, Kyle Mullins, Howard Ray Doyle, and Carl Combs.

Wesleyan Guild Meets

The Wesleyan Service Guild met at the home of Mrs. Millard Flanary at Dryden for the May meeting. Mrs. Flanary, who is an honorary member of the Guild, is also district secretary of Wesleyan Guild for Big Stone Gap District.

The meeting was presided over by the president, Miss Ida Stacy. After a brief business session, during which the roll was called and the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved, the meeting was turned over to the program leader, Miss Mary Helen Fry, who presented a most interesting program, her theme being "The Sanctity of the Christian Home". Those assisting in this program were Mrs. Woodrow Kelly, Mrs. Cowles Kelly, Mrs. Carl Hensley and Miss Elise Rhea.

After this a most delightful social hour followed, and Mrs. Flanary was assisted by Miss Bernice Orr in serving delicious refreshments of strawberry shortcake with whipped cream and coffee to the following:

Mesdames C. D. Mehaffey, O. E. Willis, Kesner, Carl Hensley, R. G. Pugh, Durand Kelly, Cowles Kelly, Isobel C. Duncan, Woodrow Kelly; Misses Ida Stacy, June Lewis, Cora Lewis, Pearl Cornett, Virginia McNiel, Imogene Burgan, Mary Helen Fry, Elise Rhea, Ritchie Lee Fugate, Sue Richards, Bernice Orr, and Edith Quinley.

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Deaths
AND FUNERALS

Lawson G. Glass

Lawson G. Glass, 71, died suddenly from a heart attack May 13, 1945, at his home in New Windsor, Md., in which he had lived only about a week.

Mr. Glass was a native of Lee County, having been born and reared in the Stickleyville community. He had for the past 17 years conducted a prosperous farming business in Frederick and Carroll Counties, Md. He was a member of the Baptist Church of Jonesville. Funeral services were held at the home Wednesday, May 16, at 2:00 p. m., conducted by Rev. Lowell S. Ensor, of Westminster. Burial in the family plot at the Keysville Cemetery.

Mr. Glass was twice married. Three sons survive the first marriage: Lloyd F., of Westminster, Md.; Milburn M., Emmitsburg, Md.; and Haburn, Jonesville, Va.

The second wife and the following sons and daughters survive: Edgar W., Rocky Ridge, Md.; Paul C. and Elmer K., of Emmitsburg, Md.; C. Gilmore, Westminster; Thurston R., Mrs. Erdman Walls, and Mrs. Kenneth Robertson, of Medford, Md.; and Mrs. Boyd Sprinkle, Baltimore, Md. He is also survived by 39 grandchildren, 7 great-grandchildren; and a brother, Charles M., of Taneytown, Md.

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Joseph Franklin Johnson

Joseph F. Johnson, 78, a farmer residing about three miles west of Jonesville, died at his home April 18, 1945. He had been married three times, all his wives being deceased.

He is survived by the following sons: Glen, of St. Charles; Burl, of Newport News; Herbert, Roy and Bradley, of Jonesville; Quentin and another son, with the U. S. Army; one daughter, Mrs. Taft Bailey, of Jonesville; three sisters, Mrs. Lem Stanley, of East Stone Gap; Mrs. Goldie Mullins, of Blackwood; and Mrs. Lee Booth, of Helena, Montana.

Mr. Johnson was a member of the Methodist Church and of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows.

Funeral services were conducted at the home by Rev. Clinton Green, of St. Charles. Estes & Cecil Funeral Home in charge.

Mrs. Fred Smith

Mrs. Fred Smith, 28, whose home was on Stone Creek, near Pennington, died at Lee General Hospital on May 16, 1945, after an illness of about one week.

Surviving are the husband, the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Davis, of Page, Ky.; two brothers, Pfc. Curt Davis, of the U. S. Army in Germany, and Camaord Davis, of Michigan; three sisters, Mrs. Rachel Mancle, of Brookside, Ky.; Viola ——, Tazewell, Tenn.; and Vilva Davis, of Page, Ky. The body was taken to the home of her parents at Page, Ky., were funeral and burial services were arranged.

James J. Owens

James J. Owens, 70, died at the home of his granddaughter, Mrs. Capitola Neely, early this morning, following an illness of only a few days.

Mr. Owens was a native of Tennessee, but had lived in Pennington for several years. He was a veteran of the Spanish-American War. Two granddaughters, three grandsons, and a step-daughter, Mrs. H. R. Gass, of Appalachia, survive.

Funeral services will be held at the Methodist Church tomorrow afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, in charge of the pastor. Burial will follow in Cecil Cemetery.

Lorenzo D. Creekmore

Lorenzo D. Creekmore, 80, Pennington Gap, Route 1, in the Poor Valley community, died at his home May 22, following a week's illness. He had lived in this community only about three weeks.

Funeral services were held by Rev. George Gibson, and burial was in Cecil Cemetery.

Mr. Creekmore is survived by the following sons and daughters: Lynia Creekmore, Detroit, Mich.; John Creekmore, Pine Knot, Ky.; Maude Patrick, Eubanks, Ky.; Garrett Creekmore, Pennington Gap; and Elizabeth Rich, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Mrs. Nanny Craft

Mrs. Nanny Craft, 48, died at the home of her sister, Mrs. Kent Surrett, of St. Charles, May 18. She had been ill about 10 months.

Funeral services were held from the Surrett home on May 19, at 10:00 a. m., conducted by Rev. Bill Morefield. Burial followed in Surrett Cemetery.

She is survived by the husband, Campbell Craft; one son, Jessee Craft, of St. Charles; one brother, Fred F. Surrett, Benedict; and three sisters, Mrs. Kent Surrett, of St. Charles; Mrs. Ethel Callahan, Coal City, W. Va., and Mrs. Nell Irvin, Wytheville, Va.

CORRECTION

In our last week's issue we stated that Tech. Sgt. Robert Lanigham is home again after a "six months stretch" in the Pacific area.

However, this statement was five years and six months in error. Sgt. Lanigham has not been away only six months, but six YEARS! Sorry to have made the error—glad he is here.

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News From
ROLLER'S CHAPEL

Decoration services will be held at the Sword Cemetery on Sunday, May 27.

Carl Sword, Seaman 2-C., of the U. S. Navy, spent a 14-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy M. Sword.

Aston Neely, Seaman 1-C., of the U. S. Navy, spent a few days with his wife, Mrs. Ruth Neely, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy M. Sword.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Gentry, of Kingsport, Tenn., visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Lockhart, last week.

Miss Maggie Sword, Kingsport, Tenn., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Sword, last week.

David Sword, Lynch, Ky., visited his father, Nathan Sword, Friday.

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NO
(Strike Out One)

Second: Shall the Sale of Alcohol Beverages Other Than Beer and Wine Be Permitted In Lee County?

NO
(Strike Out One)

THOSE WHO DO NOT WANT BEER, WINE, NOR LIQUOR TO BE SOLD IN LEE COUNTY STRIKE OUT YES (—YES—) ON BOTH QUESTIONS AS INDICATED ON THE ABOVE GUIDE BALLOT.

YOUR VOTE IS NEEDED

YOU ARE QUALIFIED TO VOTE IN THIS ELECTION IF YOU WERE QUALIFIED TO VOTE IN THE LAST PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION, 1944.

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Paid Advertisement

As the Delegates convene at San Francisco

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There has been some movement in our State Legislature to allocate these funds only to the counties from which this source of tax revenue is derived. Do the seven or eight thousand taxpayers in Lee County wish to shoulder this extra burden if the present system of allocation should be discontinued?

My taxes here in Lee County last year (1944) on my store and personal property were less than $40.00. In Oklahoma, where the county had no other source of income other than local taxes, I paid over $320.00 in taxes on similar business and property. That's a big difference.

TO YOU TAXPAYERS AND PROPERTY OWNERS — May I suggest that you think well before making any change in our present system of distribution that may possibly increase your taxes.

FOLKS— LET'S SEE THAT THERE IS NOTHING DONE THAT WILL KILL THE GOOSE THAT LAYS THE GOLDEN EGG!

G. B. Shoun

ST. CHARLES, VIRGINIA.

News From
HAGAN

Mr. and Mrs. John Ingle, of Corbin, Ky., were visiting his brother, Andy Ingle, and family, Sunday.

Miss Flora and Gladys Ely spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Granville Fee and family, of Rose Hill.

Miss Julia Fletcher spent the week-end with Mary Helen Hensley.

Apsy Ely and son, Paul, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Hensley, of Sampson, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ely spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Kin Hensley.

Maude Fee, who is employed at Oak Ridge, Tenn., rpent the week-end here with her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Cellie Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. John Engle, and Andy Engle visited at the home of Mrs. Martha Wolfe, at Rose Hill, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Depew and family, of Hubbard Springs, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Langley.

Mrs. Joe Fee, of Hubbard Springs, spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Fee.

News From
BENEDICT

Mrs. Cline Perry, of Big Hill, and Mrs. Gale Weston, of St. Charles, were among the visitors here last week.

Pvt. Oscar Hall and Pvt. Hagan James, of the U. S. Army, are here on furlough.

Miss Rose Evelyn Scarborough spent Saturday night with friends in St. Charles.

Miss Virginia McNiel, of Pennington Gap, visited Mrs. Bonnie Sturgill here last week.

Ross Heck was here from Oak Ridge, Tenn., last week, visiting among relatives and friends.

Cpl. Robert Holman, of the U. S. Army, is here from three years' service overseas, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holman and family. He will be here 30 days.

Miss Ruth Scarborough spent Saturday night of last week with Miss Myrtle Wallen, of Monarch.

Mrs. Ida Wolfenbarger, of St. Charles, visited friends and relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs .Frank Sturgill and family visited relatives at Rogersville, Tenn., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thompson and daughter, Eve, of Dunbar, visited here over the week-end.

News From
DRY BRANCH

Pfc. Charles Cox, of the U. S. Marines, stationed at El Centro, Calif., is earning a little money on the side acting as chief captain of a softball team in town.

Miss Blanche Hyden, of Woodway, and Miss Elizabeth Gilbert attended a carnival at Appalachia Saturday night.

Mr. Lee Grace has been very ill the past few days.

Cpl. Clyde Myers, who has been in service nearly four years, has received an honorable discharge and is back with home folks.

Mr. Henry Grace, who is employed at Detroit, Mich., is spending a few days with home folks.

Cpl. Billy Astrop arrived here Wednesday night after obtaining an honorable discharge from the U. S. Army Air Corps.

Mrs. Virginia Merchant, Misses Margaret Bailey and Juanita Astrop and Mrs. Edith Astrop attended a movie at Big Stone, Saturday.

Mr. A. P. Cox, who has been employed at Portsmouth, is spending a few weeks with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Gibson and grandchildren, Joyce and Jimmie, attended church services at Valley View Church, Sunday.

Misses Sandra and April Meredith, of Pennington; Mrs. Virginia Merchant and Edith Rogers were shopping in Big Stone Gap on Friday of last week.

News From
ROSE HILL

Friends of Kermit Edens are glad to hear that he is improving at Lee General Hospital in Pennington Gap, and are looking forward to his return home.

Jimmie Surgener, son of Mr. and Mrs. Estie Surgener, is confined to his bed from a heart ailment.

Rue Thomas was visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hopkins recently.

Harm Cope is confined to his home with an injured foot.

Kelly Snodgrass and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Gollahon were in Rose Hill on business, Friday. Mrs. Gollahon is on the sick list.

Paul Snodgrass, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Snodgrass, of a Jonesville route, enjoyed his first birthday Sunday.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of Lee County, in vacation, the 12th day of April, 1945.

William L. Yeary....Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Pauline Blair Yeary, Infant
..... Defendant

The object of the above styled suit is to obtain a divorce on behalf of William L Reary ,complainant, from Pauline Blair Yeary, infant, defendant, on ground of adultery committed by the defendant, without the procurement or connivance of the complainant and within five years from the commencement of this suit.

And it appearing by affidavit filed according to law that Pauline Blair Yeary, infant, the above name defendant ,is not a resident of the State of Virginia, it is therefore ordered that the said Pauline Blair Yeary, infant, do appear within ten days after due publication of this order in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of said County and do what may be necessary to protect her interests. and it is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a newspaper published in Lee County, Virginia. And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, on or before the next succeeding rule day, and that another copy hereof be mailed to the defendant at the Post Office address given in the affidavit.

Teste.

D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
Robt. B. Ely, p. q.

Adv. No. 19-4t

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Adv. No. 19-3t.

News From
POOR VALLEY

Pfc. George Parsons has returned to a hospital in West Virginia after spending a few days with relatives. Pfc. Parsons was recently sent back from overseas to recuperate from a serious illness.

Rev. James Ely has been seriously ill for the past few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Parsons and Mrs. Polly Hayes made a business trip to Big Stone Gap last week.

Mrs. Charlie Ely is back home after spending several days in Lee General Hospital, suffering from a stroke of paralysis.

Mrs. Gladys Huff and Kate Shuler were overnight guests of Miss Nannie DeBusk, of Sand Lick, recently.

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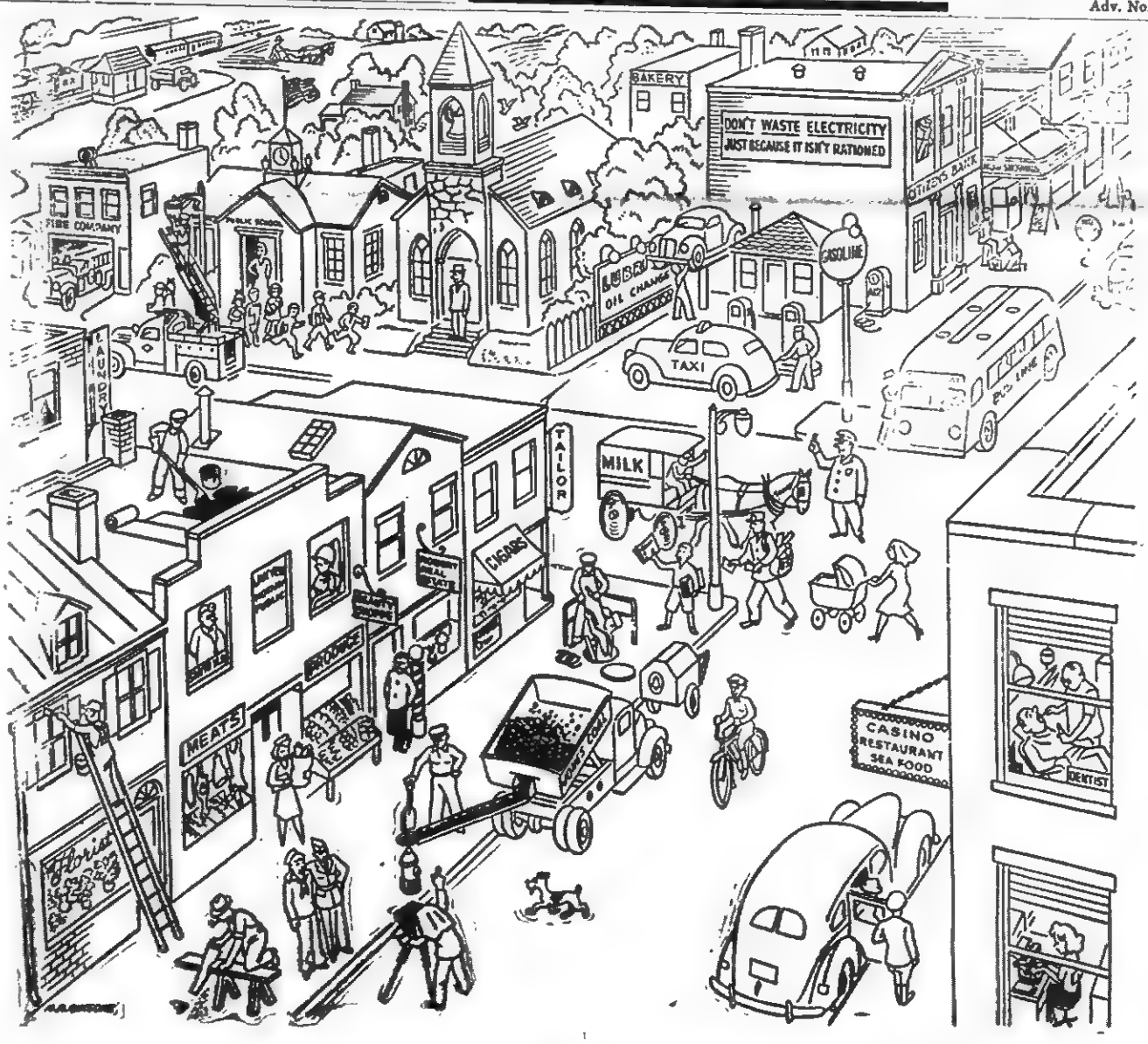
SERGEANT MIKE
with
Larry Parks - Jeanne Bates - Loren Tindall



How many occupations in this picture?

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Whatever the number, it's a pretty safe bet that *all* these occupations—and many more—are represented among the folks who own your local electric light and power company.

Housewives and farmers lead the stockholder lists of most such companies. But there are plenty of nurses and doctors, teachers and mechanics, secretaries and salesmen, too. There are several million of these *direct* owners—and you may be among them.

Certainly you are included among the *indirect* owners, if you have a savings account or life insurance policy. When you make a deposit or pay a premium, the money isn't just stuffed in a strong-box and left there. It's put to work earning a profit for *you*—a profit called "interest."

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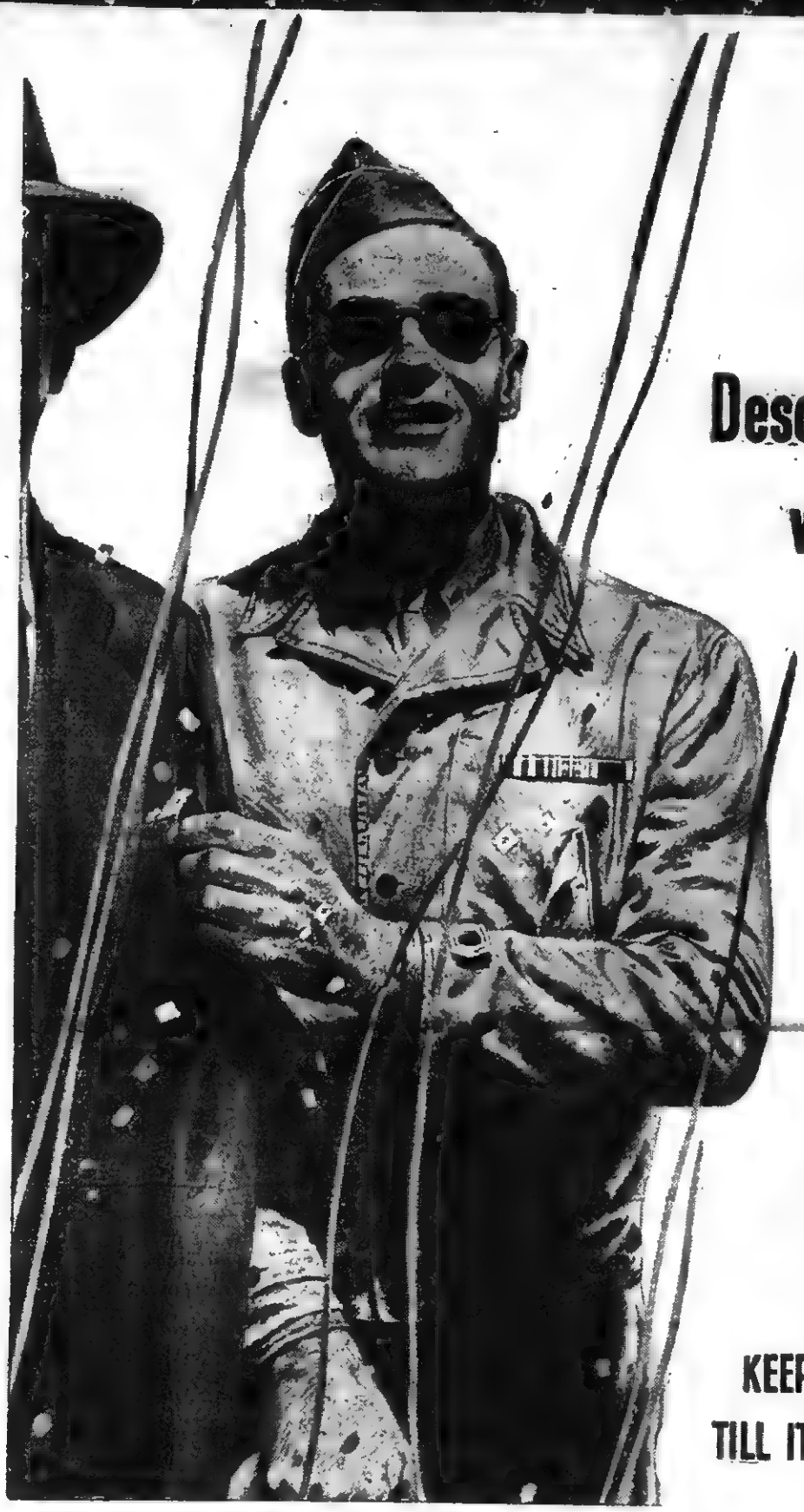

Describe it to me, will you, Mac?"

"Yeah, I hear 'em yelling.

"This is what I used to dream about in the jungle. God, if I could only see for just five seconds.

"That girl there—is she laughing . . . or crying? I had a girl—once. Sure I wrote her when this happened to me. I told her I was tired of her. What else could I say?

"Listen to that newsboy . . . **'GERMANY FINISHED!'** I'd give anything to see those headlines. What else does it say? Anything about the Pacific? I hope you guys realize there's still the Pacific.

"Yeah. I was there, all right. If you could have seen what I saw, you wouldn't need to read any War Bond ads. Kids you grew up with, with their faces smashed to bits. Nothing left of your best friend but his helmet landing in your lap. Made me kind of mad, I guess. They say I was still fighting when I couldn't see any more.

"Yeah, it's bad enough. But it makes it worse when you hear someone saying the war's practically over. Acting as if it's time to ease up on War Bonds and all. Then you wonder what you did it for. It's not over yet. Those Japs can do a lot of damage. I ought to know.

"Do me a favor, will you, Mac? Keep on buying War Bonds for my buddies out there. And put a little extra in for my sake, will you?"

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Pennington Gap, Va.

Social and Personal

The Galloways In St. Louis

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Simon have returned to their home in St. Louis after spending a few days here with Mrs. Simon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Galloway. Mr. Galloway has been very ill for the past five months, due to a broken hip suffered in a fall last December, rendering him unable to walk. Upon returning home the Simons brought Mr. and Mrs. Galloway to St. Louis with them, and are happy to add that Mr. Galloway is now able to walk on crutches. Mrs. Galloway has just recovered from an attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. Lucien Campbell, of Harriman, Tenn., has been visiting her sister, Mrs .George Orr, of Jonesville; also other relatives in Pennington Gap .

Don't miss seeing "Meet Me In St. Louis", coming to Lee Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, June 4 - 5.

Miss Betty Jean Keel, of Jonesville, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. White Minton, Kingsport, Tenn.

Mrs. Minnye B. Trent, of Rose Hill, has returned home after visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. D. Simon and Mrs. William Colgan, in St. Louis.

Miss Ruth Dabney Pennington, of Oak Ridge, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Pennington, and other relatives here.

Will Undergo Tonsilectomy

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Cress and little daughter, Patsy, and Mrs. C. D. Mehaffey left this morning for Jones Hospital at Johnson City. When they come back Patsy won't have any tonsils.

H. T. Graham, of Louisville, Ky., was visiting friends and relatives here this week; also transacting business in Harlan. Mr. Graham is compliance officer with the U. S. Department of the Interior, Coal Mines Administration. He is a native of this community, and a brother of Bradley P. and S. H. Graham.

Miss Mary Wheeler, of Langley Field, and daughter, Betty Ann, of the Grace Nettleton Home at Harrogate, are visiting in Pennington this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Keel and daughters, Betty Jean and Doris Ann., of Jonesville, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Minton, of Kingsport.

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Frank Gibson, a student at Berea College, spent last week here with his parents.

Mrs. Paul McArthur and daughter, Sharon, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Payne. Lt. McArthur is stationed in South Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. 'Gene Hilton, Ruth Hilton, Mrs. Ada Rogers and Mrs. J. S. Howard attended the graduating exercises at St. Charles, Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Stapleton, of Loudon, Tenn., are visiting Mrs. Stapleton's mother and other relatives here.

Mrs. Wayman Burden and Lois were were shopping in Harlan, Saturday.

Mrs. Bessie Cornett and daughter, Pearl, were in Harlan, Ky., Saturday.

Henderson Graham, of the U. S. Navy, was home on furlough last week.

W. N. Beverly is at home for vacation from Hiwassee College.

The grotesque modern bulldog is a dwarfed, degenrate type of the mastiff, bred solely to suit the taste of fanciers.

Miss Lucy Tester, of Johnson City, Tenn., recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McElyea and family.

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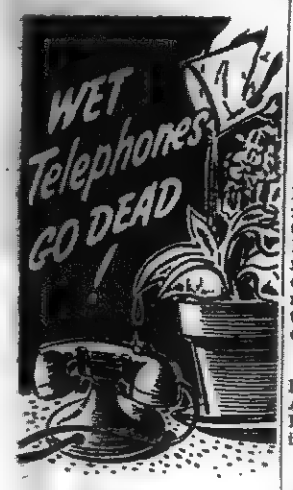
Miss Doris Morefield, of Leona Mines, was the week-end guest of Mrs. Geraldine Carter.



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TOWN TALK

(Continued from page one)

Reported Missing

Mrs. Ollie Shufflebarger and three or four girls were reported missing from our city Sunday afternoon, and for a time caused much alarm.

Their whereabouts remained a mystery until they were found touring about in Woodway and surrounding community in Mrs. Shffulebarger's Chevrolet. It is believed they had a lapse of memory, and became so engrossed in the lure of springtime, and one thing an' another, that they forgot that the folk back home would be uneasy about them.

NOTICE

Persons having claims against the estate of C. H. Shuler, deceased, are hereby notified to present same to Mrs. C. H. Shuler, Administratrix of the estate of said C. H. Shuler, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to settle indebtedness at once.

Mrs. C. H. Shuler,
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JAMSA — DAWN

The following interesting wedding is recorded in an Ely, Minnesota, paper:

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jamsa announce the marriage of their daughter, Verna Eileen ,to Pvt. James E. Dawn, Jr., U. S. Army Air Corps, son of Major and Mrs. J. E. Dawn, Sr., of Washington, D. C.

The wedding took place at St. Luke's Lutheran Church, Silver Spring, Md., March 28th. The bride wore a powder blue suit with pink and white accessories. She carried an old-fashioned bouquet of pink and white carnations with a gardenia in the center. Attendants of the couple were Mrs. Rosemary McIntosh, sister of the groom; Miss Jaqueline Clough and Pvt. Arthur Swanson. The bride was given in marriage by her uncle, Willard Peterson, New York City.

Among the guests were Mrs. Peterson and Misses Catherine Chimzar, Ona Myntti and Ebba Salo ,of Ely. Following the wedding the bride and groom left for several days in New York City and points East.

The groom is stationed at Walker Army Air Field, Victoria, Kansas. The bride is employed in the Office of Agricultural Relations, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington.

Pvt .Dawn is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Cecil, of Pennington Gap, his mother being the former Miss Lois Cecil. The Dawns lived in Pennington Gap several years ago, and Major Dawn conducted a successful grocery business.

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ATTENTION VOTERS

SPECIAL ELECTION, MAY 29
Lee County

GUIDE BALLOT

FIRST: Shall the Sale of Beer and Wine Containing More Than Three and Two-Tenths Per Centum of Alcohol by Weight) Be Permitted In Lee County?

YES

NO

(Strike Out One)

SECOND: Shall the Sale of Alcohol Beverages Other Than Beer and Wine Be Permitted In Lee County?

YES

NO

(Strike Out One)

If you want to keep the sale legal within Lee County, strike out NO (NO) on questions as indicated on the above.

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For Sale or Trade

One 20 Acre tract good timber—will sell timber together or separate

One 100 acre boundary cedar timber [cedar timber only]

One 70 acre, tract good hardwood Poplar and Walnut [Timber Only]

One 100 acre good bluegrass boundary for rent, located in Rye Cove, Scott County, Va., near Natural Tunnel known as the J. C. Cox Farm

One 1938 Buick Sedan, good condition and good tires, for sale after May 25th

One five gaited saddle mare, bred to one of best saddle stock stallions ever in Lee County, well broke to ride or work

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Thy Will Be Done

A child asks for his father and is answered by tears in his mother's eyes . . . A wife reads a telegram and knows that part of her life is ended . . . Memorial Day must be a sad one. So many graves are decorated with wreaths. So many graves are unknown . . but in our hearts is an eternal monument of love for those who have lost their lives in the service of their country.

Yet even on this day our thoughts must turn to the living — to the boys now fighting. And we must resolve to do all in our power to end this war quickly . . . . to win a lasting peace.

The best way to do this . . . the best monument to the dead and tribute to the living . . . is to buy another Bond a bigger Bond, on Memorial Day in the name of one you love.

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Town Talk

About This, That, And The Other

"Are we to blame for being caterpillars?
Will the same God that doomed us crawl the earth?
A prey to every bird that's given birth,
Forgive our captor as he eats and sings.
And damn poor us because we have not wings?

Summer's Here!

Now that the spring flurries are over and summer here in full bloom, it's a good time to do some knocking about, visiting people, seeing places, wake up to new life and realize just what a beautiful world we're living in.

Call the hounds.

I saw a fox the other day—not one in captivity but a big wild grey fox of the mountains. I had just crossed the swinging bridge leading to the Nigger Head Cabin. Near a fresh pile of ashes which indicated a recent camp fire, the fox was sniffling about, evidently getting some tastes of left-over food. On seeing me he raised his long bushy tail and swift as lightning took to the mountains above the cabin.

"Still going happy"

Visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Burchette the other evening Mrs. Burchette remarked casually that they had been married 45 years. Noting my surprise she added, "Oh yes, that's quite a long time for a couple our age, but you see we married very young. I was 14 and Tip 16; and believe me, we're still going happy."

A three-state lady

Mrs. Jennie B. Fulker, of Middlesboro, spent the week end with friends here. Mrs. Fulker says she's a "three-state" lady. She lives in Virginia, boards in Kentucky and works in Tennessee.

Unlucky?—slightly

S. F. Smalley says he ordered two ice covers at a cost of eight dollars apiece, took ten months to get them, lost one of them on the second trip. Mr. Smalley says he will be glad to pay reward for the return of this item which it took him so long to get.

He wants what he wants

This one is reported on L. B. Jolly:

He went into the Cafe recently and ordered sausage and eggs. When he saw the result of his order he told the waitress to double it. He then asked for ham and eggs, and believe it or not, ordered a second helping of ham and—

But here's the pay-off, he told the waitress that now he was going across the street to get his breakfast.

Liberated Soldier Arrive

News and rumors of news regarding liberated prisoners of war keep coming in, and many homes are made happy in the contemplation of their loved ones coming home from prison camps. The first one to actually arrive is Pvt. Eugene Clark, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Clark, of Pennington Gap, Rt. 1. He was held prisoner in Germany fifteen months.

Well Well

T. C. Barlow was showing myself and some other folk around his farm lying just over the Big Hill toward the Brush community. It really is a beauty, with its productive gardens, fruit trees laden with fruit just in the making, cherry trees with limbs bent with ripe cherries and other sights that go along with a farm.

He pointed to a little cottage nestled cozily between some little foot hills. "Down there," he said, "Is a well 280 feet deep." The water is so cold you have to warm it before you can drink it.

Aint that so?" he asked Charlie Bales; and Mr. Bales just grinned and said "I guess."

Return From South

After their annual winter's sojourn in Florida, J. R. Legg and son, Everette, arrived in Pennington last week to stay until the frost is again on the pumpkin and the fodder's in the shock.

Lee County Dry Forces Win By Big Majority

Election Day Quiet and Peaceful In All Precincts

The local option election held in Lee County on Tuesday, May 29, for the purpose of deciding whether or not the legalized sale of beer, wine and whiskey should be permitted in the county, ended in a county-wide victory for the drys. The two questions that confronted the voters in this election were stated as follows:

First: Shall the sale of wine and beer containing more than three and two-tenths percentum of alcohol by weight be permitted in Lee County?

Second: Shall the sale of alcoholic beverages other than beer and wine be permitted in the county?

The vote on the two questions were substantially the same ,and, according to official reports from each of the precincts in the county, was as follows:

	Precinct	Wet	Dry
1.	Dixie	5	71
2.	Bales Mill	10	158
3.	Rose Hill	17	209
4.	Bales Forge	2	66
5.	Morgan's Store	14	250
6.	Bishop's Store	8	140
7.	North Jonesville	40	335
8.	South Jonesville	15	155
9.	Hunter's Gap	4	50
10.	Blackwater	8	83
11.	East Pennington	36	249
12.	West Pennington	30	209
13.	Maness	15	177
14.	St. Charles	116	347
14.	Hursts Store	17	122
16.	Stickleyville	13	96
17.	Seminary	5	83
18.	Keokee	14	26
19.	Robbins Chapel	11	112
20.	Dryden	20	118
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So far as is known the election all over the county passed off quietly and peacefully. No controversies of any kind are reported.

Rev. C. D. Mehaffey, chairman of the Dry Forces, expresses his sincere thanks for the fine cooperation on the part of citizens who helped to win this victory, and to all the election officers who served in the various precincts.

"While this victory is not going to be a panacea for all ills," Rev. Mehaffey said, "it is a step in the right direction; and the Dry Forces will continue to use their influence against the liquor traffic and all other evils in the county. They will also give their support in seeing that the law is enforced and in cleaning up the forces of evil in the county as well as using their influence to help other counties."

SELECTIVE SERVICE BOARDS INSTRUCT MEN 18 THROUGH 25

The following instructions pertaining to men 18 through 25 will be complied with immediately by both Selective Service Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, and Board No. 1, Jonesville. The instructions are as follows:

The immediate study of all cases of men 18 through 25, heretofore found disqualified for general military service, or found qualified for limited service only , is requested.

In this study and review Local Boards should fully utilize the services of Examining Physicians and Medical Advisory Boards.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our deepest appreciation to each and everyone for their kindness and sympathy shown us in the death of our mother, and grandmother, Polly Ann Crusenberry. We are grateful for the floral offerings and the donation of cars from those who took part in the beautiful funeral services. We also wish to thank the Rev. Green and those who took part in the funeral services.

W. R. Rutherford and family, Brothers, Sister, Children and Grandchildren.

Agent Wanted

For Lee County territory by Peoples Life Insurance Company of Washington, D. C. Please apply at this office.

Shoun's Meteor Story Attracts Wide Interest

The large flaming meteor seen descending from the sky west of St. Charles last Sunday night by Dr. G. B. Shoun and Police Chief Bill Fritz, has also caused considerable alarm elsewhere, according to letters and reports received by them since that time.

From reports received to date, the meteor apparently burst into three parts, one of which reached the earth north of Williamsburg, Ky.; another about five miles north of Blountville, Tenn., and the third somewhere near the Virginia-Kentucky line of Harlan and Lee Counties.

Mrs. W. J. Stewart, of Bluff City ,Tenn., has reported that: "We were observing the planet Jupiter Sunday night, when this meteor entered the atmosphere. It was traveling in the direction of 352 degrees; just before striking the earth it exploded and separated into three distinct parts. Just a moment before it exploded was the most gorgeous phenomenon I have ever witnessed. It was so close you could see the white smoke burning and the head itself was a beautiful green and blue white, and it lit up the entire countryside. When the explosion occurred it was just like a beautiful fireworks that spread over a considerable area. From my position, the meteor seemed to have struck the earth about five miles north of Blountville, Tenn."

From Williamsburg, Ky., Dallas H. Barker, editor of the Whitley Diary, says that: "About 11 o'clock Sunday night, he observed a meteor approach from the southwest and disappear like a flash in the extreme west. Pieces of the meteor might be found near here, but the meteor itself burned out before it reached what seemed to be 100 to 150 foot travel arc."

Dr. Shoun and others are continuing their search in the Virginia area. Shoun is extremely interested in locating the landing place if possible of the Virginia portions for scientific reasons.

Brother of Pennington Gap Lady Dies In N. Y.

Funeral services for C. W. Snell, who died Wednesday morning, May 23, in the St. Mary's Hospital, Niagara Falls, N. Y., from injuries received when struck by an automobile, was conducted at Niagara Falls Saturday afternoon, May 26.

Mr. Snell was a brother of Mrs. Jack Shelburne, of Pennington Gap.

THEY MEET AGAIN AFTER LONG SEPARATION

CPL. STANLEY KIRK

SGT. CHESTER KIRK

After 34 months of separation by war, two brothers from St. Charles met again in France recently. They were Sgt. Chester Kirk, serving with the Ninth Army in Germany, and Cpl. Stanley Kirk, with the U. S. Army in France.

Chester made the trip first by truck and then by train, covering a distance of 400 miles to see his brother. Stanley says:

"I was very busy on a plane when Chester arrived and inquired where I was. By that time I saw him, and we met on halfway ground. For a little while it would have been fun to others to have seen us; we were so happy to see each other—it was almost like being at home.

"We spent two days together and had a swell time working out our post-war plans, then Chester returned to duty."

They are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kirk, of Pennington Gap, Route 1. Stanley was promoted to corporal while in France.

Major League Baseball Promoters Visit Perle Stewart Here

Perle Stewart, Lee County's contribution to the national baseball Hall of Fame, was greeted with the personal visit of two very distinguished baseball promoters at Pennington Gap this week. Frank Rickey, part owner and scout for the Brooklyn Dodgers of the National League, called at Mr. Stewart's office over the week-end, and Fred Hunter, noted scout and promoter of the Boston Red Sox of the American League, dropped in at Perle's on Tuesday.

Stewart is probably more widely known in major league baseball circles than any man in the South who has never been a major league star himself. He knows personally most every official and manager of the majors, having made personal contact with all of them many times in his seven-year search for the collection of major league champion baseball pictures, which gained his admittance to the hall of fame.

Mr. Rickey said his Dodgers were going to do all right this year, and that they had a pretty good ball team. "However," said he, "I may be just a little early on my predictions, but I still think we can give the other boys in the National a darn good race."

Mr. Hunter did not have too much comment to expound on the Boston Red Sox, but felt at least optimistic about their outcome, despite the fact that Uncle Sam was having more luck in signing up good ball players than he and the Red Sox were, especially, many from their own roster.

Rickey said Uncle Sam had not hurt them very much so far, but he wasn't sure what may happen to their younger men before the season was over. Both of them asked Mr .Stewart to keep a keen eye out for any young prospect they may chance to see in the Lonesome Pine area.

Navy Men Invited To Enlist With V-5 Program

Young men interested in the Navy's V-5 program, which was recently reopened, may now apply regardless of the number of terms of collegiate training they will have completed, according to an announcement from the office of Naval Officer Procurement, 1320 G Street N.W., Washington, D. C.

As previously announced, successful applicants will be enlisted as apprentice seamen to become ensigns, U. S. Naval Reserve, upon completion of training starting July 1, 1945.

Further information may be obtained from the above office or any Navy Recruiting Station.

Pvt. Howard Surber, of Ft. George G. Meade, Md., was home last week on a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marte Surber and family.

THREE NEFF BROTHERS MEMBERS OF ARMED FORCES

PFC. DAVID R. NEFF

PFC. JAMES M. NEFF

SGT. JEFF NEFF

The three brothers pictured above are sons of Mrs. S. E. Neff, of Jonesville, and are serving in the armed forces.

Pfc. David R. Neff is somewhere in Germany. He was inducted into the Army July 18, 1944, and took his basic training at Camp Blanding, Fla.

He was granted a 15-day furlough, which he spent with his mother and family, then returned to Fort George G. Meade, Md., where he was stationed until he was assigned to overseas duty. He was recently promoted to private first class.

Pfc. James M. Neff has returned to Los Angeles, Calif., where he is serving with the U. S. Medical Corps, after spending a 21-day furlough with his mother and family.

Pfc. Neff entered service December 17, 1943, and took his basic training at Fort Bragg, N. C. From there he was transferred to Nashville, Tenn., and later to Los Angeles. Pfc. Neff is entitled to wear the Good Conduct Ribbon.

Sgt. Jeff Neff was inducted into the service May 4, 1942. He took his basic training at Miami Beach, Fla., and was then transferred to Langley Field, Va. He is entitled to wear the Good Conduct Ribbon, wings and airplane mechanic's badge. He has been serving most of the time as crew chief on a B-17.

He was married to the former Miss Virginia James in June, 1943. Sgt and Mrs. Neff and little son, Jeff, Jr., have recently spent a 16-day furlough with his mother, her father, P. C. James, of Jonesville, and Sgt. Neff's brother, Pfc. James Neff, at Los Angeles, Calif. After returning to his post he was transferred to Barksdale Field, La. Mrs. Neff and son have returned to Jonesville, where they will make their home for the present.

League Leadership To Be Decided Sunday

Explanation To Our Subscribers

Due to a manpower shortage in a key position in our Production Department, in which we have experienced great difficulty in replacing and correcting, it has been impossible for us to operate on our normal production schedule recently.

We have very optimistic hopes of being able to correct this situation within the next few days, and ask your patience in our failure of delivering to you on time the news coverage that we have consistently endeavored to give you week after week.

As soon as we are able to overcome this difficulty which has been beyond our control, we promise to make every effort to give you each week the best newspaper possible, in keeping with our policy of the past three and a half years since assuming the responsibility and publication of The Powell Valley News.

We thank you.

The Publisher.

Virginia Division Of Motor Vehicles Will Honor Expired Permits

Virginia motorists who may be having jitters because they are driving with expired operator licenses have again been reassured by Commission C. F. Joyner, Jr., of the Division of Motor Vehicles, that the police in all States will honor their expired permits until the Division can issue the new three-year driving cards.

In connection with the case of Virginia motorists who have applied for the renewal of their operator licenses, Commissioner Joyner released the following text of a letter sent to all motor vehicle administrators in the nation. The letter, under date of April 12, read as follows:

"Until further notice please honor operator licenses of Virginia motorists who have made application for renewal of their licenses for the three-year period 1945-48, and who have not received their new permits.

This emergency request is necessitated by lack of manpower and other circumstances beyond the Virginia Division of Motor Vehicles' control.

"Will you kindly notify all enforcement officers to this effect? You will be notified immediately of any change in this situation."

Jonesville Woman's Club Reports On Drives

The clothing drive has been a huge success, and many good garments have been received; however, used clothing is still being accepted by the Club for the liberated countries of Europe and the Pacific.

The type of clothing needed is good, substantial used material for both winter and summer wear . Some of the special requests are for infants' and children's apparel, caps and knitted headwear, bedding, shoes and usable remnant piece goods.

The Scrap Paper Drive has been successfully concluded and the paper has been taken away. The drive has been renewed, and cardboard paper is especially needed. We are asking for paper donations to be continued for two more months and notices will be in the paper of collection date.

Please notify Mrs. Frank Halsey of the scrap paper you have and co-operate with her in the collection. This work will not be easily done by a few people but with everyone working together success will be assured.

Betty Laningham, Reporter.

St. Charles Soldier Awarded Third Medal

For the third time, Sgt. L. C. Parks, of St. Charles, has been awarded the Bronze Star Medal for meritorious and heroic achievement in military operations in the Southwest Pacific.

Sgt. Parks, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Parks, of St. Charles, has been overseas for 29 months, and holds 92 points. He is in the Quartermaster Corps.

Three Lee County Teams Lose Over Past Week end

Lee County's three gifts to the Lonesome Pine League — St. Charles, Pennington and Jonesville, each went down in defeat over the week-end, Jonesville and St. Charles descending from the throne of the undefeated for the first time. Cumberland, Ky., Dunbar and Oreton were the victors.

This week-end will break the season-long tie between Jonesville and St. Charles for first place in the standing, as they meet each other in the week's hottest game at St. Charles. Pennington will take the long ride to Cumberland for their affray, while Oreton will go to Dunbar to unlock a third place tie between Wise County's two members of the Pine circuit.

The Cumberland - St. Charles game, played at Benham field, was the top-notcher of the week, the Cumberlanders dealing the Miners their first defeat of the year, the game ending 2 to 1, with each club collecting eight hits and playing on about even terms.

Cumberland was first to break a scoreless deadlock in the sixth inning. Wheelock attempted to steal home. Pope, catching for St. Charles, stepped out in front of the batter for the pitch, tagging the runner ahead of the plate, which was ruled illegal by the umpire, ruling a catcher must remain in position to receive a delivery, thus counting the score. Cumberland counted again in the seventh, when Falls scored on Stallard's fumble of Sturgill's roller at short.

St. Charles counted for one in the eighth, when Pope scored on Foster's single.

Falls led Cumberland's hitting with 2 for 3; Yonosky had 2 for 4. Foster and Holman led St. Charles with 2 for 4 each.

Red Skiles completed the eighth inning on the mound for St. Charles, Scott relieving in the ninth. Wheelock went the route for Cumberland.

Jonesville and Dunbar had a nip and tuck affair at the Fair Grounds Park in Jonesville, Dunbar finally handing Jonesville their first defeat of the season 8 to 5. Jonesville pounded the horsehide all over the lot for 17 hits, but were unable to convert them in to tallies at the proper time. Dunbar also did a bang-up job of hitting by collecting 14 blows, and making them count at the right time for victory.

Roop, R. Russell and Davidson led Jonesville's slugging with 3 hits. Allen, Carter, G. Russell collected 2 each. Sage and Cowan led Dunbar with 3 hits for 5 trips each, while Young and Bishop collected 2 each.

G. Russell started on the mound for Jonesville; Stanley started for Dunbar.

Oreton defeated Pennington Gap 7 to 4 at St. Charles. Shelbourne led Pennington Gap's 12-hit attack with 4 for 4; T. Smith had 2 for 4. Moore led Oreton with 3 for 4, including a circuit blow. Johnson and L. Slagle collected 2 each.

Wooliver did the mound work for Pennington; Lefty Mabe went the route for Oreton.

THE OFFICIAL STANDING

Team	W	L	Pct.
St. Charles	3	1	.750
Jonesville	3	1	.750
Cumberland	2	2	.500
Dunbar	2	2	.500
Oreton	2	2	.500
Pennington	0	4	.000

Local Servicemen Congratulated By Officer

Among the 185,000 men and women of the Eighth Air Force Congratulated after VE Day by Lt. General James H. Doolittle, their commanding officer, were several from Pennington Gap, and community, including 2nd Lt. Earl C. Johnston, Rt. 2, Staff Sgt. Dave H. Eagle, Rt. 1, Pfc. Clifford H. Ely, of Keokee, Pfc. Robert F. Seymour, of St. Charles, Pfc. Clyde J. Weller, of Pennington Gap.

REYNOLDS-HILL

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Reynolds, of Pennington Gap, Route 1, announce the marriage of their daughter, Bernice, to Mr. Junior Hill, of Oak Ridge, Tennessee, on Wednesday, May 23, 1945.

The couple will make their home at Oak Ridge, where both are employed.

THE POWELL VALLEY NEWS
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"BILL" FILLS THE BILL

Virginia Democrats who really have at heart the interests of the Commonwealth will see to it that Lieutenant-Governor William M. Tuck is nominated for Governor in the August primary. The nomination is, and we hope will for a long time continue to be, equivalent to election in the Old Dominion.

The Times-Mirror has known Mr. Tuck from the day, some twenty years ago, he took his seat in the House of Delegates as a member from Halifax County. This newspaper had unusual opportunity to observe his service there, and later, in the Senate, to which he was, after several terms in the lower branch, elevated by his constituency. His record in both chambers indicates that he will make Virginia a good and wise Chief Executive.

As Lieutenant-Governor, he has presided over the Senate with dignity and complete fairness. He has on innumerable occasions represented Governor Darden on missions in and out of Virginia.

Mr. Tuck, a lawyer, with offices at South Boston, and a native of Halifax, one of the larger and more important of the one hundred counties in Virginia, has a knowledge of the mechanics of the State government and of the State's affairs that is possessed by few men. It is information that he will, as Governor, apply to the State's interest and well being.

Mr. Tuck has, to a marked degree, that valuable asset in politics known as the "common touch". Success in public life has not turned his head. He has both of his feet on the ground. To thousands of Virginians he still is plain "Bill" Tuck. He is possessed of a sturdy Southern Virginia background. He has those qualities of heart and mind that provide the surety that as Governor he will not fail his people.

We do not say that Mr. Tuck, by reason of party loyalty, deserves the nomination, nor that, by reason of experience and public service, he is entitled to be elected Governor of Virginia. To no one does the Commonwealth owe the Governorship. The office isn't something to be passed out as a reward to party hacks. Those who seek it must, above all else, be qualified. "Bill" fills the bill. —Loudon Times-Mirror of May 3, 1945.

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News From
MILLER'S CHAPEL

Mrs. Charles Keys, of Kingsport, Tenn., spent Saturday night with Mrs. Minnie Williams and was dinner guest of Mrs. Lonzo Hall Sunday.

Pfc. Champ Hall, who served eight months overseas and was wounded on the eighth day of March, has returned to the states and was visiting friends in this community Sunday. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hall, Ben Hur.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Terry and children and Bill Terry of Dayton Ohio, are spending a few days with her father, Harrison Garrett, and other relatives.

Those visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Johnson Saturday night were: Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Terry, Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Bledsoe, and son, Garland Rhea, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Terry and daughters, Shirley, Reeda, and Florence, and Fred Terry, Morris Byington, J. E. Roop and H. D. Maness, of Kingsport, Tennessee.

Mrs. Irene Quesenberry and son, Ronald, spent Saturday night with her parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Hyatt Quesenberry.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Hall of Big Stone Gap are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lonzo Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wright and children, of St. Charles, Mr. and Mrs. Ford Roop and children and Miss Annie Lippe, of Duffield, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Terry Sunday.

J. D. Maness, of Kingsport, Tenn., spent Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Bledsoe and children, Carl, Mable and Ermette, of Jonesville, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bledsoe and daughter, Mary Helen, of Dayton, Ohio, and Mrs. Ledford, of Jonesville, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Bledsoe, Sunday.

Several from here attended the graduation exercises at Jonesville High School Thursday night.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

Virginia: In the Clerk's Office of the County of Lee, in Vacation, the 10th day of May, 1945.

Lula Newman, surviving widow of Oat Newman, deceased, and in her own right, et als
Vs) ORDER OF PUBLICATION
J. W. Newman, administrator of J. J. Newman, deceased, and in his own right, et als.

The object of the above styled suit is to wind up the estate of James J. Newman, deceased, to partition his undivided interest, or interests, in lands and to have same sold and the proceeds distributed to those entitled.

And it appearing by affidavit filed according to law that the following defendants: Sarah Jane Garrett, Hazel Garrett Rice, James Omer Garrett, Marie Garrett Carter, Lucy Newman Coldiron, Noah Newman, Margarite Newman Williams, Elinor Newman, Thurman Baille, Wesley Baille, Samuel Baille, Arlena Garrett, Fred Garrett, Ewill Garrett, Iona Garrett Turley, Hyatt Garrett, F. K. Parsons, Jack Parsons, Ruby Parsons Pennington, Blanche Parsons, Paul Parsons, Madge Parsons, Marjorie Parsons and Jefferson Kyle Parsons, Jr., are not residents of this State; it is, therefore, ordered that the said named defendants do appear within ten days after due publication of this order, in the Clerk's Office of our said Circuit Court, and do what is necessary to protect their interests. And it is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a newspaper published in Lee County, Virginia. And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of said County on or before the next succeeding rule day, and that another copy hereof be mailed to the defendants to the Post Office address given in the affidavit.

Attest:
D. C. Sewell, Jr., Clerk
By Charles N. Haws,
Deputy Clerk
Robt. B. Ely, p.q.
Adv. No. 19-4t.

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Mrs. G. W. Ball

ROUTE 4

Miss Pinie Bledsoe has returned to her home after having spent two weeks with her brother, D. C. Bledsoe and family here.

J. M. Ellison, Mrs. W. F. Bonham and grandson, Richard Hugh Cox, visited their sister, Mrs. G. W. Ball and Mr. Ball, Tuesday.

Miss Natetta Davis is now employed as assistant in the Powell Valley National Bank in Jonesville, but will only work part time until school closes.

Mrs. D. C. Bledsoe attended the funeral of her uncle, Tobias Smith, at Robbins Chapel on Monday, May 14.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Roberts and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Gay Livesay, Sunday.

Glenn Ball and family and Georgianna Ball are due to arrive for a few days' visit with homefolks here on May 26 or 27.

Rev. Perkins could not conduct the singing at York, Friday night due to the fact that he was having a Band Concert at Jonesville High School.

The Sunday School at York is progressing nicely now that the weather is more favorable.

Little Misses Patty and Betty Byington called on us Saturday and presented us with a nice basket of strawberries, and believe it or not, we didn't forget to say thank you. They were accompanied by their cousins, Jean and June Byington.

Cracker Poteet will soon have his new house completed. He is building where the old one burned.

J. P. Roberts, of the Philippines, is expected to arrive home on furlough sometime in the near future.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:
In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 24 day of May, 1945.
Robert Flanary .....Complainant
Vs. Order of Publication
Allie Bruce Flanary....Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce A Vinculo Matrimonii on grounds of desertion for more than statutory period.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Allie Bruce Flanary is nonresident of the State of Virginia, and last known address is 522 Lequoyah Drive, Kingsport, Tenn., it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.
Teste: D. C. Sewell, Jr., Clerk
By: Charles N. Haws, D. C.
p. q. Guy A. Kauffman.
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News From BENEDICT

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Scarborough and family, of Oak Ridge, visited friends and relatives here last week.

Cpl. Pearl Sturgill, who has just completed a 45 day furlough visiting relatives, left Monday to report back to Ft. Meade, Md.

Mr. annd Mrs. Lee Smith, of Michigan, visited relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thompson visited relatives at Jonesville, Friday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Surette announce the birth of a daughter on May 25.

Mrs. John Farley, of Jonesville was the dinner guest of Mrs. Jim Shackleford Friday.

Mrs. Elmer Scarborough and daughter, Ruth, visited relatives at Oak Ridge last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Worley Dean, and family of Stone Creek, visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Beulah Scarborough and children visited relatives at Stone Creek Sunday.

Several from this community attended the Memorial Services at Millers Chapel Sunday.

Mrs. Bill Akins visited her daughter, Mrs. Ralph Harber, at Stone Creek, Sunday.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 17 day of March, 1945.

Evelyn Fleenor .....Complainant
Vs. Order of Publication
Lawrence Fleenor.....Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce on grounds of Desertion and Adultery.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Lawrence Fleenor is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address is Lebannon, Ohio, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste: D. C. Sewell, Jr., Clerk.
By Charles N. Haws, D. C.
p. q. Vance S. King
advertisement 22-4t pd.

News From BURKHART'S CHAPEL

A large crowd from here attended the graduating exercises at Keokee Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Bailey and son, J. R., spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. John Bailey and family at Deep Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Ridings and children, of Turners Siding, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Julius Ridings and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Capps and children, of Robbins Chapel, were visiting Mrs. Myrtle Robbins and family Sunday.

Miss Hazel Carter, of Keokee, Rt. 3, spent the week end with Misses Mildred and Lorene Woodard.

Mr. and Mrs. Tennessee Gilbert have received word from the War Department that their son, Pvt. Charles C. Gilbert, was wounded in Germany, April 25.

Mrs. Minnie Stapleton and son, of Keokee, Rt. 3, were visiting relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ermine Alsup and son, of Poor Valley, visited relatives here Sunday.

The teachers and students of Meadow Fork School enjoyed a picnic at the Jahu place Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bailey were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Truman Bailey Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Leonard and family, of Jonesville, visited Mrs. Myrtle Robbins Sunday.

Formosa is 244 miles long and 97 miles wide.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of Lee County, in vacation, the 12th day of April, 1945.

William L. Yeary....Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Pauline Blair Yeary, Infant
..... Defendant

The object of the above styled suit is to obtain a divorce on behalf of William L Reary ,complainant, from Pauline Blair Yeary, infant, defendant, on ground of adultery committed by the defendant, without the procurement or connivance of the complainant and within five years from the commencement of this suit.

And it appearing by affidavit filed according to law that Pauline Blair Yeary, infant, the above name defendant ,is not a resident of the State of Virginia, it is therefore ordered that the said Pauline Blair Yeary, infent, do appear within ten days after due publication of this order in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of said County and do what may be necessary to protect her interests. and it is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a newspaper published in Lee County, Virginia. And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, on or before the first succeeding rule day, and that another copy hereof be mailed to the defendant at the Post Office address given in the affidavit.

Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
Robt. B. Ely, p. q.
Adv. No. 19-4t

Coal was not mined commercially in the United States until 1750.

News From DERBY

Mr. and Mrs. Milt Hall and son, Billy, Frank Turner and Will Dooley made a business trip to Johnson City, Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. S. P. Gardner, of Moccasin Gap, Tenn., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. McPherson, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milford Burchette and Mr. and Mrs. Eli Stansbury were visiting in East Stone Gap, Sunday.

Isaac L. Lawson and granddaughter, Jewell Shuler, spent Sunday in Bristol. Mrs. Lawson returned home with them.

Mrs. Kemp Hurd and Mrs. Roy Early were visiting in Moccasin Gap, last week. Mrs. James McArthur and son, Bobby, returned with them for a brief visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Williams spent the week end visiting relatives in Duffield and Jonesville.

Evelyn Standsbury is spending a few days in Clintwood.

Mrs. Walter Marrs and son, Bobby, of Big Stone Gap, were visiting here Saturday.

News From BONNY BLUE

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stapleton and family of Loudon, Tenn., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack Warf and family of this place and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kirk and daughter of Norton, Va.

J. R. Wilson of Loudon, Tenn., visited friends in Bonny Blue last week.

Mrs. Jack Gaines, of Detroit, Mich., is visiting her mother, Mrs. G. C. Reece, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kirk and daughter of Norton, Va., visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kirk and Lillian, of Maness, this week they also visited friends and relatives of Bonny Blue.

Mrs. Worley Miller and family have returned to their home here after spending a vacation with her mother, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gaines, of Detroit, Mich.

Jay Miller of the U. S. Navy is spending a furlough with friends and relatives here.

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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

Lee Mapes Sticks His Neck Out

We had a meeting at the Town Hall Friday night, and when Homer Bently spoke up for a new roof for the schoolhouse, Lee Mapes interrupts him.

"How long you been in this town?" Lee demands.

"Fourteen years," says Homer proudly.

"Then you keep quiet!" says Lee. "We can't have transients running things in our town."

I'm glad to report that all of us voted Lee down and let Homer have his say. I'm glad not just because the school did need a new roof, but because it doesn't do to let intolerance and prejudice creep into a community.

Whether a man's stayed "put" a lifetime or a year, whether he works with his head or his hands, drinks beer or buttermilk—so long as he's a good American he has a right to speak his mind, and have his opinions (however different they may be) respected.

— Joe Marsh

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Social and Personal

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Mrs. Carr had promised Cpl. Richard C. Fulton, serving with the U. S. Army overseas, a turkey dinner as soon as he returned home. Tuesday evening, May 29, she had an opportunity of keeping her promise. Cpl. Fulton, who had been confined to an English hospital, was recently transferred to the U. S., coming by plane as far as Ft. Thomas, Ky. He visited at the home of Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Carr in Pennington, and Mrs. Carr served the turkey dinner to the following guests:

Cpl. Fulton, Mr. and Mrs. Baylor Fulton, Jane B. Carr, of Knoxville, Mrs. Magnolia Gardner, of Newport News.

Ensign Curtis C. Brooks has returned to port in San Francisco, California, and is awaiting to get a ship, after spending a two weeks furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis C. Brooks, Sr., of Pennington Gap.

Pvt. Robert Gibson, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Gibson, is home again after serving nearly three years in the U. S. Army. Much of this time was spent in overseas service, mainly in North Africa.

Homecoming

Mr. and Mrs. Leo E. Diffenderfer, Sr., of Jonesville, Rt. 2, recently enjoyed a reunion of members of their family

Sgt. James Elvin Diffenderfer came home on furlough after two years' service with the U. S. Army, during which time he has seen action in North Africa, Sicily, Italy and France. He was awarded the Silver Star, Good Conduct Medal and Purple Heart.

He was accompained home by his sister, Miss Girzelle Diffenderfer, employed at Washington, D. C., and at home they were joined by Leo J. Diffenderfer, Jr., and an Aunt, Mrs. Robert G. Anderson, of Anderson, Indiana. Another son, Pvt. Palmer H. Diffenderfer, was killed in action February 8, 1944.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Grace, and daughter, Barbara, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Forester, and children visited relatives in Gate City, Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Quinley and children Fred Dale and Betty are visiting Mrs. Quinley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dale of Lake City, Tennessee.

Seaman Roy Rutherford of the U. S. Navy is spending his leave with his mother, at St. Charles.

Leonard Lambert of L. M. U. spent last week end with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. John Brannon, of Woodway.

Mrs. Ruth Shelburne Orr, formerly with the welfare Department at Jonesville, has resigned to accept a position with the Welfare Department of Russell County, at Grundy, Va.

Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Smalley and Dr. G. B. Setzler went to Charlottesville, Va., where Rev. Moore will undergo a physical check up at the University Hospital.

Ensign Curtis C. Brooks visited his sister, Mrs. C. J. Soncrant and family, at Monroe, Michigan, enroute home from his school at Kings Point, N. Y.

Mrs. Ollie Farmer and Mrs. Alice Jones, of Harlan, visited Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Cox and family over the week end.

Miss Ritchie Lee Fugate and sister Laura Jean, of Oak Ridge, spent the week end with home folks here.

S. Sgt. and Mrs. Ty Harber announce the birth of a son Sunday, May 27. The baby was born on the eve of the birthday of the father, who still remains in Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Smith and little son, Ray, of Huntington, Ind., are visiting his sister, Mrs. M. S. Culbertson and other relatives here.

Jack Driscoll, of Washington, D. C., Mr. and Mrs. Earl Repass and son, of Knoxville, attended the graduating exercises of P. H. S. Friday night, the guests of Miss Bobbie Jean Cooper and mother.

Mrs. Jake Howard attended a Victory Club meeting at Wallins, Ky., last Saturday.

Jay Kauffman spent last week end with his parents, Attorney, and Mrs. Guy Kauffman.

Mr. and Mrs. Cowles Kelly and children and Miss Pearl Cornette visited friends in Clinton, Tenn., Sunday. Patsy and Jimmie Kelly remained for a week's visit with their grandmother, Mrs. Dona Thomas.

Mrs. Minnie Kilbourne and Mrs. Elisa Garrison spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Kemp Yeary at Jonesville, and brought back with them Miss Mary Lynn Yeary to spend a week with her grandmother, Mrs. Alice Turner. Miss Yeary and Mrs. Turner spent Monday in Harlan.

2nd Lt. and Mrs. Bill Goins, Jr. and daughter Sharron are visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. Bill Goins, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Tate Reasor and family. Lt. Goins has been stationed at Willimington, North Carolinia the past few months. Mrs. Goins and Sharron have been living there too.

Lt. Paul McArthur of Greensboro, North Carolinia spent a few days with his wife and daughter, Cheryl Lynn, who are making their home at present with Mrs. McArthur's parents Mr. and Mrs. Joseph S. Payne. Lt. McArthur returned to Greensboro, Wednesday.

Stella Young of Oak Ridge, Tennessee is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Young of Woodway.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Payne had a short surprise visit from their son, C. S. P. Vergil Payne of the U. S. Navy last week end. C. S. P. Payne is stationed at U. S. N. Station Paturent River, Maryland.

Margaret Ramic and Pauline Anderson students of L. M. U. were visiting friends here Sunday.

Tishie Bunch of Clinton, Tennessee, spent the week end with her sister Mrs. Jim Stewart and family.

Virginia Housley of Fountain City, Tennessee was here to attend the graduating exercises. She was the guest of Ruth Parsons.

Mrs. Bernice Cooper and Bobby Jean had as their guests last week end Mr. and Mrs. Earl Repass and son Earl Hansel, of Knoxville, and Jack Driskill of Washington, D. C.

Jetta Rogers and Mrs. Bill Keith were in Bristol shopping Tuesday.

Mrs. Loraine (Stout) Litton, of Dayton, Ohio spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stout, Mrs. Litton returned to Dayton Sunday.

Hiram Orr, of Oak Ridge, Tennessee, spent the week end with relatives here.

Joseph S. Payne is visiting his son Mr. and Mrs. Y. C. Payne and family, of Detroit, Michigan.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving remembrance of my father, James A. Fulton, who went to live with God one year ago today—May 31, 1944.

We have missed him in our home, but find comfort in the thought that our loss is his eternal gain. Father had more than lived his allotted years; he was 87 the day before he died.

He lived a useful life and was a loyal attendant at church until overcome by illness 14 years before his death.

During those fourteen years he was a wheel chair invalid, but was kind and patient through it all, endearing himself to us more and more as days went by. We would not call him back if we could, to suffer death again, but in humble submission await our happy meeting in the life beyond and try to think of death as "Some delightful journey
That we shall take when all
Our tasks are done."

—His daughter,
Mrs. T. L. Burchette.

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FOR SALE

McCormick Grain Binder, right hand; six-foot cut. K. C. Munsey, Route 1, Jonesville, Va.
Adv. No. 20-3t pd.

NOTICE

Persons having claims against the estate of C. H. Shuler, deceased, are hereby notified to present same to Mrs. C. H. Shuler, Administratrix of the estate of said C. H. Shuler, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to settle indebtedness at once.

Mrs. C. H. Shuler,
Admnistratrix of the estate of C. H. Shuler, deceased, Route 1, Keokee, Va.
(Adv. 18-4t. pd.)

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 25 day of May, 1945.

ESTELLE RAILEY and W. T. BAILEY ..... Complainants.

Vs. Order of Publication

OLIN JOHNSON, KERMIT D. GRAHAM, ZELMA GRAHAM STONE, FERN GRAHAM RUSSELL, J. B. JOHNSON, ROY P. JOHNSON, HERBERT JOHNSON, CARL J. JOHNSON, BURL JOHNSON, LUTHER QUENTIN JOHNSON and HERBERT JOHNSON, Administrator of the Estate of J. F. Johnson, Deceased....Defendants

The object of this suit is to partition the lands of which J. F. Johnson died seized and possessed, and to settle the estate of said J. F. Johnson and settle the accounts of Herbert Johnson, Administrator. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the following defendants, are non-residents of the State of Virginia, and their last known address is: Pfc. Luther Q. Johnson, No. 38156584, 518th Quarter Master (Car) Co., A. P. O. 958 care of Postmaster, San Francisco, California; Cpl. Kermit D. Graham, No. 33696166, 911th Ord. H. A. M. Co., A. P. O. 33, care of Postmaster, New York, N. Y.; Pvt. Carl J. Johnson, Medical Saxtion C. A. S. C. Unit 1938, Fort McDowell, California; Zelma Graham Stone, 1405 Cypress St. West Monroe, Louisiana; Fern Graham Russell, 10 Skiff Street, Willoughby, Ohio; it is ordered that they appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

It is further ordered, that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendants at their last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste: D. C. Sewell, Jr., Clerk.

By: Charles N. Hawa, D. C.

p. q. Fred B. Greene
advertisement 22-4t

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Adv. No. 21-2t pd.

NOTICE

Persons having claims against the estate of A. G. Hyatt, deceased, are hereby notified to present same to F. K. Hyatt, Administrator of the estate of said A. G. Hyatt, and all persons indebted to said estate, are requested to settle indebtedness at once.

F. K. Hyatt
Administrator of the Estate of A. G. Hyatt, deceased. Jonesville, Va.
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TOWN TALK

About This, That, And The Other

Don't worry if your job is small
And your rewards are few;
Remember that the mighty oak
Was once a nut like you.

June Not So "Perfect"—Yet

For a day or so following the cold May rains it looked as though summertime was really here. However, June has turned tables, and now we're having the kind of weather due us in March and April. Even fires and overcoats have been brought back into use.

But why worry—it's June just the same, and June roses are just as plentiful and beautiful as ever, while "June brides" have already numbered three right in our midst.

They Keep Coming!

We keep hearing every day the good news of more soldiers in our community being liberated and either at home or on the way. Sgt. Andy Stanley is home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Stanley, at Stickleyville. Lt. Wayne W. Livesay is hoping to eat dinner with homefolk at least by June 16th, the day on which he will become 23 years old.

Long Time Ago

In looking over an old copy of the "Jonesville Star", published at Jonesville, Nov. 11, 1909, we find an article dedicated to Dr. D. H. Howard, of Pennington Gap, which brings our our mind the information given us by a relative of Dr. Howard that he

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DOWN on the FARM

By:
R. C. CARTER, County Agent

There is considerable shortage of tobacco plants in Lee County this season, due to an epidemic of blue mold among the plants, which has been increased by the cold wet weather during the month of May. There is hardly a tobacco bed in the county that has not been affected by the blight of blue mold.

This may be prevented by spraying tobacco beds with fermate, a new drug developed only recently by the duPont Company. This material is very scarce this year and only a few growers could get it. It is expected that next year it will be more plentiful.

In the meantime, blue mold can be controlled by the use of paradichlorobenzine, commonly known as P.D.B. My recommendation for the use of P.D.B. is as follows:

1. Before fumigating tobacco beds with P.D.B., make sure that the sides of the bed are banked with dirt to make them as airtight as possible.

2. Start fumigation immediately when the first signs of the disease appear in your plant bed. One heavy cover may be used for two beds if the beds are fumigated on alternate nights.

3. Apply three pounds of PDB (paradichlorobenzine) crystals, size No. 6, to each 100 square yards of plant bed on alternate nights until the disease is checked—usually about three applications to each bed is sufficient. If the disease appears again, repeat the procedure.

4. At about sundown scatter regular seed bed cover, making regular sed bed cover, making sure that the cover is tightly drawn to prevent pocketing of

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WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Weather Bureau report for the week ending June 3rd, 1945, for Lee County, furnished by Cam J. Lewis, official observer:

Date	Temperature		Rainfall
26	81	55	.00
29	82	63	.00
30	82	53	.00
31	78	50	.00
1	83	55	.00
2	87	59	.00
3	82	59	.07

St. Charles Takes Lead In Lonesome Pine Loop

Oreton and Cumberland Also Winners In Past Week-end L. P. Games

The Lonesome Pine rolled on with plenty of steam and mounting interest over the week-end, as St. Charles nosed Jonesville out of first place in an eighth-inning rally that was a killer-diller.

Oreton pulled into a tie for second place with Jonesville and Cumberland by emerging on the top side of a very exciting 3 to 2 decision over Dunbar, while Cumberland kept well in the front lines of battle by defeating Pennington Gap 12 to 5.

Next week will take St. Charles to Jonesville, where the Capitol Hortoneers will bend every effort to get revenge for Sunday's defeat and, if successful, will return them to another tie for first place. Cumberland meets Pennington Gap at St. Charles, while Dunbar will journey to Andover to again meet Oreton.

The St. Charles-Jonesville skirmish at St. Charles, which attracted a record crowd and unlooped their tie for first place, was won by the St. Charles Miners 10 to 8. Jonesville was leading 7 to 3 at the end of the first half of the eighth inning, when the Miners unloosed a keg of coalite, which spurred an invasion on the fast-breaking curves of Roy Chance and netted them seven runs before Jonesville could muster enough defense to end the inning. Jonesville came back with one run in the ninth, and that was all. The Miners were triumphant by a lucky break 10 to 8.

Dame Pannell led the Miners' batting with 3 for 5; Robbins had 2 for 2. Manager Horton led Jonesville with 2 for 3.

Howard Lawson's Oreton nine riddled Sam Riddle's Dunbar clan by a fighting margin of 3 to 2 at Dunbar which put the Oretoneers into a tie for second place in the standing. Mabe did the flashy mound work for the winners, allowing but five scattered hits. Sage showed fine style on the mound for Dunbar ,allowing an equal number of hits, but miscues were blamed for his defeat. Griggs led Dunbar's batting with 3 for 5.

Pennington Gap bowed to Cumberland 12 to 5 at Cumberland. Both clubs hit the ball to all corners of the field, with the luck breaking favorably for Cumberland. Shelbourne and Smith led the hitting for Pennington.

THE OFFICIAL STANDING

Team	W	L	Pct.
St. Charles	4	1	.800
Jonesville	3	2	.600
Cumberland	3	2	.600
Oreton	3	2	.600
Dunbar	2	3	.400
Pennington	0	5	.000

SERVES WITH AAF

S.-SGT. WM. CARL HELBERT

Staff Sgt. Wm. Carl Helbert entered the Army Air Force on September 4, 1941. He was stationed at each of the following camps in Texas: Kelly Field, Randolph Field, and Midland Army Air Force Bombardier School. From there he went to Greensboro, N. C., O.R.D.

He has seen service overseas in North Africa and Italy, and is now stationed somewhere in Libya in an Air Transport Command Base Unit.

Sgt. Helbert's wife is the former Miss Reba E. Hickam, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hickam. She is living with her parents while her husband is overseas. The couple lived in Texas while he was stationed in the Bombardier School.

Jonesville Baptist Church

Sunday, June 10th: Sunday School at 10:00 a. m. Morning service at 11:00 a. m. Special service in honor of the men who have gone from the Church and Sunday School.

Baptist Training Union at 7:00 p. m. Choir practice at 8 p. m.

IS IN THE NAVY

SEAMAN EUGENE KENNEDY

Seaman Eugene Kennedy is serving with the U. S. Navy now, somewhere in the Pacific, and he is 18 years old. At the time the above picture was made he was a boy of only fourteen years.

Seaman Kennedy has lived with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Calton, of Keokee, since he was a baby. Prior to his enlistment he worked at Newport News, Va.

Increased Aid To China Shown By Relief Figures

During the first quarter of 1945 each American dollar bought about twice as much relief in China as it did in 1943, due to improved exchange rates, according to announcement by Rev. Charlie D. Mehaffey, local chairman of United China Relief, Inc.

"This increase was achieved in the face of mounting inflation," said Mr. Mehaffey. "In this fiscal year our organization will send to China $12,013,284.00, as compared to the 1943 total of $8,611,277.00. Thus, America's help to China will have increased in volume about 40%, and around 200% in effectiveness in two years. It is fortunate indeed that we have been able to achieve this growth as China faces its ninth year of war.

"American donors can be assured that every dollar contributed to the National War Fund, from which United China Relief receives most of its money, or to United China Relief direct, achieves the ultimate in results to aid our Chinese allies."

Curtis Larmer Dead At Dallas, Texas

A message came to relatives here last Friday notifying them of the sudden death of Curtis Larmer, 63, at his home in Dallas, Texas.

Mr. Larmer is a son of Mrs. Letitia Larmer, of Pennington Gap, who, because of her advanced age and ill health, has not been told of his death. Other survivors are: His widow, of Dallas, Texas; three sisters, Mrs. Fred Howard, Pennington Gap; Mrs. W. A. Vanhuss, of Corbin, Ky.; and Mrs. Mattie Daugherty, Pennington Gap.

Cpl. Dainer Marcum in Walter Reed

Cpl. Dainer Marcum, son of Mrs. Maggie Marcum, of Jonesville, is in Walter Reed Hospital at Washington, D. C., after serving twenty months in the Southwest Pacific Area. He enlisted in November, 1942.

Cpl. Marcum has two brothers in service, Homer and P. W. Marcum.

Delinquents Reported

The following delinquents, as of May 31 are reported by Local Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va.:

Chester A. Jennings, white; Order No. 1745.

William Kenneth Hennick, white; Order No. 11,477.

Local Board No. 1 Lists New Registrants For May

The following men became 18 years of age during the month of May, 1945, and have registered with Selective Service Board No. 1, Jonesville:

William Ralph McConnell, R 3, Jonesville; Roy Jackson Bonham, R 3, Jonesville; Lloyd Collingsworth ,R 2, Blackwater; Robert Livesay, Blackwater; Oscar B. Bray, R 1, Ewing; Paul Fee, Hagan; Charles Eugene Depew, Hubbard Springs; Kenneth Hatfield, R 1, Rose Hill; Kenneth Fletcher, Rose Hill; Ray Roscoe Neeley, R 2, Jonesville; Paul Rhymer, Gibson Station; Elmo Ralph Collier, R 2, Pennington Gap; Gilmer Sumpter Hobbs, Rose Hill; Gleese Carson Williams, Jonesville; Charles Henry Nliday, Gibson Station; Wilmer Glenn Parsons, Jonesville.

Tri-State Singing Convention At Big Stone Gap

The 24th annual session of the Tri-State Singing Convention will be held at Bullitt Park in Big Stone Gap, Sunday, June 10, beginning at 10:00 a. m., and continuing throughout the day.

Free parking space will be furnished for everybody, and refreshmens will be served on the ground.

A loudspeaker service has been arranged so that everybody can hear the singing.

T. C. Barlow Farm Sold At Auction Saturday

The chant of the auctioneer Saturday morning, June 2, relieved T. C. Barlow, proprietor of the Monte Vista Hotel at Big Stone Gap, of his 185-acre farm located south of Pennington Gap and running a considerable distance across Skaggs Hill into what used to be known as the "Brush" community.

The farm included orchards, timber lands, five cottages, cultivation land, two tobacco barns and, according to Mr. Barlow, a "well 280 feet deep containing water so cold it has to be warmed before one can drink it". The farm was subdivided into lots and tracts. The sale was managed by the Catron Land Company, of Marion, and netted a sum of more than $20,000, it is reported.

Mr. Barlow operated hotels in Pennington Gap for several years and at the same time was one of the county's outstanding real estate dealers.

Methodist Church

Sunday morning, June 10th: Church School at 9:30, Clyde M. Kirk, Supt. Morning worship at 10:40. Sermon theme: "Rebuilding the World With God". Special music, "His Eye Is On the Sparrow"—Carl Shelton.

Bible School will continue through Wednesday, 9 to 11 a. m., followed by Sharing Service next Sunday evening.

Evening: Young People's Groups meet at 6:30. Evening worship at 7:30. Sermon theme: "Mastering the Storms of Life".

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening at 6:30.

Charlie D. Mehaffey, Pastor.

First Baptist Church

Sunday, June 10th: Sunday School at 9:30 a. m., Arthur T. Burchette, Supt. Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon theme: "Golden Apples".

Evening: Training Unions meet at 6:30. Preaching at 7:30. Sermon topic: "The Second Visit".

Vacation Bible School will continue through next week.

Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

P. R. Stubbs, Pastor.

Pennington Gap Pastor In University Hospital

Rev. W. B. Moore, pastor of the First Christian Church of Pennington Gap, entered the University Hospital at Charlottesville last Wednesday, for treatment.

Rev. E. A. Robertson, of Gibson Station, will occupy the First Christian pulpit Sunday morning, June 10th.

Wounded

Pfc. Morrison Hammonds was wounded for the second time in Germany on April 30, the War Department reports. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hammonds, Pennington Gap, Route 2.

Pennington Gap Man Figures In Dual Marriage

Those stories we read of where the wife believes husband No. 1 to be dead, marries again, only to find out later that he isn't dead at all, seem tragic enough, but when they come to your own home town — well, just listen to this, which is taken from the May 24th issue of the Washington (D.C.) Post:

Husband No. 1, Sgt. David E. Hammond, 35, Sharpsburg, Md.; the wife, Mrs. Thelma Hammond, of the same place, but at present employed by a wholesale tobacco house in Washington; husband No. 1, Wm. R. Nelms, 25, of Pennington Gap, a steel worker and himself an Army veteran.

Mrs. Hammond-Nelms story: "I never received official notification that David was dead, but his sister had received notice that he was missing in action, and I read of atrocities, and not hearing any more from him just felt sure he was dead. Then, last August, feeling just awfully lonesome, and very sure that my husband was dead, I married Bill Nelms.

"Three months ago I learned that David was liberated from Stalag No. 20 in Germany. As soon as I heard that, and thought it all through, I know that it was David I wanted to be married to. I didn't taken any action at first, because I wanted to save some money to file annulment suit.

"What will he say when he learns that I am married again? —I don't know, but I believe he'll take me back, for we loved each other and were happy."

Thus Mrs. Thelma Hammond-Nelms is taking steps to have her last marriage annulled.

Nelms is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nelms, who live in South Pennington.

Miss King Graduates From Queen College

Miss Ruth King, daughter of Attorney and Mrs. V. S. King, Pennington Gap, has received the degree of Bachelor of Arts from Queen College, Charlotte, N. C., at the commencement exercises on May 29. Forty-eight degrees were conferred by Dr. Hunter Blakely, president.

Miss King has accepted a position in the Tennessee Eastman Laboratories, Oak Ridge, Tenn., and will begin work there about the first of July.

SOCIAL - PERSONAL

Walton Chance, of the U. S. M. C., visited friends here last week.

Mrs. Ida McKinnon and daughter, Floravista, left Tuesday to visit friends and relatives in Lancaster, Pa.

Virginia Tipton, of Oak Ridge, spent last week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tipton.

Mrs. B. P. Shelburne, Mrs. Bill Keith, Mrs. Wayman Burden, Mrs. Mary Lynn Chappel and Miss Jetta Rogers were shopping in Bristol and Kingsport last Tuesday.

Miss Irene Russell left Tuesday to spend her vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stewart at Lancaster, Pa. Mrs. Stewart was formerly Miss Grace McElyea.

J. S. Payne returned from Detroit, Saturday, where he visited his son, Y. C. Payne, and family.

Mrs. W. R. Chatman, Jr., formerly Miss Amy Flanary, is visiting her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Chatman, Sr., of Brooklyn, N. Y. T. Sgt. Chatman is at present in England.

Mrs. Violes Lee Flanary and son, Danny, returned home last week to Smyrna, Tenn., after a few weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wilcox, and Mr. and Mrs. Z. C. Flanary. Mrs. Flanary was accompanied home by her brother, Earl Wilcox.

Miss Lorene Kelly left Monday for Louisville, Ky., for an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. C. W. Brinton, and to see the Kentucky Derby this week-end.

C. W. Adams Says "Hello"

A recent letter to his parents from C. W. Adams, Seaman 1-C., somewhere in the Pacific, states that he is feeling fine and asks them to say "hello" to his friends for him. C. W. was in the Iwo Jima invasion, and has been near Tokyo.

June Term of Circuit Court Opened Monday

Wants To Help Finish Job

PFC. HUGH L. GARRETT

Pfc. Hugh L. Garrett, who has been overseas nine months, was wounded in the battle of Luzon on the 10th day of February, 1945, in the left leg and foot and in the right heel. He is now in the Woodrow Wilson General Hospital, Staunton, Va.

Private Garrett writes that he has been seeing plenty of action, been in tough places, and narrowly escaped death several times, but is living in hopes of helping to finish the job. In his letter he says: "I really want peace for our home towns and elsewhere. When I recover I want to meet all my friends in Lee County and tell them some more."

Pfc. Garrett is the son of J. H. Garrett, of Jonesville.

"Mighty Seventh" War Loan Is Lagging In Lee

The "Mighty Seventh" War Loan isn't going to be so 'mighty' in Lee, Finance Chairman T. H. Fugate fears. With an E Bond quota of $290,000 to be met, and the date of campaign nearing a close, only one-third of the quota was reported sold, Tuesday, June 5th.

Chairman Fugate urges the people to not forget there's still a war on, but to get busy and make every effort to meet this quota by the end of the campaign, which is June 30th.

Ewing Servicewoman Promoted to First Lt.

Winifred E. Cochrane, of Ewing, Va., who is a nurse in the 105th Station Hospital in Italy, was recently promoted from second to first lieutenant.

Daughter of Allan J. Cochrane, of Ewing, she has been in the Army since November, 1942, and overseas since April 29, 1943. She saw combat service with the 56th Evacuation Hospital on the Anzio Beachhead, in Italy.

Lt. Cochrane has been awarded the Mediterranean Theater ribbon with two battle stars. In her spare time she has written poetry for the Stars and Stripes.

Rose Hill Naval Officer Visits With Homefolk

Claude E. Neff, GM 2-C., of the U. S. Navy, has just completed a leave at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Neff, of Rose Hill, Va.

This is the first leave that Petty Officer Neff has had in almost three years. For the past 18 months he has served on the U.S.S. Elden, D. E., in the Pacific. The Elden was one of the ships to escort the large airplane carrier, "The Franklin", to the States for repair.

Petty Officer Neff was wearing three ribbons with four battle stars, indicating action in four major engagements in the Pacific. The engagements included the invasion of Saipan, Iwo Jima, the Gilbert and Marshall Islands, and the Philippine Liberation.

Hardy's Creek Baptist Church

Sunday School at 10:00 a. m. B. T. U. at 7:30 p. m. Preaching service at 8:15 p. m.

Daily Vacation Bible School beginning Monday and running through Friday.

J. C. Jackson, Pastor.

Several Cases of Long Standing To Be Tried During Court Term

The June term of Lee County Circuit Court opened Monday, June 4th, with Judge George Morton presiding.

The first week of the court was devoted to the disposition of civil cases. Some gambling cases which had been pending for several weeks were tried; also one case on a charge of operating a car while intoxicated. The defendant in this case was acquitted. Several were convicted of public intoxication.

The trial of misdemeanor and criminal cases will begin June 11. Among these are: Commonwealth vs. Clyde Yount, charged with having cut and wounded Clyde Sexton on election day, 1944. Also set for the 11th is the Commonwealth vs. Bill Maggart and others, charged with wounding Sidney Wade and Fred Walters; an old case that occurred at Keokee about a year ago.

The case that probably holds the most interest is that of the Commonwealth vs. Ben Blair and others. This is the case where Harve Palmer was killed and robbed near Calvin, Va., about four years ago. Lula Palmer, Ben Blair and others are charged with the killing and robbing. Lula Palmer is the widow of the deceased.

J. D. Bryson will be tried on the charge of cutting and seriously wounding a bus driver, Clifton E. Snodgrass, in an argument over bus fare several months ago.

On the 14th case of the Commonwealth vs. Bert Buchanan will be tried. Buchanan is charged with killing his cousin and neighbor, Clarence Crusenberry, at Turner's Siding, just above St. Charles, several months ago. Both Buchanan and Crusenberry had been good friends until the night of the killing, when they seemed to have exchanged several pistol and gun shots.

Another case set for the 14th is the Commonwealth vs. Anderson Kersey, charged with shooting Claude Wilder and wounding him some time last summer, near the Beech Springs community. It is understood that the defendant claims that Wilder was stealing from him, but it is the contention of the Commonwealth that he was not stealing, that he was in a private driveway and not at any point where he could have been stealing.

Building Begun On Local Colored Methodist Church

To our many friends who have waited patiently to help us on our new church building, we wish to announce that we have now started the building. The subflooring has been laid. At this time we are in need of blocks before we can proceed. We solicit any aid anyone can give us.

Joseph C. Goode, Minister.

HIGH SCHOOL TO NAVY

LESLIE W. PENNINGTON

Leslie W. Pennington, seaman second class, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Mervin L. Pennington, of Pennington Gap, and is now serving in the South Pacific. He received his boot training at Bainbridge, Md., and has been at sea since December, 1944.

Before entering service he was a student of Pennington High School and assisted his father in the grocery business.

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TOWN TALK

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was the first physician to practice medicine in Pennington Gap after the town was incorporated.

The relative also give this additional information: One night Dr. Howard was called to attend the birth of the first baby born within the corporate limits of the town. Being ill and unable to answer the call, he secured the services of John E. Burke, an herb doctor.. Dr. Burke, who was E. F. Cecil's grandfather, not being used to that kind of practice, became quite nervous, he admitted later, but "the baby" arrived safe and sound and is now the wife of a prominent Jonesville business man. Dr. Howard was hit and killed by an L. & N. Railway train November 11, 1917.

Pennington Gap has grown into a town of "right good size", the last census a few years ago reading around 2,000 population (there's more now of course).

Among the most recent improvements is Kentucky Street, running north and south about center of the town, on which is located the Piggly Wiggly Store on one corner, the C. & G. Garage on another, Powell Valley News Office, Estes & Cecil Funeral Home, some attractive residences and other improvements. The street connects with the highway leading into Kentucky.

Just a few years ago this street presented a "tin can alley" appearance, with its rough, unpaved road and unsightly 'shacks' called houses. Pennington Gap in general is on the upward trend—may it keep going.

Birthday Remembrances

Tuesday, June 5, was Virginia Russell's birthday, and she was 14. Friends remembered her with gifts and visits. Virginia and her younger sister, Shirley, are doing a fine job keeping house for their father and brothers in East Pennington.

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Miss Ruth Koger, sister of former County Agent M. V. Koger, is visiting this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Fletcher.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 25 day of May, 1945.

ESTELLE BAILEY and W. T. BAILEY ..... Complainants.

Vs. Order of Publication

OLIN JOHNSON, KERMIT D. GRAHAM, ZELMA GRAHAM STONE, FERN GRAHAM RUSSELL, J. B. JOHNSON, ROY P. JOHNSON, HERBERT JOHNSON, CARL J. JOHNSON, BURL JOHNSON, LUTHER QUENTIN JOHNSON and HERBERT JOHNSON, Administrator of the Estate of J. F. Johnson, Deceased....Defendants

The object of this suit is to partition the lands of which J. F. Johnson died seized and possessed, and to settle the estate of said J. F. Johnson and settle the accounts of Herbert Johnson, Administrator. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the following defendants, are non-residents of the State of Virginia, and their last known address is: Pfc. Luther Q. Johnson, No. 33156584, 518th Quarter Master (Car) Co., A. P. O. 958 care of Postmaster, San Francisco, California; Cpl. Kermit D. Graham, No. 33696166, 911th Ord. H. A. M. Co., A. P. O. 33, care of Postmaster, New York, N. Y.; Pvt. Carl J. Johnson, Medical Section C. A. S. C. Unit 1938, Fort McDowell, California; Zelma Graham Stone, 1405 Cypress St. West Monroe, Louisiana; Fern Graham Russell, 10 Skiff Street, Willoughby, Ohio; it is ordered that they appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendants at their last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste: D. C. Sewell, Jr., Clerk.

By: Charles N. Haws, D. C.

p. q. Fred B. Greear

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From where I sit ... *by* Joe Marsh

Black Market Versus Brighter Meals

I guess our town doesn't like rationing any better than other folks. But when a fellow went from door to door the other day, peddling butter, cheese, and beef without points, he didn't find a single taker.

Ed Carey's missus, Sarah, summed it up. "I'd just be ashamed to have that butter on my table," Sarah says. "I'd a mighty lot rather have my family and guests put up with what I can serve honestly, than give 'em a meal from the Black Market."

These days, most people are agreed that a simple menu of unrationed foods and substitutes is a badge of honor . . . no apologies required!

And from where I sit, housewives can brighten limited meals with cheerful table decorations, sparkling cider or tangy ice-cold beer, or side dishes of home-made preserves and fruits and nuts. Those little touches can be mighty helpful to the appetite.

Joe Marsh

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News From
BURKHART'S CHAPEL

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Bailey and son, J. R., spent Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Bailey and family, at deep Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Ridings and children, of Turner's Siding, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Julius Ridings, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Capps and children, of Robbins Chapel, were visiting Mrs. Myrtle Robbins and family Saturday night.

Miss Hazel Carter, of Keokee, Route 3, spent the week-end with Misses Mildred and Lorene Woodard.

Several from here attended the singing at Robbins Chapel, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tennessee Gilbert have received word from the War Department that their son, Pvt. Charles C. Gilbert, was wounded in Germany on April 25th.

Mrs. Minnie Stapleton and son, of Slab Town, were visiting relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ermine Alsup and son, of Poor Valley, visited relatives here Sunday.

The teachers and students of Meadow Fork School enjoyed a picnic at the Jehu place Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bailey were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Truman Bailey, Saturday.

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STRANGE AFFAIR
—with—
EVELYN KEYES — ALLYN JOSLYN
Also Chapter No. 10, Serial
"HAUNTED HARBOR"

Thursday and Friday, June 14 - 15
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—with—
ANNE BAXTER — RALPH BELLAMY
ALINE MacMAHON

Saturday, June 16 — DOUBLE FEATURE
MARSHAL OF RENO
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Bill ELLIOTT - Bobby BLAKE - Alice FLEMING
—also—
SHADOWS IN THE NIGHT
—with—
WARNER BAXTER — NINA FOCK

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:
In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 17 day of March, 1945.
Evelyn Fleenor ....Complainant
Vs. Order of Publication
Lawrence Fleenor........Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce on grounds of Desertion and Adultery.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Lawrence Fleenor is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address is Lebannon, Ohio, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.
Teste: D. C. Sewell, Jr., Clerk.
By Charles N. Haws, D. C.
p. q. Vance S. King
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News From
DERBY

A farewell party was given here Thursday night for Mrs. Isaac Lawson. She received many nice presents, and everyone reported an enjoyable time. The family moved to Kingsport, Monday.

Mary Jane Williams is spending a few days at Jonesville.

Rev. Bingham Lambert, of Rosendale, Mo., spent a few days here last week with his uncle, Milford Burchett. Mr. Burchett accompanied him to Jonesville to visit other relatives.

Mary Lou McArthur, of Moccason Gap, Tenn., is spending a few days here with friends and relatives.

Leon Meade was visiting his sister at Dunbar, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milt Hall and son, Billy; Mrs. Milford Burchett, and Mrs. Ernest Collins attended the Decoration services at Bethel Church, Wednesday.

News From
HAGAN

(For Week of May 31)

Leonard Morris, Grace Blankenship and Mrs. Roscoe Hoskins and children, of Loyall, Ky., spent the week-end with relatives here.

Mrs. Martha Wolfe, of Rose Hill, is visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. Gill Hensley and daughter, Mary Helen, are visiting relatives at Sampson, Ky., this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Chadwell and family spent Suinday with Mr. and Mrs. Andy Ingle and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ingle, of Hubbard Springs, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Kin Hensley.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Eldridge and family, of Flatwood, visited Mr. and Mrs. Cellie Thomas, Sunday night.

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DOWN ON THE FARM
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the crystals. Cover the plant bed with a heavy cover, such as sheets, a truck tarpaulin or quilts. Make sure that both covers are supported a few inches above the plants. Securely fasten the heavy cover to make it gas tight. Wet this cover to aid in preventing the fumes from escaping.

6. Remove the heavy cover not later than 8:00 o'clock the following morning. Note: Leaving the heavy cover on during bright sunshine will usually cause severe injury to the plants.

Lee County will lead Southwest Virginia counties this year in the production of hybrid seed corn. Several farmers in the county will utilize 35 acres to the raising of hybrid seed corn. Only one other county in Southwest Virginia grows this seed corn at all. Those growing this product in Lee County are: Roy P. Fugate, Gibson Station; J. H. Wheeler, Ewing; Robert Robertson, Gibson Station; W. W. Willis, Ewing; E. S. Suttle, Jonesville; R. C. Carter, Jonesville; Morris Fannon, Pennington Gap.

The great increase in the use of hybrid seed corn by farmers in 1945 is estimated to be at least 1,000% over 1944.

Lee County is the leading county in the production of certified wheat, oats and barley in Southwest Virginia. Four farmers in the county are expecting to produce more than 3,000 bushels of certified small grain in 1945. The varieties being produced for certification are Tennessee No. 2 and Jackson No. 1 barley; Fulwin oats and Redheart wheat.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:
In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 24 day of May, 1945.
Robert Flanary ....Complainant
Vs. Order of Publication
Allie Bruce Flanary....Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce A Vinculo Matrimonii on grounds of desertion for more than statutory period.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Allie Bruce Flanary is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and last known address is 522 Sequoyah Drive, Kingsport, Tenn., it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.
Teste: D. C. Sewell, Jr., Clerk
By: Charles N. Haws, D. C.
p. q. Guy A. Kauffman.
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And Late News

Friday and Saturday, June 15 - 16
DOUBLE FEATURE
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EVE KNEW HER APPLE
—and—
ROUGH RIDING JUSTICE
—starring—
CHARLES STARRETT
—And Serial—

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OLD JUDGE: "I know . . . you've got to take the bitter with the sweet in times like these. Speaking of criticism, and I mean really unfair criticism, reminds me of the spirit beverage business."

FRANK: "How is that, Judge?"

OLD JUDGE: "Simply this . . . can you think of any other business in which the seller is responsible for what the buyer does with his merchandise? If a person eats too much cake and gets indigestion, the baker isn't blamed. Nor is the coffee merchant criticized if someone drinks too much coffee and can't sleep. But the seller of spirit beverages gets blamed plenty if one of his customers overindulges. Doesn't seem quite fair, does it, Tom?"

TOM: "Frankly, it doesn't, Judge. We've never looked at it that way before."

This advertisement sponsored by Conference of Alcoholic Beverage Industries, Inc.

Social and Personal

Attends Graduation At Kingsport

C. B. Hines, proprietor of Lee Drug Co., went to Kingsport on Monday evening to witness the graduation of his daughter, Barbara Ann, from Dobyns-Bennett High School. Miss Hines was on the program as soloist. She sang "By the Waters of Minnetonka".

She attended Pennington High School before going to Kingsport, and this coming fall will enter the University of Alabama at Tuscaloosa, Ala.

Family Get-Together

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ball enjoyed a family reunion at their home on Route 4, Jonesville, recently, the first time all members have been at home at the same time for several years. They include: Dr. Georgianna Ball, psychiatrist, employed at Anna State Hospital, Anna, Ill.; Miss Ruby Ball, instructor in Art in the high school at Delmar, Del.; Palmer R. Ball and family, of Hayd, Va.; Glenn Ball and family, of Detroit, Mich.; Roy H. Ball, of Appalachia; Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Harris and family, of Jonesville.

Miss Jane Graham, daughter of Bradley P. Graham, of Route 2, is home for a brief vacation from Madison College at Harrisonburg. She plans to return about the 17th, and will graduate the the close of the summer session.

Don't miss "The Keys of the Kingdom", coming to Lee Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, June 18 - 19.

Miss Saluda Sewell, of Jonesville, Supervisor of the Welfare Department, is attending a three-day meeting of Welfare Supervisors in Marion this week.

Mrs. Inez Kelly and sons, Tommy and Billy, went to Norfolk last week to spend some time with her husband, Seaman Durand Kelly, serving in the U. S. Navy.

Misses Betty Lou Oaks, James Alyce Laningham, and Boots Richards left the first of the week to attend the summer session of L. M. U.

Mrs. Christine Bowman has resigned her position with the Lee Bank & Trust Co., and will spend some time vacationing with relatives and friends. At present she is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Vernon Pellman, and family in Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Sally, of Wayne, Mich., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sally. They were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sally, of Woodway, Sunday.

Mrs. Essie Dougherty and daughter, Geneva, went to Roanoke the first of the week to visit with her son, Walter, who is a patient in the State Hospital.

Lt. Stanley H. Botts recently visited his brother, Dr. Wm. N. Botts, Jr., at Jonesville, while on leave from the South Pacific area.

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Mrs. Noah Newman and son, Norris, of Philadelphia, Pa., are visiting among relatives and friends here. Mr. Newman will be here shortly, they say. The Newmans formerly lived in Pennington Gap before going to Philadelphia. Norris is manager of a grocery store there, and Jack, the other son, was married last January.

Major Southgate Ely has completed a 45-day leave with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. T. B. Ely, of Jonesville, and returned to Fort Meade, Md., for reassignment.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Adams and family, Mrs. Arthur Burchette, and Mrs. Lettie Shufflebarger visited Mrs. C. W. Milhorn and family in Johnson City, Sunday, and during the day made a visit to the Veterans' Hospital.

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Miss Myrtle Harris, of Jonesville, has returned home from a visit with Mrs. Charles Courtney, at Kingsport, Tenn.

Misses Patty, Doris and Joice Ann Sharp, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Green Sharp ,of LaFollette, Tenn., visited at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Kelly, the past week.

John Herbert Housley, Fountain City, Tenn., visited friends here last week-end.

Mrs. Bernice Cooper and daughter, Bobbie Jean, are visiting Mrs. Cooper's sister, Mrs. H. G. Gilbert, and Mr. Gilbert, of Knoxville, Tenn., this week.

Drucilla King, a student nurse at Fort Sanders Hospital, Knoxville, spent last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy King.

C.-S. Richard P. Napier, of the U. S. Navy, is spending a 21-day leave with his mother, Mrs. Paul McArthur, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Payne.

Home Makers' Class Meets

The Home Makers' Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met at the home of Mrs. J. F. Hall, of Woodway, for their May social meeting.

The class enjoyed the business part of the meeting, which was followed by a contest called "Our Countries at War". Each member was given the name of a country at war, and asked to write a verse of poetry about it. Tiny American flags were given Mrs. V. C. Hall, Mrs. P. R. Stubbs and Mrs. Ray Sturgill for having written the best verses.

Following the recreation hour, refreshments were served to the following guests: Mesedames P. R. Stubbe, J. M .Anderson, J. W. Quinley, G. P. Hall, Harry Billings, V. C. Hall, Ed Carter, C. C. Carr, Magnolia Gardner, C. E. Myers, F. R. Stewart, J. E. Jessee, E. R. Halstead, Tate Reasor, Ray Sturgill, Misses Orpah Headen, Eliza Quinley, and Doris Jean Jessee.

Miss Virginia Fry, student of Mary Washington College at Fredericksburg, Va., will return Sunday to begin summer classes, after spending a few days' vacation here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Fry. She will be accompanied as far as Richmond by her aunt, Mrs. S. P. Hickam, who has also been visiting here with relatives.

Pvt. David Gibson is here from State College, Pa., for a 14-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Gibson.

City Visitors

C. G. Robinette and Emmett Fannon, of Duffield, and Dewey Fannon, of Dryden, made a business trip to Cincinnati, Ohio, Chicago, Ill., and Lansing, Mich., last week. While in Chicago they visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Eylee.

ROGERS — MYERS

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Rogers announce the marriage of their daughter, Eloie Dare (Weegie), to Mr. James D. Myers, Friday, June 1, at Harlan, Ky.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Myers, of St. Charles. He is enlisted in the U. S. Navy, and expects to report for duty at an early date. The bride will make her home with her parents for the duration.

The marriage is the culmination of a romance begun in high school.

PARKEY — McNIEL

Rev. and Mrs. Tip Parkey, of Rose Hill, Va., announce the marriage of their daughter, Louise, to Harold C. McNiel, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. McNiel, of Jonesville, Va., on May 24, at Middlesboro, Ky.

The bride is a graduate of Thomas Walker High School, and attended Knoxville Business College. At present she is employed in the County Clerk's office at Jonesville.

The groom attended Flatwood High School and is engaged in farming with his father. They are making their home temporarily with the groom's parents.

COMING AND GOING

Again it's coming and going season — the coming home of college students and visitors coming for vacations; young people going away to summer schools, on vacations and for summer employment. Recent reports reveal the following:

Coming:

Misses Jane Graham and Elizabeth Carpenter, from Madison College at Harrisonburg, Va.; Miss Mary Ann Laningham, Brenau College, Gainesville, Ga.; Miss Mary Margaret Smalley, St. Petersburg, Fla.; Misses Sue Smalley, Mary Elizabeth Pennington, Velda Myers, from Radford; Miss Sue Olinger will be home from Winston-Salem, N. C., where she has taught commercialism; W. N. Beverly from Hiwassee; Fred Green from Richmond; Miss Mary Lou Smith will arrive home from Berea College about June 28.

Staff Sgt. and Mrs. Carol D. Bailey will arrive soon from Keesler Field, Miss., for a few days' leave.

Seaman J. T. (Jimmy Tom) Laningham will be here for a week-end pass from Bainbridge, Md.

Going:

Miss James Alyce Laningham will attend summer session of L.M.U., leaving about June 6.

Miss Ruby Cox and Mrs. Crystal Stevens will leave shortly for Richmond, Va., where they will be employed at the du Pont plant.

Mrs. Ruth Keith will go to William and Mary College at Williamsburg, Va., for the summer ,and will specialize in Library Science.

Mrs. Mary Lynn Chappell, to L.M.U.

Shelburne Stamper plans to attend Columbia University at New York.

Misses Nola Myers and Mildred Wolliver, Jay Graham, Bobbie Tipton and 'Gene Phillip Reasor plan to attend the Youth Assembly at Tennessee-Wesleyan College, Athens, Tenn.

Eugene Mehaffey will join a camping party at Camp Sequoyah, near Bristol, next Sunday.

IN RECENT WEDDING

Cpl. and Mrs. Freeman Hedgecoth

Mr. and Mrs. Earl C. Carter, of St. Charles, Va., announce the marriage of their daughter, Anna Lenora, to Cpl. Freeman Hedgecoth, on March 22, 1945. The double ring ceremony was performed by Rev. Charlie D. Mehaffey in his home in Pennington Gap, Va.

The bride wore a dress of navy blue crepe with navy and white accessories and a corsage of gardenias.

Cpl. Hedgecoth is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hedgecoth, of St. Charles, and had just returned from forty-one months service overseas in the European theater.

The bride is a graduate of St. Charles High School, where she was valedictorian of her class, and was formerly employed by Kem Gem Coal Co., before going to Knoxville to work in the credit department of Miller's. She will continue her work while Cpl. Hedgecoth is in overseas service.

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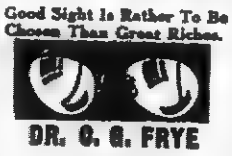

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Lee County's 7th War Loan Bond Sales Very Disappointing To Date

TOWN TALK

About This, That, And The Other

Girls, when they went out to swim,
Once dressed like Mother Hubbard.
Now they have a bolder whim—
They dress more like her cupboard.

Typographical errors, gathered from newspapers here and there and reprinted in "The New Home Library" by Moulton:

"Dog in bed—asks divorce"—Galveston (Texas) paper.

"After the wedding ceremony the Church of God orchestra struck up the old hymn, 'The Fight Is On', and the audience came through with a big cheer"—Knoxville (Tenn.) paper.

"Lewis wins and loses union suit"—San Antonio (Tex.) paper.

"Officer convicted of accepting bride"—Raleigh (N.C.) paper.

"Onion prospects reported strong"—Walla Walla (Wash.) paper.

"Unto the Hills"

"I went upon a mountain top"—not to give my horn a toot, but to see what the world looks like from the top of Buzzards Roost. There are several "Buzzards' Roosts" in Lee County, but the one to which I refer is the great big, high-crested, sloping mountain side towering above the mining camp of Benedict.

The path leading to the summit winds 'round and 'round in a roundabout way that makes the hill seem less steep than it looks when first you start to climb, but, once at the top, the views that come in sight make the journey well worth the while.

Looking upward, the sky seems

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DOWN on the FARM

By:

ROY E. WOODWARD
Assistant County Agent

Due to the extreme shortage of beef and other meats, consumers are looking to the poultrymen for their principal source of meat. Considerable emphasis early this year was placed on the production of chicken to ease the meat shortage and to step up the output of the all-important eggs. The response to this request by farmers as well as others has been extremely gratifying.

In order to make the poultry business pay, it is necessary to grow healthy chickens. Poultrymen, who have suffered a high mortality rate in their flocks, know this by bitter experience. A healthy flock necessitates good management.

Several different points of good management are: A clean range, proper feeding and housing, separation of the older birds from younger ones, sanitation.

An old range is usually contaminated with worms, coccidiosis, or other diseases. To avoid such risks, it is recommended that a range be provided that has not been used for at least two years. Cheap range shelters, that are movable, are easily constructed of wire and bags. In the event an old range is used, it is particularly important that the weeds and tall grasses be clipped frequently, as this seems, in many cases, to help in the control of diseases and parasites.

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WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Weather Bureau report for the week ending June 10, 1945, for Lee County, furnished by Cam J. Lewis, official observer:

Date	Temperature		Rainfall
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
4	82	[illegible]	.07
5	67	47	.00
6	[illegible]	43	.00
7	63	51	.00
8	61	54	[illegible]
9	71	56	.35
10	77	54	1.43

Pre-Induction Call For June, Local Board No. 1

Registrants, Fifty In Number, Left For Examination June 13

Selective Service Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va., notified the following registrants to report for pre-induction physical examination on June 13th:

Bae Cheak, Hagan; Roy Lee Carroll, Hubbard Springs; Hugh Vanoy Crumley, Ewing; Harmon Gibson Brown, Pathfork, Ky.; Relford Lakins, Rose Hill; Gay Emmett Livesay, Route 4, Jonesville; James R. D. Pace, Rose Hill; Lester Lowe, Route 1, Rose Hill; John Henry England, Fountain City, Tenn.; Emmett Lee Dean, Rose Hill; Robert Hubert Ayers, Ewing; Leslie Satterfield, Gibson Station; James Howard Bruner, Harlan, Ky.; James Edward Williams, Route 2, Jonesville; Calvin Coolidge Mink, Ewing; John Lester Ayers, Ewing; Charkey Johnson, Route 4, Jonesville; Henry Ford Snodgrass, Rose Hill; Paul Neal Barber, Jonesville; Huston Maurice Byington, Jonesville.

Lester Eugene Thomas, Route 3, Jonesville; Charles Emory Dillmon, Ewing; John Edward Garrett, Route 2, Rose Hill; Harry Edward Harber, Rose Hill; Franklin Brooks, Ewing; M. B. Johnson, Route 2, Jonesville; Paul Seabolt, Route 2, Jonesville; Hollis Gene Daugherty, Jonesville, William Ralph McConnell, Route 3, Jonesville; Robert Livesay, Blackwater; [illegible] Charles [illegible], Hubbard Springs; Kenneth Fletcher, Rose Hill; Ray Roscoe Neeley, Route 2, Jonesville; Paul Rhymer, Gibson Station; Elmo Ralph Collier, Route 2, Pennington Gap; Gilmor Sumpter Hobbs, Rose Hill; Gleese Carson Williams, Jonesville. Charles Henry Niday, Gibson Station; Wilmer Glenn Parsons, Jonesville.

Mark Lafatte Yeary, Route 4, Jonesville; Carson Goins, Baltimore, Md.; Milford Bruce Fleenor, Oceonita; Tim Ely Mise, Route 2, Jonesville; Robert Herman Hall, Route 2, Rose Hill; Gano David Williams, Gibson Station; George Edward Hall, Hagan; Clyde Earnest Johnson, Blackwater; Tip Jonie Montgomery, Ewing; Luther Ray Collingsworth, Route 1, Blackwater.

Ride The Bus To Sunday School, Church Services

The above invitation, forthcoming from the local Methodist Church, will become effective July 1st, when free bus service will be operated, assisting rural folk in coming to Sunday School and church services. The schedule will continue each Sunday for Sunday mornings only.

Schedule:

The bus will run from Big Hill, about four miles east of Pennington Gap, through Poor Valley, and returning by way of the Texaco plant west of Pennington, and on to the church. Return trips will be made to take the passengers home.

Use this free service, the pastor urges. You will find a warm welcome at the Pennington Gap Methodist Church.

AWARDED SILVER STAR

PFC. JOSEPH CHADWELL, JR.

Pfc. Joseph Chadwell, Jr., has been awarded the Silver Star for gallantry in action in the vicinity of Germany on February 21, 1945. The citation reads in part:

". . . When the advance of his platoon was checked by artillery fire and heavy automatic weapons fire from a pillbox on ——, Pfc. Chadwell fearlessly exposed himself to the heavy fire, advanced upon the pillbox and caused the immediate surrender of thirty-eight occupants. He then went on to search some nearby buildings and caused the surrender of these defenders. His fearless display of courage, aggressiveness and utter disregard for his own personal safety are in keeping with the finest traditions of the United States Army."

Pfc. Chadwell is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Chadwell, of Ewing, Va. He was inducted into the Army service of the United States from Cumberland, Ky., on April 6, 1942. He received his training at Camp Polk, La., and Camp Cook, Calif. He was sent overseas in March, 1943. He arrived in England on February 6, 1944.

He was assigned to General George Patton's Army and was in the invasion of France, Belgium, Holland, Germany and Czechoslovakia. In the 9th day of October he was wounded in action in France and stayed in the hospital for several days. His parents received the Purple Heart from him.

Gasoline Display Stickers No Longer Need Be Used

At least one less sticker is required for automobiles henceforth. OPA District Director Bernard C. Goodwin says gasoline ration stickers "A" and "B" and so on, need no longer be displayed. He says the action was taken because of the present use of endorsed, serially-numbered coupons.

B-6 and C-6 coupons, issued in March, will not be good after June 30, Mr. Goodwin says. Consumers can exchange unexpired ones for new stamps at the ration office. Filling station operators have until July 10 to surrender these old coupons to their suppliers.

NEW STORE OPENS IN PENNINGTON GAP

Charles W. Robinette has opened a jewelry, furniture and electric appliance store in Pennington Gap, the first store of its kind to be operated here.

He extends a cordial invitation to visit his store, located on Railroad Street, in the building recently occupied by Selective Service Board No. 2.

See his opening announcement advertisement on page four.

First Baptist Church

Sunday morning, June 17th: Sunday School at 9:30, A. T. Burchette, Supt. Morning worship at 10:45. Fathers' Day sermon on the topic, "The Noonday of Life."

Evening: Training Unions meet at 6:30. At 7:30 commencement exercises of the Daily Vacation Bible School will be held, at which time the children will present some of their accomplishments during the Bible School; also a display of some of their hand work will be held in the basement of the church.

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

P. R. Stubbs, Pastor.

First Christian Church

Sunday morning, June 17th: Bible School at 10:00 a. m., H. O. Hines, Supt. Worship with communion at 10:45. Sermon subject: "Fatherhood".

Christian Endeavors meet at 6:30 p. m., David Wise, vice president, in charge.

There will be no preaching at night, as the pastor does not feel strong enough for two services.

Choir rehearsal on Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock. Mid-week prayer service at 7:30.

W. B. Moore, Pastor.

Methodist Church

Sunday, June 17th: Church School at 9:30, Clyde M. Kirk, Supt. Morning worship at 10:45. Fathers' Day sermon on the topic, "Church Open For Business". Special music.

Sunday evening: Youth Fellowship meeting at 6:30. At 7:30 a sharing service by pupils and workers of the Daily Vacation Bible School. Parents and friends are invited to come and see some of the work done by the pupils and also hear some of the fine reports.

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Charlie D. Mahaffey, Pastor.

Mailing Of Canning Sugar Coupons Almost Finished

The Lee County Rationing Board announced today that canning sugar coupons have already been mailed to most applicants for canning sugar, and that all other applicants will receive their coupons within the next few days.

LOCAL BOARD 1 LISTS INDUCTION CALL FOR THURSDAY, JUNE 21

Selective Service Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va., lists the following registrants who will fill the induction call for June 21, 1945:

John Carmony, Jr., Dayton, Ohio; Haburn Leonard Haburn, Rose Hill; Paul Dewitt Seale, Rose Hill; uEgene Bledsoe, Route 1, Blackwater; Earl Leslie Thomas, Route 1, Ewing; Rufus Brittain Russell, Route 1, Jonesville; James Otis Laforce, Route 2, Jonesville; James Robert Cooper, Rose Hill; Keith Fee, Rose Hill; Edmond Spurlock, Rose Hill.

High School Students, Induction Postponed:

Olin Lane Cody, R. 2, Jonesville; Lonas Cecil Hines, R. 3, Jonesville; Lawrence Gibson Russell, R. 4, Jonesville.

Republican Party Elects Officers

At a recent mass meeting held at Pennington High School, the Republican Party of Lee County elected the following officers to guide their affairs, more especially in the election this fall, when a Governor and a members of the House of Delegates will be elected.

Wm. Bellamy, of Jonesville, was elected chairman to succeed A. H. Hurd, who is now a real estate broker in Kingsport; Olin Albert, of near Jonesville, was elected treasurer, and Miss Meda Parsons, a school teacher of Dryden, was chosen secretary.

Chairman for the various districts are: Yoakum, Roxie Wyatt; Rocky Station, H. H. Langham; Jonesville, Olin Albert; White Shoals, Bud Tyler; Rose Hill, A. P. Nolan.

Jonesville School Band Is Active Organization

The Jonesville High School Band, under direction of Dr. Wm. M. Botts, Jr., Jonesville pharmacist, is fast becoming an organization of usefulness and entertainment in this section. They have played for several basketball games recently, and have scheduled dates for concerts throughout the county.

On May 30 the band, in conjunction with the Choral Club, led by Rev. L. D. Perkins, conducted an outdoor Memorial Day service at 7:00 o'clock in the evening, in the Court House Park.

The band has 26 musical instruments and will soon have new uniforms appropriated by the Jonesville Lions Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tipton have been fortunate in having their son, Jay, of the U. S. Navy, and daughter, Virginia, of Oak Ridge, home part of this week. Seaman Tipton leaves Thursday morning to report for duty at Boston, Mass.

'E'-Bond Sales Short $184,119.00 Of Quota

MERCHANT MARINER

ENSIGN CURTIS C. BROOKS

Cadet Midshipman Curtis C. Brooks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Brooks, of Pennington Gap, recently graduated from the United States Merchant Marine Academy at Kingspoint, N. Y.

He has qualified for license as third assistant engineer, and will ship out in that capacity aboard a vessel of the U. S. Merchant Marine. In addition to receiving his license, he received a commission as ensign in the U. S. Naval Reserve.

Ensign Brooks recently visited here with his parents.

Local Boys Serve On Boy Scout Camp Staff

Bobby Hester and Bobby Billings, two Star Scouts of Troop 32, Pennington Gap, have been chosen to serve on the staff of Camp Arrowhead, near Pikeville, Ky., and left Monday to begin their work.

The purpose of the staff is to help other boys from other troops and to train them in Scouting. The boys will be at Camp Arrowhead three of four days, Scout Leader Claude Grace stated.

Camp Arrowhead will be officially open from July 1 to 14, and Camp Stinnett, near Hazard, Ky., will be open from June 17 through June 23.

Camp High Knob, near Norton, will be open from July 29 through August 11, and Pennington troop are planning to attend this Camp at least for one week.

All the boys who wish to go are asked to see Scoutmaster Claude Grace, and file their applications not later than Tuesday, June 19.

Mrs. Mandy Grubbs, Thelma and Ruth, have returned to their home in Belvidere, Ill., after spending a week here with relatives and friends.

Less Than Three Weeks Left Before Close Of 'The Mighty 7th' Drive

According to a report today from County War Finance Chairman T. B. Fugate, the sale of Bonds during the Seventh War Loan Drive, which started in April, has been very disappointing to date.

Mr. Fugate reports that the last official tabulation from Washington of War Bond sales in the county, as of June 9th, shows that only $105,881.00 in E Bonds have been sold, against a quota of $290,000.00, leaving a balance of $184,119.00 to be sold in the last three weeks of June, if the county is to make its quota durings the Mighty Seventh War Loan Drive.

The sale of other Bonds reported as of June 9th, is $[illegible], against a quota of $[illegible], leaving a balance of other Bonds to be sold $74,900. The picture in other than E Bonds is far brighter than the sale of E Bonds as the Finance Committee already have pledges to more than cover the $74,900 shortage in other than E Bond sales, according to Mr. Fugate.

Lee County has always shown a strong finish in previous drives, and it is hoped that the citizens of the county will awaken to the seriousness of its failure to make its E Bond quota during this exceptionally important Bond Drive, and will more than purchase the $184,119 of E Bonds before June 30th—the end of the Mighty Seventh Drive.

Mr. Fugate reports that deposits in banks of the county are far greater than at the end of any previous drive, and it is certainly not a matter of money that is causing the lag in Bond buying during this drive. The war is far from being over, and this is the most important War Bond Drive to oversubscribe to date. Let there be no let-up until complete victory is won and the boys and girls return to their homes.

Headen Property Changes Ownership

When warring days are over and Staff Sgt. Wm. A. "Bill" Keith returns to Pennington Gap, he and Mrs. Keith will have a pretty new home to live in. They have purchased the property located on East Morgan Street, just opposite the Methodist parsonage, formerly belonging to the Headen sisters, and occupied by Miss Orpha Headen and Mrs. Dora Gibson.

Miss Headen and Mrs. Gibson plan to make their home in Illinois, where their sister, Miss Mary Headen, is employed with the Baptist Missionary Board.

June Pre-Induction And Induction Calls

Both Calls Unusually Light For This Month

Selective Service Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, Va., lists the following 15 registrants who have been selected for the June pre-induction call, and eight who will leave June 21 to fill the induction call:

Pre-Inductions:

Henry Jerome Farmer, Route 1, Keokee; Luther Hodge, Bonny Blue; Clyde Stapleton, Route 1, Pennington Gap; Claude Tate, Bonny Blue; Lenes Hayes Mullins, Wind Rock, Tenn.; William Arthur Wise, Pennington Gap; Charles Olaf Harber, Route 1, Dryden; Phillip David Williams, St. Charles; Johnie Calvin Coffman, Route 2, Duffield; Willas Otto Wynn, Calvin; Elmer Ball, Route 1, Duffield; Cecil Pate Peters, Route 2, Pennington Gap; Junior Clayton Robbins, Route 1, Keokee; Denver Shuler, Leona Mines; Kyle Reasor, Route 1, Big Stone Gap.

Inductions:

Randolph Sexton, Dunbar; John Bobrosky, Jr., Calvin; Charles Murrel Young, Dunbar; Charles Andrew Kinser, Draper, Va.; Enralles Ferguson, Hazel Park, Mich.; Logan Henry Smith, Dryden; Lloyd Marion Satterfield, Route 1, Pennington Gap; James Charles Davis, St. Charles.

FAMILY QUARTETTE OF WARRIORS

PVT. GEO. HAMMONDS

PFC. GLENN HAMMONDS

PVT. CAROL HAMMONDS

CARL HUFF, S. 2-C.

Pictured above are a father, two sons and a son-in-law, all of whom have served their country through perils of war.

Pvt. George Hammonds, the father, served in World War I, about 36 months, being a member of the American Expeditionary Forces 17 months, four of which were with the Army of Occupation on the Rhine. One of his heroic actions while serving in World War I is described in the following paragraph taken from his service record:

"On the 7th of November, 1918, he was acting as company runner when he discovered that parts of his body was burned with mustard gas. When asked to go to the rear and have his wounds treated immediately, he refused and continued with the company, rendering valuable assistance to the company commander in keeping liason between the various platoons during artillery fire and machine gun fire from low-flying enemy airplanes. He continued with the company until the following day, when the objective was reached, and then was ordered to report to the first aid station."

Pfc. Glenn Hammonds, 21, the eldest son, entered service of World War II on February 2, 1943. He served overseas 23 months in the European theater of operations, as a member of the AAF. Prior to entering service he was employed by Blue Diamond Coal Company.

Pvt. Carol Hammonds, 18, entered service of World War II on February 15, 1945, with the 12th Infantry Battalion, stationed at Camp Wheeler, Ga. He was employed as clerk at Virginia Lee commissary before entering the service.

Carl Huff, 21, seaman second class, is a son-in-law of World War I Veteran Hammonds. He enlisted in the Navy in November, 1942, serving somewhere in the South Pacific. His wife, formerly Miss Lunette Hammonds, and their daughter, Peggy, are making their home in Pennington Gap for the duration.

Seaman Huff was employed as mechanic by the Blue Diamond Coal Co, before entering service.

Morgenthau Cites Types of Issues Issued to Public

A grateful Nation has girded itself for the Mighty Seventh War Loan for 14 billions of dollars, half of which has been assigned as the individual sales quota. According to reports from state chairmen reaching Ted R. Gamble, national director of the War Finance Division of the Treasury in Washington, the Nation is ready for the huge task.

Mr. Gamble was enthusiastic about results. He said "We're prepared to do the best job in the 7th War Loan." Mr. Gamble said that "not only is there more money available than ever before in each state, but individual income will be higher in the period of the 7th War Loan than in any previous War Loan period."

MORGENTHAU

Secretary of the Treasury Henry Morgenthau said seven billions of dollars has been assigned as the quota for individual investors and that the major emphasis throughout the drive will be placed on the quota for individuals. The individual quota is the highest established in any of the previous drives, the secretary said.

The E Bond quota alone is 4 billion. The 7th War Loan seeks nearly as much in the one drive as was asked in the first two drives of last year which were held up to this time. The two drives of this year, therefore, will seek nearly as much as was sought in the three drives of 1944.

The Secretary stated that there is every evidence that Federal expenditures are going to remain at a high level for some time to come, and that the Seventh War Loan program was designed to obtain maximum funds necessary to prosecute the War from non-bank investors.

The securities, which will be sold under the direction of the State War Finance Committees, are as follows: Series E, F and G Savings Bonds, Series C Savings Notes, 2½% Bonds, 2¼% Bonds, 1½% Bonds, ⅞% Certificates of Indebtedness. The 1½% Bonds will not be offered in the Drive to corporations.

The Drive for individuals will extend from May 14 to June 30. However, an intensification of activities in the sale of Series E bonds began April 9, when millions of persons on payroll savings plans throughout the country were asked to enlarge their participation as a part of the Seventh War Loan. All Series E, F and G Savings Bonds and Series C Savings Notes processed through the Federal Reserve Banks between April 9 and July 7 will be credited to the Drive.

During the final phase of the Drive which will cover the period from June 19 through June 30, subscriptions will be received from all other non-bank investors for the 2¼% and 2½% marketable bonds and the certificates of indebtedness.

Farmers Plan Greater Buys in War Bonds

In spite of an "off" season so far as income is concerned, farm War Bond leaders are now making preparations for selling more bonds to farmers during the Seventh War Loan than in any previous drive, according to M. L. Fredmore, Chief of the Agricultural Section, War Finance Division, Treasury Department. With the help of country bankers they're out to convince the men who till the soil that they should convert their expanded bank accounts into bonds.

"Farmers, like all Americans, have been building up bank deposits and currency holdings ever since the war started," Fredmore said. "On January 1, 1920, agriculture held currency and bank deposits totaling slightly over 4 billion dollars. The 1945 figure is not available, but it is expected to be in excess of 10 billion."

With larger operations and increased costs farmers must have more operating capital than in 1940, but they don't need 10 billion, in Fredmore's opinion. He believes farmers can and will put a substantial portion of these cash reserves into War Bonds.

When they go out to sell War Bonds to farmers in the Seventh, War Finance Committees throughout the nation will stress personal solicitation. A survey made following the Sixth War Loan showed that 57 percent of the farmers who were personally solicited bought bonds.

"This most wicked of days is going to say just one thing—We got 10 million Hens of Japs to beat."

He can't ask you now!

• • • He's an American hero. After fighting bloody battles in the Pacific, he was home on leave two years ago.

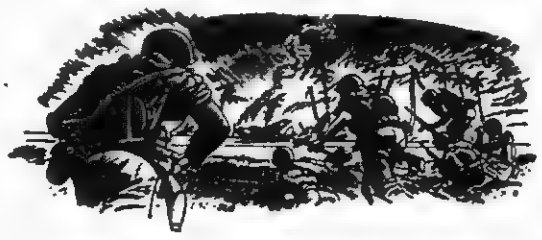
• • • You may remember seeing his picture. His name is John Basilone, Marine Gunnery Sergeant. He traveled all over America, urging every American to buy more bonds.

• • • He said: "You don't know—you can't know—how much it means to the boys out there when they hear the folks back home have just put another War Bond Drive over the top."

• • • They gave him the Congressional Medal of Honor and offered him a commission. He didn't want it. "I'm a plain soldier," he said. "I want to stay one."

• • • Well, he stayed a plain Marine—like Joe and Bill and the fellows down the street. He *can't* ask you to buy *bigger* bonds during the Seventh. He was killed a few weeks ago on Iwo, just after he had led his assault team to the edge of an airfield we needed desperately.

• • • We can't let him and all our other fighting heroes down. Remember, last year we had two War Loan Drives by this time.



The Seventh is our personal call to arms—two drives in one. That's why our quota is large.

• • • We must meet it—we *will* meet it—for the hero of Iwo—for Victory—for pride in America.

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News From
FRIENDSHIP

(For week of June 7)

A revival will begin at Friendship Church on Sunday, June 10, conducted by Rev. Luther Knicely, assisted by Rev. E. C. Knicely.

A Vacation Bible School will begin Monday, June 11, at 1:30 p. m., superintended by Rev. Luther Knicely. Every boy and girl up to 17 years of age invited to come.

Mrs. Frank Willis is spending a few days with her husband, who is in school at Camp Gordon, Ga.

Mrs. Herbert Cole spent the week-end with her mother at Woodway.

Mrs. C. D. Cody and family visited her son, Robert Cody, and Mrs. Cody, at Covington, Va.

Rev. and Mrs. John Buell and Mrs. Ollie Buell, of Harlan, Ky., were visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jessee Buell, and Henry Yates, Sunday.

Rose Hill D. A. R.

Mrs. J. T. Evans, Mrs. J. R. Avent and Mrs. Jack Inman, of Middlesboro, entertained the Major George Gibson Family Chapter, D.A.R., in the home of Mrs. Evans on Saturday, June 2nd, from 1 to 4 p. m.

The program opened with devotions conducted by Mrs. Stella Thomas, of Cumberland Gap.

The Chapter elected Mrs. Ray Fugate, chaplain, and Miss Mary Stickley, corresponding secretary, to fill vacancies left by the resignations of Mrs. Hallie Parkey Walker and Mrs. Eva Gibson Edds.

After the singing of America and the Flag Salute, Rev. Onie U. Kays, pastor of Trinity Methodist Church, gave a very inspiring address on Enemies Without and Within Our Country.

Delicious refreshments were served to the following guests and members:

Rev. Onie U. Kays and Mrs. Day, Middlesboro; Mrs. N. E. Fish, Mrs. Ida Moss Phillips and Mrs. Rose Gibson Low, of Pineville; Mrs. Stella Thomas, Cumberland Gap, Tenn.; Miss Bartie Gibson, Gibson Station; Mrs. Olivia Morrison Orr, Ewing; and Mrs. Oscar Smith and Miss Lucy Bales, of Rose Hill.

VIRGINIA BANKS FORM $4,500,000 CREDIT GROUP, AID BUSINESS

H. T. Ritchie, County Key Banker, announced today that nine of the largest banks in Virginia have organized, under the sponsorship of the Virginia Bankers Association, the "Virginia Bank Credit Group", to make immediately available the initial amount of $4,500,000 as an additional source of credit for small businesses through the banks of the State.

Opportunity will be given every bank in the State to join the Credit Group, and thereby increase the total funds available, but the facilities of the Credit Group will be available to every bank whether or not they become a subscribing member of the Group.

"Small business constitutes 92.5% of the business done in this country," said Mr. Ritchie, "and we now feel absolutely confident that the banks of Virginia are fully able to take care of the conversion and postwar credit requirements of competent small businesses in this State."

Several months ago the president of the Virginia Bankers Association appointed a committee to make a study of the probable need for funds by the small business interests in Virginia. As a result of this study the Association is convinced that the banks in Virginia as a whole are fully capable of supplying the necessary credit for constructive purposes.

"The formation of this credit group," said Mr. Ritchie, "will assure every competent borrower three opportunities to obtain the necessary credit for the operation of his business, viz: (a) through his local bank; (b) through his local bank and its city correspondents; (c) through his local bank and the Virginia Bank Credit Group."

This action is in cooperation with the American Bankers Association in its nation-wide effort to assure small business that sufficient credit will be available through the private banking system to meet all legitimate reconversion and postwar credit needs of small and medium sized businesses.

The nine banks constituting the initial members of the credit group are: First and Merchants National Bank, Richmond; First National Exchange Bank, Roanoke; State-Planters Bank & Trust Co., Richmond; Central National Bank, Richmond; Bank of Commerce & Trusts, Richmond; Morris Plan Bank of Virginia, Richmond; National Bank of Commerce, Norfolk; Seaboard Citizens National Bank, Norfolk; and First National Bank, Newport News.

The committee of the Virginia Bankers Association who worked out plans for the Virvinia Bank Credit Group were: H. Hiter Harris, chairman, Richmond; C. Francis Cocke, vice-chairman and chairman of the sub-committee, Roanoke; H. H. Augustine, Richmond; W. H. Schwarzschild, Richmond; W. A. Roper, Richmond; Thomas C. Boushall, Richmond; John S. Alfriend, Norfolk; A. S. Pope, Norfolk; and S. H. Plummer, Newport News; and a sub-committee composed of Warren M. Goddard and John C. White, both of Richmond.

News From
HUNTER'S GAP

Mary Lee Russell, Co.

Route Three

(For Week of May 31)

Decoration Day at Glass Memorial Church will be observed June 3.

Olin Seabolt is employed at Appalachia, clerking in a department store.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Watson visited Mrs. Watson's mother, Eliza Seabolt, Sunday.

Gos Collins and son, J. B., of Woodway, visited his daughter, Mrs. Henry Edwards, Saturday night.

Barney Sumpter, of Rogersville, was a Sunday guest of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Sallie Parkey.

Messrs. Wayman Gibson and Blaine Cox were sightseeing from the fire tower on Powells Mountain, Sunday.

NOTICE

Persons having claims against the estate of George Kempton Hyten (commonly known as Kemp Hyten or Hyden), deceased, are hereby required to present same to Walter R. Pennington, Administrator of said Estate, and all persons indebted to said estate are required to settle the same at once.

Walter R. Pennington, Administrator of the Estate of George Kempton Hyten. Address: Roller Building, Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Adv. No, 24-4t.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 24 day of May, 1945.

Robert Flanary .....Complainant
Vs. Order of Publication
Allie Bruce Flanary....Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce A Vinculo Matrimonii on grounds of desertion for more than statutory period.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Allie Bruce Flanary is nonresident of the State of Virginia, and last known address is 522 Sequoyah Drive, Kingsport, Tenn., it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste: D. C. Sewell, Jr., Clerk
By: Charles N. Haws, D. C
p. q. Guy A. Kauffman.
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And how well are these companies doing their job?

Electricity is still available at low pre-war prices. There is enough to meet even the gigantic demands of war. And there will be plenty to help give you greater comfort and convenience in the electric living of the post-war world.

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A TOAST TO AMERICA

Maybe you don't know it, but Jap leaders are drinking toasts to America.

They count on us to let down. They think we will get tired. But there are 35 millions of Japs working seven days a week, 14 to 16 hours a day. In addition, 400 million conquered slaves producing raw materials, finished weapons of war and foodstuffs. And even if tired, they can't let down.

At the present rate of attrition, the Japs have material enough for many years of war. They stand ready to sacrifice ten millions of men and fight for 50 years to hold on to their ill-gotten gains.

It's a long way from Germany to Tokyo—fourteen thousand miles, and we must bridge that huge gap. That's going to take hard work, money, sacrifice. The 130 millions of Americans will need to buckle down to the serious business of recognizing the Japanese as an enemy that is just as determined as we are to win this conflict.

Winning a war against the world's second largest empire, with 400,000,000 conquered slaves to do its bidding, is another story entirely from capturing, or recapturing island outposts. We have just begun to contact the main army of the Japanese. And to go all-out against them, we will need to be prepared.

Our job on the home front is to be prepared to back up our boys. The Mighty Seventh War Loan affords the opportunity. Bigger and more War Bonds in the hands of the public will give support to the all-out war effort against Japan in the months to come. Set your own quota according to your ability—then meet it!

News From
OAK HILL

(For week of June 7)

Mrs. Minnie Helbert was visiting Mrs. Hannah Newberry, Sunday.

Haburn Davis has returned to Camp after a 15-day furlough with his mother and friends.

Milburn Jones was visiting his son, Nelson, Sunday.

Seaman and Mrs. Lloyd Light, of Kingsport, Tenn., were visiting Mrs. Dollie Head, Sunday night.

Quite a number from this place attended the play, "The Scarecrow Creeps", at Stickleyville, Thursday night.

Miss Nora Munsey spent Sunday night with Miss Mabel Gillenwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rasnic were in Stickleyville, Sunday.

Miss Ruth Koger is spending a few days with her cousin, Mrs. Jennie Allen.

News From
MILLER'S CHAPEL

Several from here attended the singing convention at Big Stone Gap, Sunday.

Lawrence Garrett left Monday for Dayton, Ohio, where he is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Mise and children, Shirley Ann, James and Peggy, of Baltimore, Md., are spending a vacation here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Terry, and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Mise, of Jonesville.

Those leaving here Wednesday for Army examination were: M. B. Johnson, James Williams, Tim Mise, and Gleese Williams.

Mrs. Glenn Terry and Miss Reeda Terry were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Baker, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Rogers were visiting Mrs. Becky Baker, of Pennington, Sunday.

Misses Delza and Lena Haynes and Sally Bea Johnson were shopping in Pennington, Saturday.

Miss Mary Lee Garrett was in Appalachia on business, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Terry had as their dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Sexton, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams, and Rev. L. D. Perkins.

Rev. Bill Blevins, of Benedict, filled his regular appointment at the Plain View Baptist Church here Sunday night.

Martin Napier, who is employed in Alexandria, Va., visited friends here recently.

Jim Terry is spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. Martha Roop, who is seriously ill at Harlan this week.

NOTICE

Wednesday, June 20th
At 2:00 p. m.
I WILL
SELL AT AUCTION

The household goods and lots of valuables for the Headen sisters at their home in Pennington Gap. Go and look these articles over any time after 9:00 a. m. Sale will take place at the home near Baptist and Methodist Churches.

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Jonesville Girl Elected To College Council Office

Miss Nanetta Ely, a Junior at Union College, Barbourville, Ky., from Jonesville, was elected recently to serve as president of Pfeiffer Hall Council at Union College next year, where she will be a Junior.

Pfeiffer Hall Council is the student government organization of the girls of the college.

DOWN ON THE FARM

(Continued from page one)

Proper feeding is necessary to assure profitable chicken production. Plenty of mash, and the use of grain depending upon the size of the birds, should be available in adequate hopper space at all times. Fresh, clean water should be provided at all times. Unless the water is changed daily it does not take long for it to become contaminated from particles of food and dirt carried on the birds' beaks, the result being the swift spread of disease in many cases. Sufficient quantities of grit and oyster shell, the size of such matter depending on the size of the birds, should be available. A balanced ration should be continued throughout the growing season to assure early production of the pullets in the fall.

The poultry house should be roomy, comfortable, well ventilated, free from drafts and dampness. The floor should be thoroughly scroped and cleaned at frequent intervals. Good litter on the floor is highly important. Dry straw, hay or ground corn cobs is good. Cheap litter has a decided advantage because it encourages the producer to make frequent changes.

Older birds should not be allowed to mix with the younger ones. It is much better to keep the old hens up than to allow mixing with the younger stock.

Sanitation with respect to the feeding hoppers and water founts should not be overlooked. Chickens eat from a common feed hopper and drink from the same fountain, and it is quite easy to see why such articles need frequent cleaning. Chickens are just as susceptible to disease as humans when sanitation is not observed.

TOWN TALK

(Continued from page one)

to come down and touch the tree tops; looking about over the landscape, laurel ivy, rhododendron, wild Japanese honeysuckle, amid the evergreens and ferns, lend an aspect of almost breath-taking beauty. Looking northward, the industrial life of V.I.C. and Monarch is depicted; the commissaries about which the people are gathered, coming to do their trading or engage in friendly conversations with each other; the mining houses here and there, the tipples and inclines braced against the hillsides, and a train, lugging and tugging ever so many cars of coal, puffing its way up the mountain railroad.

Looking downward toward the pretty camp of Benedict, you can see houses nestled here and there on "Buzzards' Roost", wherever there may be space level enough for a house to stand; little footpaths lead from one house to the other, made, possibly, by neighbors visiting with each other; children run and whoop and holler over the hills as though giving expression to the happy carefree life they live.

Want to experience real honest-to-goodness beauties of nature? Want to realize some of the majesty and grandeur of our mountains? Feel a deep sense of appreciation of God's handiwork and man's progressive nature? Climb to the top of Buzzards' Roost and "view the landscape o'er".

"Home Sweet Home"

Over in Holland, says The Stars and Stripes, has recently been installed "The Sugar Bowl", designed by the Army Exchange Service to bring Europe again in tune with the times.

The Army runs the place, local talent jerks the sodas, while the G.I.'s gather for personal reconnaissance, to sip their drinks or relish their ice cream. But even the delightful Sugar Bowl doesn't cause Pfc. John Robbins, of Pennington Gap, to forget his home town.

According to the Stars and Stripes, Pfc. Robbins was heard to remark: "Now all they need is a beer joint just across the street, and it'll put me in mind of Pennington Gap."

Guess again, John; we had an election May 29th.

Soldiers and Vases

Mrs. J. S. Howard got to "washing up" her collection of vases the other day. She has an enormous lot of them, gathered from far and near. Inside one vase was a card bearing the words: "Love—from Jack", and that is the one she wouldn't take the world for—it was given her by Pvt. Jack Williams, who used to be in her Sunday School class. Jack died serving his country.

Thanks, R. C.

Here's some lines we appreciate a big lot, coming from R. C. Shelton, serving with the U. S. Army Air Corps in France: "I received my first copy of The Powell Valley News this week, and want to thank you very much.

"Certainly it is nice to get all the news from home as clearly as you give it in your paper. Almost like a letter from homefolks or parents."

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OSA MASSEN
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"HAUNTED HARBOR"

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—with—
FREDERICK MARCH

Saturday, June 23—DOUBLE FEATURE
Lights of Old Santa Fe
—with—
Roy ROGERS - TRIGGER - Geo. "Gabby" HAYES
—also—
MY BUDDY
—with—
Donald BARRY - Ruth TERRY - Lynne ROBERTS

ANNOUNCING
THE OPENING OF
A New Store In Pennington Gap

I have opened a Jewelry, Furniture and Electric Appliance Store on Railroad Street, in the building recently occupied by the Local Selective Service Board, next door to Green's Cafe

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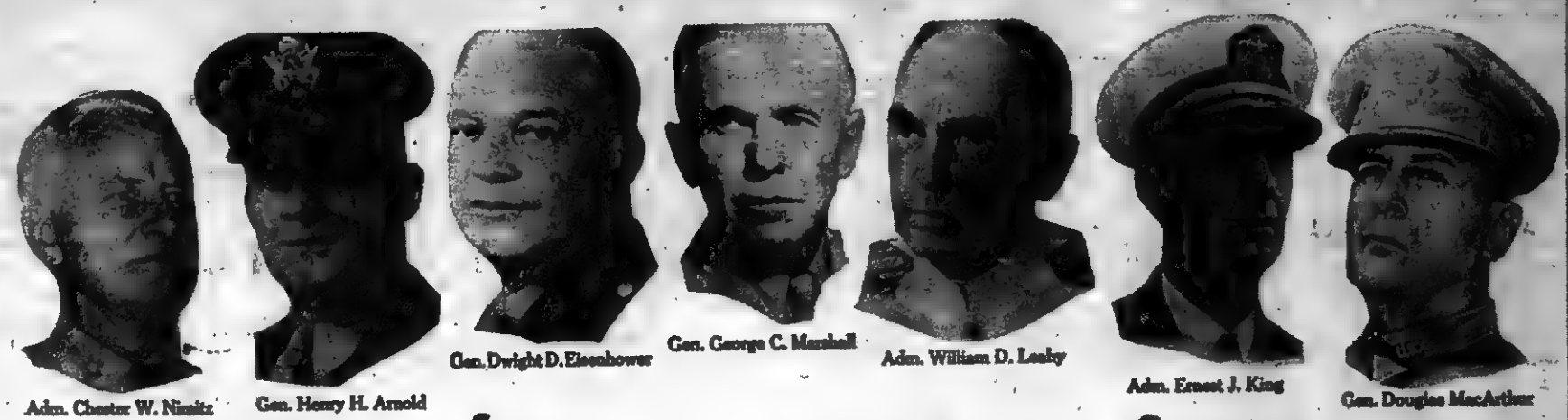

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They can tell you of a whole new air force in the building—huge new bombers and fast new jet-propelled planes coming off the lines by thousands.

They could show you why it is cheaper and quicker to give our Pacific Forces entirely new equipment sometimes—instead of shipping tanks and guns from Europe.

They can, in short, show you 101 ways in which your dollars are needed more than ever to bring America's might to its full strength—so that we may crush our foe the faster, make an end of killing, and bring our men back home.

Will you tell these men "I can't afford to buy my share"?

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Pennington Gap — St. Charles

With Our Service Men

Ford Coolidge Marcum

Ford Coolidge Marcum, 20, electrician's mate third class, U.S.N.R., of Rose Hill, Va., has arrived at the Naval Training Station, Norfolk, Va., to train for duties aboard a new destroyer of the Atlantic Fleet.

He wears the American theater ribbon, the Asiatic-Pacific theater ribbon and the European-African-Middle East theater ribbon with one star. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Marcum, of Rose Hill.

Seaman Paul Mont

Paul Mont, 18, seaman second class, U.S.N.R., of St. Charles, Va., has arrived at the Naval Training Station ,Norfolk, Va., to train for duties aboard a new destroyer of the Atlantic Fleet. He has completed instructions at the Naval Training Center, at Bainbridge, Md. He is a son of Mrs. Francis Mont ,of St. Charles.

S.-Sgt. Charles E. Cluseman

Staff Sgt. Charles E. Cluseman, son of Mrs. Bessie Cluseman, of St. Charles, has been awarded an Oak Leaf Cluster instead of a second Bronze Star Medal for meritorious achievement during fighting on Luzon, Philippine Islands. He first was awarded the Bronze Star on February 12.

Capt. John W. Laningham

Capt. John Wynn Laningham is now serving with the Artillery Section, Pacific Ocean Area Headquarters, A.P.O. 958, San Francisco, Calif. He has been in service in the Pacific for thirteen months.

Pfc. James B. Vandeventer

Pfc. James B. Vandeventer, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Vandeventer, of Pennington Gap, has been admitted to the AAF Regional and Convalescent Hospital, Miami District, for treatment and observation.

While a patient at this hospital ,one of several operated by the AAF Personnel Distribution Command, he will be under the care of Army physicians and also will participate in the physical training and vocational activities of the convalescent services of the hospital.

W. J. Quinley

W. J. Quinley, 19, aviation machinist's mate third class, is flying as a combat aircrewman with a torpedo bomber squadron. His mother, Mrs. J. H. Quinley, resides on Route 2, Jonesville.

Quinley left school to enlist in the Navy in November, 1943, and trained at Memphis, Tenn., Miami, Fla., and Kanoche Bay, Hawaii.

Ralph C. Salley

Ralph C. Salley, seaman second class, USNR, of Woodway, Va., arrived at the Naval Training Station, Norfolk, Va., April 5, to undergo training for duties aboard a new destroyer of the Atlantic Fleet. He recently completed a period of training at the Naval Training Center, Rainbow Bridge, Md.

He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Salley, of Woodway, and has a brother, J. H. Jr., 18, seaman first class, in the Navy.

Sgt Tom Doyle

Sgt. Tom Doyle, brother of Mrs. Reba Hall, who lives in St. Charles, Va., has been promoted from private to sergeant with the Fifth Army in Italy. He is a gun commander with the 894th Tank Destroyer Battalion.

David Woodrow Lambert

David Woodrow Lambert, husband of Mrs. Ruth Mary Lambert, of Blackwater, Va., has just completed a course for aviation metalsmiths at the Naval Air Technical Training Center at Norman, Okla., and received a rating of seaman first class.

He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Lambert, Blackwater, Va., and was formerly employed by Consolidated Aircraft until he entered the Navy at Jonesville last August.

Andrew J. Ely

Andrew Jackson Ely, Jr., 19, quartermaster third class, USNR, of St. Charles, recently arrived at the Naval Training Station, Norfolk, Va., for training for duties aboard a new destroyer of the Atlantic Fleet.

He wears ribbons for the American area campaign and European - African - Middle Eastern area campaign. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew J. Ely, Sr., of St. Charles.

Earl E. Goins

Pvt. Earl E. Goins, son of John B. Goins ,of Pennington Gap, has been admitted to the AAF Regional and Convalescent Hospital, Miami District, for treatment and rest.

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VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 17 day of March, 1945.

Evelyn Fleenor .....Complainant
Vs. Order of Publication
Lawrence Fleenor.....Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce on grounds of Desertion and Adultery.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Lawrence Fleenor is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address is Lebannon, Ohio, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste: D. C. Sewell, Jr., Clerk.
By Charles N. Haws, D. C.
p. q. Vance S. King
advertisement 22-4t pd.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 25 day of May, 1945.

ESTELLE BAILEY and W. T. BAILEY ..... Complainants.
Vs. Order of Publication
OLIN JOHNSON, KERMIT D. GRAHAM, ZELMA GRAHAM STONE, FERN GRAHAM RUSSELL, J. B. JOHNSON, ROY P. JOHNSON, HERBERT JOHNSON, CARL J. JOHNSON, BURL JOHNSON, LUTHER QUENTIN JOHNSON and HERBERT JOHNSON, Administrator of the Estate of J. F. Johnson, Deceased....Defendants

The object of this suit is to partition the lands of which J. F. Johnson died seized and possessed, and to settle the estate of said J. F. Johnson and settle the accounts of Herbert Johnson, Administrator. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the following defendants, are non-residents of the State of Virginia, and their last known address is: Pfc. Luther Q. Johnson, No. 33156584, 518th Quarter Master (Car) Co., A. P. O. 958 care of Postmaster, San Francisco, California; Cpl. Kermit D. Graham, No. 33696166, 911th Ord. H. A. M. Co., A. P. O. 33, care of Postmaster, New York, N. Y.; Pvt. Carl J. Johnson, Medical Section C. A. S. C. Unit 1938, Fort McDowell, California; Zelma Graham Stone, 1405 Cypress St. West Monroe, Louisiana; Fern Graham Russell, 10 Skiff Street, Willoughby, Ohio; it is ordered that they appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendants at their last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste: D. C. Sewell, Jr., Clerk.
By: Charles N. Haws, D. C.
p. q. Fred B. Greer
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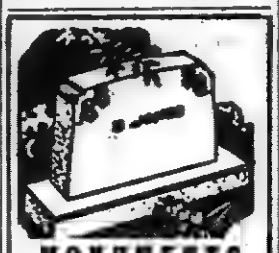
F. K. Hyatt
Administrator of the Estate of A. G. Hyatt, deceased. Jonesville, Va.
advertisement 22-4t. pd.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The undersigned will offer for sale the following list of personal property on the premises at the John S. McNiel homeplace [formerly the L. B. Quillen homeplace] on Saturday, June 9th, beginning the sale at 10 A. M. [C. W. T.]

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2 Rocking Chairs (Oak)
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2 Dining Room Chairs
1 Leather Couch
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W. L. Davidson, Administrator of Minnie Quillen McNiel, Decd.

News From BENEDICT

(For week of June 7)

Mrs. Emmett Catron, of Bonny Blue, visited her son, Blaine Catron, here Tuesday.

Mrs. Woodrow Bryant and son, 'Gene, of Norton, were visiting here Friday.

Mrs. Bonnie Sturgill and Mrs. Gladys Ewing were in Pennington on business, Friday.

Mrs. W. C. Jones has received word that her husband, Lt. W. C. Jones, has been liberated from a prison camp in Germany. All the friends here were glad to hear the good news.

Miss Ruth Scarborough has gone to Oak Ridge, Tenn., where she is employed as secretary in the chemical office of Tennessee Eastman.

Miss Alberta Howard, of Oak Ridge, visited relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Ray and family have moved back into this community from Kentucky.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Scarborough and family were visiting relatives at Monarch, Sunday.

Miss Bernice Kilby, of Baltimore, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Kilby, here last week.

Rev. S. F. Tittle, of Kingsport, preached at the Benedict Church, Sunday night.

Mrs. Ralph Harbor and little daughter, of Stone Creek, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Akins, and family last week.

Mrs. Lucille Hall and son, Marion Walter, visited friends at Jonesville last week.

Mrs. Bonnie Sturgill and daughters, Alma and Lois Jean, visited friends at Monarch, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Scarborough and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Worley Dean and family, on Stone Creek, Sunday.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 7th day of June, 1945.

Ernest Clyde Collins
..... Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Cecelia Allen Collins....Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce on grounds of desertion for more than 2 years. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Cecelia Allen Collins, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address is 107 Cogswell Ave., Indian Head, Maryland, it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p. q. G. A. Kauffman.
Adv. No. 24-4t.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 11th day of June, 1945.

Fred J. Conatser.....Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Motie Maddle Conatser
..... Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce A Vinculo Matrimonii. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Motie Maddle Conatser, is non-resident of the State of Virgina, and her last known address is Monterey, Tennessee, c-o Lee Maddle, it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newsppaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p. q. Guy A. Kauffman.
Adv. No. 24-4t.

News From MILLER'S CHAPEL

(For week of June 7)

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bledsoe and daughter, Helen, were visiting relatives here last week. They returned to their work Sunday at Dayton, Ohio, where they are employed.

Martin Napier spent Saturday with his cousin, Juanita Bledsoe. He left Wednesday for Alexandria, Va., where he is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Bledsoe and family were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Terry, Sunday.

Conn Terry, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Terry, has returned to his work at Dayton, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Porter Giles and children were visiting Mr. Giles' mother, Mrs. W. M. Bledsoe, Sunday.

News From HAGAN

(For week of June 7)

Leonard, Maurice and Grace Blankenship and Mrs. Roscoe Haskins and children, of Loyall, Ky., spent the week-end with relatives here.

Mrs. Martha Worre, of Rose Hill, is visiting relatives here this week.

Sam and Gill Hensley, Sampson, Ky., spent the week-end here with their sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Depew and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Steve Langley.

Mrs. Gill Hensley and daughter, Mary Helen, are visiting at Sampson, Ky., this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Chadwell and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Andy Ingle and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ingle, of Hubbard Springs, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Kin Hensley.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Eldridge and family, of Flatwood, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Callie Thomas, Sunday night.

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Social and Personal

Cadet Richard Blackwell, of V.M.I., is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam C. Blackwell, while awaiting his call for final physical examination for entrance to the United States Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md. His appointment calls for entrance by July 1.

Jonesville Girls Home From College

Misses Anne Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Olin Jones, and Jean Marie Horton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Horton, of Jonesville, came to their respective homes from Mary Washington College last week.

Miss Jones was accompanied by Miss Tabitha Morris, of Alexandria, Va., a student of Mary Washington, who will visit here. Miss Horton will return for the summer school and Miss Jones will return in September for her senior year.

Birthday Party

Miss Hazel Crusenberry was given a birthday party Wednesday night at the home of Mrs. W. R. Rutherford, at Kemmerer Gem. About fifty young people attended the party, and Miss Crusenberry received many lovely gifts. All reported that they enjoyed the games and entertainment.

Don't fail to see "Objective Burma", coming to Lee Theatre, Thursday and Friday, June 28 - 29.

Promotion For E. R. Halstead, Jr.

Everette R. Halstead, Jr., serving at the 81st General Hospital, Wales, as technician, has recently been promoted from the grade of corporal to sergeant, according to a news release from Communications Headquarters. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Halstead, Sr., of Pennington Gap.

Baird King Is Well Again

Mrs. V. S. King is back home again after a several weeks' stay in Oak Ridge, due to the illness of her son, Baird King. She reports that Baird, who is seventeen, is now fully recovered and back at his employment after an attack of meningitis. He makes his home with his grandmother, Mrs. H. P. Williams, Oak Ridge.

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Church Folk Attend Summer Sessions

Many church folk are leaving for special training courses and conferences at various places. Among them are:

Rev. and Mrs. C. D. Mehaffey and Albert and Miss Hannah Sprinkle will leave Monday to attend the Pastors' School and School of Missions at Sullins College in Bristol. In the meantime, Eugene will visit with the King twins, Julian and Jimmy, at Kingsport.

Misses Bliss Rhea, Ruth Dabney Pennington, Pearl Cornette and June Lewis will attend the Practice School of the Methodist Church at V. I. in Bristol, beginning June 18 and continuing two weeks. Also Miss Lewis and Mrs. Luther Cress and Patsy will attend the Youth Fellowship Conference at Emory and Henry, June 22, 23 and 24.

Jay Graham, Bobby Tipton, 'Gene Phillip Reasor and Miss Nola Myers are attending the Youth Training Conference at Tennessee Wesleyan, at Athens, Tenn.

Class Party

Mrs. G. W. David and Mrs. G. E. Harber were joint hostesses last Thursday evening at Mrs. David's home to the Ladies' Bible Class, taught by W. H. Creech. The usual devotional was held, followed by the recreational program. Mrs. Creech, Mrs. Ollie Shufflebarger, Mrs. Ida Smith, Mrs. Gladys Stout, and Mrs. C. W. Adams won contest prizes. A delicious salad course was served by the hostesses.

Chicken Dinner

If you're not a member of the Board of Stewards and the Board of Trustees you just missed a treat last Friday evening. Rev. and Mrs. C. D. Mehaffey entertained these two groups at a fried chicken dinner, with just plenty of accompanying accessories, at their parsonage home. About 24 guests were invited.

J. Marion Smith ,of Route 2, is visiting members of his family in Washington, D. C.

Henry E. Meade, AMM. 2-C., graduated from Elizabethtown (Ky.) High School and received his diploma through the Army and Navy Training School, Friday, June 1, 1945. He is now stationed at Corpus Christi, Texas. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Meade, Pennington Gap.

Mrs. A. C. Ford and sons, of Hodgenville, Ky., spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Meade.

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In Retreat!

Tuesday evening, a group of young ladies, thirteen in number, slightly tired from school and college work, daily routine of things, etc., decided they would go into seclusion for the period of one whole night, and selected the American Legion Cabin for their destination.

With quilts, foodstuffs, a radio, and other living necessities, they boarded the bus for the cabin. One of the girls relating the experience, says:

"After we cleaned up the cabin, scared the rats away, cooked our supper, and so on, then we really had a good time. We sang, danced the Virginia reel and "Jenny crack corn", played the radio, listened to the murmur of the river and the sighing of the pines, talked of school days and —hesitatingly — yes, of old love affairs, etc." They returned via bus the next morning about nine-thirty.

Those enjoying this vacation were: Misses Mary Elizabeth and Amy Jo Pennington; Sue Smalley, Virginia Green, Gusta Bailey, Mary Margaret Smalley and Myrtle Phyllis Smalley, Jewell Lucas, Helen Middleton, Mary Helen Payne, Hallene Goins, Betty Rhea Stout, and Peggy King.

Mrs. Rich Myers and Mrs. W. J. Richards were in Bristol, Monday.

Mrs. Murl Rush, of Pulaski, spent last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Murphy King.

Mrs. Paul McArthur is visiting her husband, Lt. Paul McArthur, at Greensboro, N. C.

Boots Richards, of L. M. U., spent Tuesday and Wednesday with home folk here.

Pfc. Burder VanDeventer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin VanDeventer, arrived home Wednesday. Pfc. VanDeventer has been in India for some time.

Seaman 2-C. Martin Halstead is at home on furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Halstead, Sr.

Mrs. Frank Smalley is enjoying a visit from her son, Billy (Lard) King, of the U. S. Navy.

Jenelle Ann Howard, of Dayton, Ohio, is home for a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Francis were called to Harlan, Ky., due to the illness of Mr. Francis' mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Ledford and daughter, Rena Joe, Oak Ridge, Tenn., spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Bailey, of Bonny Blue.

Lura B. Francis, of Bonny Blue, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jess Ledford at Oak Ridge, Tenn.

WEDDING BELLS

Mrs. Jake Chinsky Attends Wedding In Bristol

Mrs. Jake Chinsky, proprietress of the Economy Store here, attended the wedding of Miss Goldie Palkes, of Bristol, to Mr. S. M. Levine, of Gate City, which took place at B'Nai Sholom in Bristol at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon, June 10. This was the first wedding to be solemnized at the synagogue in Bristol.

A reception was given the bridal pair at General Shelby Hotel Sunday afternoon from 4 to 6, and a dinner party was given at the Shelby for relatives of the bride and groom and out-of-town guests.

Mrs. Chinsky describes the wedding and receptions as very beautiful and outstanding events.

Waters - Levacy

Miss Audrey Waters, of Dayton, Ohio, and Eugene R. Levacy, CBM., were married in the St. Bernard Catholic Church at Dayton at 2:00 o'clock p. m., on May 26. The ceremony was read by Father Canoran.

The bride was attired in a powder blue suit with brown accessories, and wore an orchid corsage. She was given in marriage by her father, W. J. Waters Jr. She was attended by her sister, Miss Marjorie Waters, as maid of honor. O. J. Anderson, seaman second class, served the groom as best man. Both Anderson and Levacy are stationed at the Arcata Naval Air Station, California.

Following the ceremony the couple left for a two-week's wedding trip.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Waters, Jr., of 1481 Myrtle Avenue, Dayton, Ohio. She is a graduate of Eureka High School and of Nazareth Academy in Eureka, Calif., and has been employed by the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Company.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. (Dock) Levacy, of Jonesville, Route 4. He attended schools in Texas and at Portsmouth, Va., prior to his entering the Navy in 1938.

The couple will make their home for the present at Eureka, California.

Cadet J. N. Walker Brings Home Bride

Mrs. C. E. Hall has just returned from Corbin, Ky., where she went to meet her nephew and wife, Cadet and Mrs. Jack N. Walker, visiting there from Sagine, Texas, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Walker.

Cadet Walker married the former Miss Barbara Willie, of Sagine, last December.

WINNER OF BIBLE

MISS IRENE BARGO

Miss Irene Bargo, of Jonesville, Route 3, was the lucky 200th person to write Radio Evangelist Otto A. Harrison, Greenville, S. C., the lucky 200th being the winner of a fine Bible.

IS NOW SIX YEARS OLD

JUDY EARL EYLEE

Judy Earl Eylee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Eylee, of Chicago, Ill., became six years old Tuesday, June 12. Her maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Fahnon, of Pennington Gap.

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Wilbert H. Tueting, HA 1-C., of Great Lakes, Ill., was here over the week-end, enroute to South Carolina.

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By

W. I. Jones

Sorrow Common To All

There is one thing about war we are apt to forget and that is that sorrow is common to friend and foe alike. The mother who sends her son to war from Bavaria or Tokyo or Rome is just as anxious as the one from Tennessee or Texas. The telegram brings her grief, too, and wah makes widows and orphans in enemy countries as it does with us. Enemy people—the common people—pray and hope and suffer as do all of humanity the world over.

The purpose of war is to destroy the armies of the enemy, and through the destruction of tanks and guns and ships men are destroyed and death to the foe causes sorrow at home. Men must be killed, wounded or captured if wars are won. Railroads and factories and towns must be obliterated and along with these go sorrow and death.

When an aggressor nation goes on the rampage, wars are inevitable if we remain free. Death and sorrow and suffering follow all wars and are common to friends and foe alike. If ambitious war lords would keep this in mind we would have fewer wars.

Jonesville Boy Shares In Co.'s Service Awards

Cpl. Kermit D. Graham, more familiarly known as "D" Graham, is very proud to be a member of an Ordnance Maintenance Company which has been awarded for superior execution of duty in the performance of exceptionally difficult tasks, from December 5, 1944, to March 5, 1945.

The awards include two Bronze Stars, the European theatre of operations ribbon and the Good Conduct ribbon. The boys have been overseas for the past 17 months, and are now in Germany. They were in England, France, Holland and Belgium before going to Germany.

Graham is a son of Hamilton Graham and the late Eliza Gregory Graham, of Jonesville.

Jonesville Families Get Happy Surprises

Monday evening, June 4th, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Howard sat on the porch at their home near Jonesville, taking a rest from the day's work on the farm. A car drove up and Mrs. Howard's brother, J. C. Ball, of Knoxville, alighted and made the announcement that there were two other passengers in the car whom she no doubt would be glad to see.

They were two other brothers, M. Sgt. C. R. Ball, just arrived from England after an absence of more than three years, and R. N. Ball, SK. 1-C, U.S.N.R., from the destroyer USS Edward H. Allen. They were each on furlough to visit with their father, C. D. Ball, of Jonesville, and other relatives. They had arrived at their father's home that day each not knowing the other would be there.

The Howards joined the party and went with them to the home of C. D. Ball, where they found Mrs. J. C. Ball and daughter, Juanita; Mrs. R. N. Ball and Miss Bertha Ball, of Harlan, awaiting their arrival. Later, G. R. Ball and family, of Pennington Gap, joined the party.

Their's was a happy family reunion, saddened only by the absence of those who could not be present, namely: Captain J. K. Ball, serving as Army Chaplain in S.A., and wife; Lt. O. F. Ball, Jr., and family, of Westfield, N. C. Later in the week M. Sgt. C. E. Ball continued his journey to Spokane, Washington, to join his family, while Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Ball, accompanied by their sisters, Miss Bertha Ball and Mrs. Waive Howard, visited Mrs. Ada Jordon Ball and family at Coeburn, Va.

The Ball family state that they have much to be thankful for in this reunion, but do not for a moment forget to think of those whose homes are broken—for always.

Jonesville Soldier Serves Comrades as Medical Man

Pfc. Charles A. Bell, of Jonesville, isn't exactly a medical man, but he played the role of one recently when he gave first aid to two medical corps men under a hailstorm of Japanese machine gun bullets.

In the hills of Northern Cebu, the two medics in Bell's company were having a bang-up job, taking care of the wounded and getting them back out of the lane of fire. Then a sniper opened fire nearby and got these two medics, one in the leg and one in the arm, but Bell wasn't scratched.

He did what he could for the men; made a stretcher for the one who was wounded in the leg and enlisted aid to carry him back to safety. Just as they started down a hill another gun fire opened, and the man on the litter was killed. They put him down and helped the man who was wounded in the arm to the aid station.

"The action was plenty rough," Bell stated to his commander of the Americal Infantry Division in the Philippines. "I don't know much about medicine, but I do think the one medic would have lived if we could have gotten him back to the hospital."

Bell is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tyler Bell, of Jonesville.

A GERMAN COAT FOR A SOUVENIR

Cpl. Harold G. Ely, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Ely, of Dryden, is on his way home, according to information from his parents, and of course, will have many interesting experiences to relate regarding his overseas service with the U. S. Army, but none can be of more interest than the following letter written to his parents on April 13, dated in Germany. It reads:

Dearest Mother and Dad:

Just a few lines to let you know I am O. K. and back with my old outfit. My arm and hand are still pretty stiff, and I still have some pieces of lead in my arm. I guess you are anxious to know just what happened to me, so I will give you a rough idea.

The night after we (the 7th Army) crossed the Rhine River I went through our lines in my truck. I was about two miles in German lines before they started shooting at me. I was shot through the arm on the elbow. The wound was not too bad, so I rolled out of the truck and played dead. The Germans didn't see me get out of the truck, so they kept shooting.

When they came up to the door they fired several shots into the truck where they thought I was. When they were sure I was dead, they opened the door; naturally they were angry when I wasn't there, and they started hunting for me. I guess I did a good job of playing dead until a medical man came down. They carried me behind a house and searched me. The aid man found my heartbeating. This made them angry and they kicked me so badly I had to come to life again. They bandaged my arm and took me to be questioned. The American artillery shot the houses all down on top of us. Several of them were killed, but I didn't get a scratch.

We started walking that night soon after I was captured. I walked for three days and nights. I ate two crackers which made me sick. I had no water to drink. The last day I was so weak I could hardly walk. I had been in six of our artillery barrages and they are terrible. I don't see how I lived through it all. On the third night I escaped.

The guard made a mistake and gave me my chance. I took my pocket book back from him and took his coat off and put it on. Our shells were falling near and Germans were running everywhere. I had his German coat on, so I picked up energy and ran too. They thought I was just another soldier—only I didn't stop. I ran into some woods and hid under a fallen tree. I stayed there that night and it rained the next morning. I licked some water off some leaves, and that did me more good than anything. I started walking and crawling and got back into the American lines about ten o'clock.

From then on I was very happy. I was taken good care of and sent to a hospital where I recovered. I only hope none of my pals here have to go through what I did in that short space of time. I will send you the German coat later on for a souvenir. Give my regards to all, and tell them I am O. K. Love always,

Your son,

Harold G.

Cpl. Ely was reported missing in action March 27, later reported wounded. He has been in the Army four years, and overseas twenty-seven months, serving with the 191st Tank Battalion in North Africa, Italy, France and Germany.

He has been awarded the Bronze Star, Good Conduct Medal and Purple Heart, along with other medals.

LET'S GO!

To be stationed on a far-away island, experiencing the trials, tribulations and what-nots of war, is one thing; to find romantic beauty, thrills and leisure time for poetic fancies amidst it all—that's two things; and to Pvt. V. M. Hendricks, from New Guinea, belong them both.

Perhaps Pvt. Hendricks' fanciful flow of words is a heritage, since he is the son of the late J. P. Hendricks, former editor and newspaperman of Pennington Gap. Now take time off to read some of Hendricks' lines:

"Are you a housewife, with nerves shattered and torn with life's mad pace? Are you a defense worker whose morale has been shattered by $200 a week? Does your battered soul long for some peaceful haven where days drift by like rose petals on the placid tide of sleep? Then be of good cheer, for earth's war-scarred face can be blotted out by the many-fingered shadows of a palm, romance drenched New Guinea, the Shang-ri-la of the tropics, the past participle of perfection, the travel folder paradise.

"Yes, this is a poor herald of the island splendor which is to be yours in New Guinea's flowered fantasy, often referred to as the healthiest community west of the Fiji Islands leper colony. You will go home steeped in the beauty of the tropics; you will be embalmed along with it—a never-to-be-forgotten experience.

"At first view this lush fairyland is almost confusing. What to do? Will you take a view of the beautiful native villages? or shall the first hike take you through the convulsive beauty of Hell Fire Pass? where many a man is wont to spend the rest of his days at the request of the friendly little yellow men. Here the beauty-bewildered tourist is wont to fill his lungs with the breeze which blows across the Sumurai, rotting peacefully in the ravines—to bathe his soul in glamour. But there is always a good-humored argument between mountains and seacoast. So perhaps you would prefer a day of New Guinea's world-famed beaches. You can laze on salt white sand or plunge into the incredibly clean breakers washed by the sands of half a world. Lie on your backs and float in the mellow sunlight—romp with the playful tiger sharks.

"... Watch the sunset through tall and misty glass in the air-conditioned bar of the Dobadura Plazza. The evening may be brought to a fitting climax dancing beneath the stars of Club Kedodax, where Don Carlos' Fluid Flute drains the very soul of music and champagne uncorks a 21-gun salute ..."

This and much more Pvt. Hendricks writes, but we haven't space for it all; and besides; we'd better stop before some of the folk here at home leave their jobs to "Arise and Go" to this enchanted (?) land.

Pvt. Hendricks is now somewhere in the Philippines, where we hope he IS finding beauty. He is the husband of the former Miss Ella Sue Truitt, of Pennington Gap, R.F.D.

The French port of L Harve, thought to be destroyed by the Nazis before their surrender, now is handling more tonnage than before the war.

Miss Eva-Mae Flannery left today for Washington, D. C., where she has accepted a position in the U. S. Treasury Department.

How To Mail Packages To Pacific War Areas

Public Relations Office, U. S. Navy, has issued the following instructions regarding the dispatching of packages to servicemen in Pacific areas:

A package addressed to a man in the Pacific will have a long and rough trip, perhaps lasting months and possibly in half a dozen ships, so it should be well wrapped.

Dispatching more than two million packages a month to the Pacific and expecting sudden new peaks in the volume as more forces are sent to that area, the Naval Mail service issues this new appeal.

Postal officers call attention to the size of the Pacific Ocean and the distance of its battlefronts. Because many parcels collapse enroute, they have outlined the following suggestions:

1. Pack each article in shredded paper or something like it to prevent movement inside the package.

2. Tie the box with heavy cord, then wrap it in brown paper and tie it again with strong cord.

3. Print the address in ink directly on the wrapping; don't use paper stickers which fall off if they get wet.

4. Inside each package put a sheet of paper listing the contents and giving the full address of the person to who it is sent. (If this is done, a broken box can be re-addressed and delivered).

5. It is a good idea to insure packages sent overseas.

The number of packages sent to the Pacific area increased from 1,655,820 last September to 2,012,865 in January.

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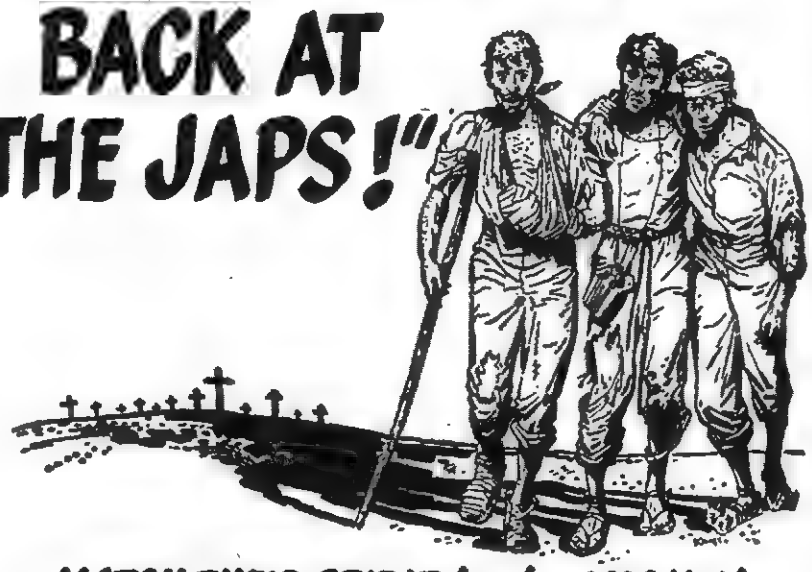

MATCH THEIR SPIRIT in the MIGHTY

7TH WAR LOAN DRIVE

YES, despite their long months and years of privation and suffering, those gallant men, just released from filthy Jap Prison Camps, still have their good old fighting spirit. They're itching to get back into the fight and give the Nips a taste of their own medicine.

Let's show them that we're not quitting either! Let's match their spirit with our dollars! Let's make this MIGHTY 7th War Loan the mightiest of them all!

But to come even close to matching their sacrifices, everyone here at home must buy War Bonds until it hurts. Buy double or treble the *extra* War Bonds you've bought in any previous drive. Remember, this is really *two* drives in *one*. In the same period last year, you were asked to subscribe to two War Loans.

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June 30, 1945 is the deadline on the payment of 1944 taxes before the date of Delinquency.

All Taxpayers who have not paid their 1944 taxes and who desire to pay them before the delinquent date, thus saving 6 percent interest which will start July 1, 1945, are requested to pay their 1944 taxes before JULY 1st.

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With Our Service Men

Clarence C. Carter

Tech. Sgt. Clarence C. Carter, 23, of Ewing, Va., has arrived at Army Air Forces Redistribution Station No. 2 in Miami Beach for reassignment processing after completing a tour of duty outside the continental United States.

Sgt. Carter was chief of a mobile repair unit during his tour of duty in the European theater, and was awarded the Bronze Star Medal. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George B. Carter, of Pennington Gap. His wife resides at Ewing.

Charles J. Laningham

Charles J. Laningham, seaman first class, is serving on the USS "Kimberly" in the Western Pacific. The Kimberly has shot down five planes. She got four in one day over Lingayen Gulf while she was supporting landings on Luzon last January 6. Enemy dive bombers hit her twice. On two occasions one of her gun turrets was silenced, and she lost a few men, but she has bested the Japs in every encounter.

Tolbert W. Howe

Staff Sgt. Tolbert W. Howe, 22, waist gunner of the B-17 Flying Fortress, "Schraeder's Raiders," from St. Charles, has recently been awarded the third Oak Leaf Cluster to the Air Medal for "courage, coolness and skill in aerial combat" and for his outstanding performance of duty on a number of Eighth Air Force attacks on vital Nazi war installations deep in enemy country.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh M. Howe, of St. Charles, Sgt. Howe was employed by the Monarch Coal Company before entering the Army Air Forces in March, 1941. He won his wings at Las Vegas, Nevada, in May, 1944.

James W. Cox

James W. Cox, son of Mrs. A. P. Cox, Route 1, Dryden, Va., was commissioned a second lieutenant in ceremonies June 9 at Fort Knox, Ky. He was a member of the 75th graduating class of the Armored Officer Candidate School.

Lt. Cox was one of the fifty-two new officers who received their gold bars upon completion of a rigorous 17-week course covering every phase of the employment of armored equipment and organization of modern warfare.

Fred J. Conatser

Pvt. Fred J. Conatser, of Pennington Gap, Va., has arrived at the Oliver General Hospital at Augusta, Ga., from overseas for further medical treatment.

Oliver General Hospital is one of the Army's great medical institutions, and has a bed capacity of 3,000. It represents the final step in the chain of evacuation from the front lines.

Charles E. Williams

Sgt. Charles E. Williams, 25, son of Mrs. Iva Williams, of Pennington Gap, has returned from service outside the continental United States and is now being processed through the Army Ground and Service Forces Dedistribution Station in Miami Beach, Fla., where his next assignment will be determined.

Sgt. Williams served 27 months as a truck driver in the China-Burma-India theater of operations. While there he was awarded the Asiatic-Pacific campaign ribbon with one battle star.

Ralph W. Stewart

Staff Sgt. Ralph W. Stewart, of Bonny Blue, Va., was recently awarded the Bronze Star for meritorious achievement in the North African campaign. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stewart, of Bonny Blue.

Pvt. Wilma Hughes

Pvt. Hughes is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rome Hughes, of St. Charles, and is serving with the 107th Women's Army Corps Detachment at Fort Mason, Calif. She is a member of the softball team representing Fort Mason Wacs in the San Francisco Bay Area Wac League.

Mrs. Virginia Miner and sister, Miss Edith Quinley, have returned from Newark, N. J., where they attended the wedding of their brother, RM. 3-C. Charles Quinley. Details of the wedding to be published later. While away they visited in New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. K. F. Lundy, of Corbin, Ky., spent a few days here last week with their brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Lundy.

Seven Marriage Licenses Issued In County In May

Lee County did a little better in the marriage license rate during the month of May, according to records in the Clerk's Office at Jonesville. Seven licenses were issued this month, as follows:

Vernon L. Young, 23, and Tennessee Neal, 21, both of Jonesville.

Steve Shuler, 20, and Ruth Stidham, 18, both of Keokee.

Wesley Holmes, 21, and Lillie Hoover, 18, both of Keokee.

Tilson Webb, 24, and Callie Catron, 23, both of St. Charles.

William Paul Johnston, 32, Pennington Gap, and Lura Wells, 22, Jonesville.

Everette Fleenor, 47, Ocoonita and Flossie Phipps, 37, Dryden.

Howard Lewis, 24, and Lillie Gibson, 18, both of Pennington Gap.

Local Girl Graduates From Basic Center

Lt. Loretta Williams, daughter of Mrs. Emma Williams, of Pennington Gap, was among the nearly 200 graduates of the Nurses Basic Training Center at the Quartermaster School, at Camp Lee, Va. The graduation took place June 11.

The graduates, who have undergone four weeks of intensive training in basic military subjects and Army Medical Corps technique and procedure, will be assigned to hospitals in the Third Service Command before going overseas.

Lt. Williams is a graduate of Pennington High School, and of Fort Sanders Hospital, Knoxville, Tenn.

Big Stone Plans Second Annual Program For 4th

Plans are going ahead for the Fourth of July program to be held again this year at Bullitt Park, Big Stone Gap, which will be the second annual program of this kind.

Sponsored by the local Kiwanis Club, the entry blanks are now being mailed to the different stables and owners of three- and five-gaited show horses. Heavy draft teams for the pulling contest will be featured again this year.

The prize list for the different classes have been made more attractive this year. Many other attractions besides the horse show will be included in the all-day program.

Appalachian Elected District Gov. of Lions

According to an Associated Press news release, dated Roanoke, Va., June 13, J. Albert Large, of the Appalachia Lions Club, Appalachia, Va., was elected by unanimous vote as Governor of District 24-A, Lions International, at a limited meeting of the District at Hotel Roanoke on the afternoon of June 13, to succeed James H. Moore, of Roanoke, as District Governor.

In making his final report of the year, Moore stated four 45 Lions Clubs in District 24-A have engaged in over 2,000 important activities, more than 1,100 of which have been projects making a direct contribution to the war effort. All of these projects have been of invaluable benefit to individual communities, to our state and to the nation.

More than two million dollars in war bonds have been sold by Lions of District 24-A, and over one million dollars in war securities have been purchased by members of these same clubs," he continued.

"In cooperation with District 24-V, our sister district," the district governor went on, "our state Lions organization has made its influence felt in several vital issues, including educational advancement in Virginia, as well as other important questions of conservation and progress in the Old Dominion.

"As for the growth of our district," Moore pointed out, "although we have added no new clubs as yet, our district shows a net increase in membership through May 1 of 299, or an average of over five members per club. The total membership in District 24-A is 1,936; for the state, 4,108, the latter figure an increase of 499 during the past year. All but 10 clubs have increased their membership," he added.

Various officers spoke during the afternoon session on the progress of Lionism in the individual communities. Moore was presented with two gifts, one on behalf of Lions International for his district's showing in a membership campaign, and the other on behalf of the district for "his work on behalf of the district club".

Large pledged full cooperation of his office with the local clubs in an effort "to hold our district even closer than it now is" and called on the delegates to carry home the ideals and fellowship of district Lionism.

News From OCOONITA

A large crowd attended the Decoration Services here June 3.

Pfc. Neal Ingle, who spent a 45-day furlough with his mother, Mrs. Josie Ingle, returned Tuesday to Fort Meade, Md., for reassignment.

Calvin Pridemore spent several days last week with his son, Ewing, and family, at Cumberland, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Shelburne Mullins and daughter, Priscilla, of South Lebanon, Ohio; Mrs. J. D. Bolin and little grandson, Bobby Jack; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Noe and children, of Ft. Monmouth, N. J., were recent visitors of Mrs. Charles P. Mullins.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Statzer and children and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Smith attended the singing convention at Big Stone Gap, Sunday.

Ed Gilbert and son, Billy, of St. Charles, visited his sister, Mrs. Dora Mae Gibson, Friday.

Miss Emogene Hinkle visited her aunt, Mrs. John Hinkle, at Pennington Gap, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Fleenor and daughter, Charlotte, attended the revival meeting at Calvary Baptist Church at Pennington, Saturday.

Woodard Ingle was visiting friends in Pennington, Monday.

Mrs. A. J. Emmette and granddaughter, Wanda Burgan, visited with relatives in Middlesboro, Saturday.

Juanita Pridemore, of Cumberland, Ky., is spending this week with her grandfather, Calvin Pridemore, and Mrs. Pridemore.

Rev. J. F. Akers, of Radford, and Rev. Kester Green, of Pennington, were visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Caner Johnson, Monday.

Jack Hinkle and sister, Roberta, left Monday for Florida, where they will be employed, after visiting their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Carter.

Sgt. Eugene Emmett, who is stationed at Asheville, N. C., spent last week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Emmett.

Peppermint is a herbaceous perennial plant.

SMITH — DIZE

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smith, of Pennington Gap, announce the marriage of their daughter, Marie, to Mr. E. Frank Dize, of Tangier, Va.

The ceremony was performed June 2, in the Emanuel Methodist Church at Crisfield, Md., with Rev. J. Richardson, of Tangier, officiating.

After a short honeymoon the couple will make their home at Belle Haven, Va.

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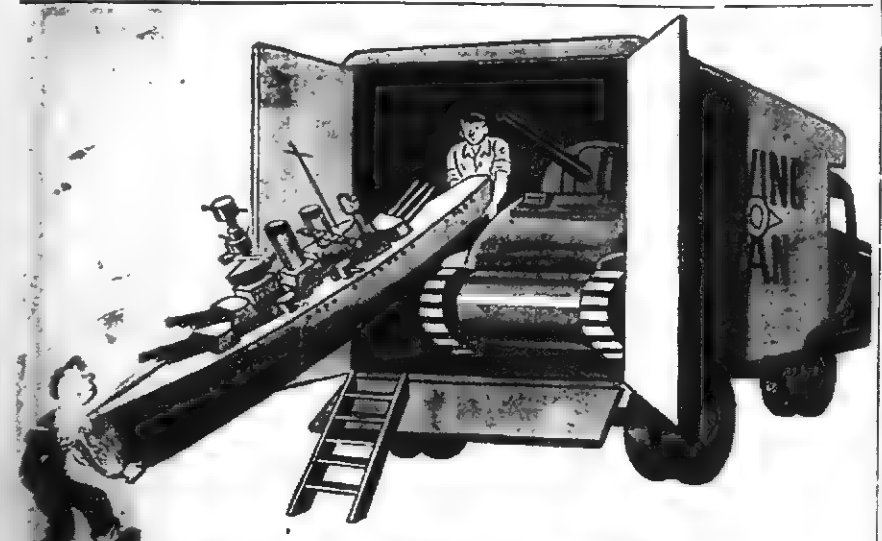

HOW MUCH TO MOVE A WAR ?

AS SOON as we can, we'll bring to bear on the Japs all the additional might we've been using against Germany.

What will it cost, this Moving Day of War?

Estimate it in these terms: The job of moving millions of men from one front to another. Thousands of ships to carry the supplies of battle. Swarms of new-type aircraft to blast the path into enemy territory.

You can get an idea of the cost from the fact that Uncle Sam needs 7 billions from us in the mighty Seventh War Loan—*now!*

The Seventh War Loan will call for the greatest bond-buying we have ever done.

If you have an income—whether from work, land or capital—you have a quota in the 7th War Loan.

FIND YOUR QUOTA . . . AND MAKE IT!		
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At home, your contribution to Victory is measured in dollars. The Seventh War Loan is the biggest in America's history because seven billion dollars must be raised *from individuals alone*. That means you must buy more and *bigger* War Bonds.

This is really two great loans in one; for this time last year you had been called upon twice to subscribe in War Loans. As our fighting men raise Old Glory all over the world—let's raise the money back home!

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How long will it take to beat JAPAN?

One Year? Three Years? Five Years? Look at these Facts... From the Army and Navy. Then Figure it Out for Yourself!

In spite of Midway, Bougainville, Tarawa, Saipan, Leyte, Manila, Iwo Jima, Okinawa, and all the other American victories, Japan now controls an area and population far larger than the United States, and with many natural resources greater than ours.

Her home islands are industrialized and organized to the last rivet, the last kilowatt of power, the last pair of human hands.

Japan can put in the field over 4,000,000 well-trained, battle-hardened troops, many with ten years of war behind them. This force is twice as large as all the German armies which defended France, the low countries and the Western front of the Reich against the combined armies of the United States, Britain, Canada and the Free French.

Back of these soldiers are more than 70 million civilians on the Jap home front, firmly indoctrinated in emperor worship—every man, woman and child ready and eager to die for the man they believe is a god.

Japan is fighting on "interior" lines. It's true that its fleet is now much smaller than ours. But never forget that the U. S. Navy *has a much bigger job to do.*

The Japs have stated, and no thinking man or woman doubts it, that they are prepared to sacrifice 10,000,000 men to hold their empire. To the Japanese, life is cheap. The emperor and the state mean everything—the individual, nothing.

If the war were to end tomorrow, Japan would have put the seal on a conquest greater than Napoleon's.

"But," you say, "the war with Japan won't end tomorrow."

Well, what about it? Will it end "tomorrow," or next month or next year, for you?

Are you planning to quit your war job, stop your blood donations, slacken your Bond buying, use more gas, have more fun, ease up generally?

Before you do, remember that many a gallant American boy, now vibrant with the breath of life, will die at the hands of the Japs.

How many?

Thousands? Certainly. *Hundreds of thousands?* Probably.

Well, how many?

That's up to you.

How you can help

1. Keep that war job!
2. Keep buying Bonds!
3. Keep doing all your country asks!

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Cumberland, Dunbar Win In Lonesome Pine

Dunbar Comes To St. Charles Sunday; Pennington At Jonesville

The Cumberland Kentuckians moved into second place in the Lonesome Pine League over the week-end; St. Charles, though idle because of rain, remained in top dot; while Jonesville, also idle because of rain, slipped out of second into third place.

Three very interesting contests are on schedule for next Sunday: Dunbar meets St. Charles at St. Charles for the first time this year; Pennington Gap will have their first encounter with Jonesville in a battle where considerable rivalry always existed; and Cumberland will pay their first visit with Oreton at Andover grounds in Wise County.

Gene Livingston, of St. Charles, has been appointed new president of the Lonesome Pine League by retiring President R. P. Stewart, who relieved himself of the position of director-in-chief because of pressing business which would not afford him sufficient time for the duties thereof. Stewart, however, will continue to visit throughout the league as a major league scout for Brooklyn and St. Louis.

The Pennington Gap club, although on the bottom at present, has secured the use of former Appalachian League Leeman Field in Pennington Gap on which to play their home games. Heretofore, they have been denied the use of the field.

Dunbar finally overcame Oreton in a revenge battle Sunday at Dunbar, the home club emerging on the top side of a 9 to 5 score, with Pitchers Morelock and Campbell holding the visitors to six scattered hits, while Dunbar rattled the boards for 14 hits. Junior Mabe went all the way for Oreton.

Red Young and Cowan led Dunbar's hitting with 3 for 4 each; Morelock had 3 for 5.

Cumberland defeated Pennington Gap in the opening affray on Leeman Field by a 7 to 1 score. Cumberland collected ten hits off Cox, who went the route for Pennington, with several miscues added in to aid their cause. Pennington collected seven hits off Wheelock. Yanoski led Cumberland's hitting with 3 for 5; Fawbush had 2 for 4. Reasor led Pennington with 2 for 4. Shelbourne hit a long triple in the first inning, later scoring on an outfield fly.

THE OFFICIAL STANDING

Team	W	L	Pct.
St. Charles	4	1	.800
Cumberland	4	2	.667
Jonesville	3	2	.600
Oreton	3	3	.500
Dunbar	3	3	.500
Pennington	0	6	.000

Petty Officer Elmer Cox At Jonesville On Leave

The perfect days of June will be doubly perfect for Elmer Cox, Petty Officer First Class, U. S. Navy, now that he is home on a 38-day leave after serving 15 months in the South Pacific.

Petty Officer Cox arrived Sunday to spend his alloted days of leave with his parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Bonham, of Jonesville, with whom his wife and little son are making their home. He will also visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Cox, at Portsmouth.

He has seen action in three major battles—Bougainville, Emiran, in the Bismarck Archipelago, and the Philippines. He is wearing the Asiatic-Pacific campaign ribbon with two stars, the Philippine Liberation campaign ribbon with one star, and the American theater of war campaign ribbon.

At the termination of his 38-day leave, he will report to San Diego, Calif., for Chief Commissary Steward School. His wife, Mrs. Virginia Bonham Cox, and little son, Richard Hugh, will return with him to California to make their home until he receives further orders.

Misses Mabel Esther and Mary Ruth Osborne, of Blackwater, and Sidney Simandle, St. Charles, received the degree of Bachelor of Arts at the annual commencement June 4, at Lincoln Memorial University. The Misses Osborne are graduates of Blackwater High School and Sidney Simandle is a graduate of St. Charles High School.

'Hollywood Premiere' To Feature Pennington Talent At Lee Theatre

A real premiere—just like in Hollywood — is to take place Wednesday at Lee Theatre, according to Manager Stewart, who states that Hollywood stars, impersonated by local talent, will provide the glamorous personages who will adorn the stage during the entertainment.

R. I. Browne, of San Francisco, known in entertainment circles as "Ace" (High) Browne, has arrived here to arrange for the premiere and to coach the various "stars" for their appearance here at a special late show.

To Spotlight "Celebrities"

The "celebrities" following the Hollywood custom will begin to arrive at the Lee Theatre in automobiles at 8 p. m., and flood lights will light the theatre entrance, while microphones and amplifiers will be used in introducing the guests as they alight from their cars to enter the theatre.

Some 40 to 50 "favorites" of the screen, stage and air are expected to be impersonated, including Judy Garland, Vivian Leigh, Gracie Allen, Martha Raye, Zazu Pitts, Greta Garbo, Ginger Rogers, Joan Davis, Kate Smith, Katherine Hepburn, Joan Blondell, Laurel and Hardy, Stepin Fetchit, Amos and Andy, Bing Crosby, Donald Duck, Betty Grable and many others, in singing musicians and all other talented persons of the community who will be selected to take part in this unusual presentation.

And the management has booked a special picture for this gala occasion.

Virginians Are Urged To Invest Deposits In Bonds

"E" Bond sales in the Seventh War Loan are lagging generally in the State, the War Finance Committee for Virginia announces, and they are asking banks to make an appeal to their depositors to invest some of their savings in War Bonds. Following is a copy of praragraphs taken from letters sent out by the Peoples National Bank of Lexington:

"Which will you have, $1,084.55 or $1,333.33 in ten years? Figure it out for yourself. If you have $1,000 in a savings account at 1% and do not withdraw the interest for ten years, it will amount to $1,084.55 after payment of the 2 mill tax. $1,000 invested in Series E Bonds will amount to $1,333.33 in the same time. You can earn $248.78 more on each $1,000 so invested.

"The Bonds can be instantly converted into cash if necessity demands it. As an investment, aside from the element of loyalty in helping finance the war, it appears to be good business sense to put a large part of your idle funds in War Bonds."

The banks of Virginia are bulging with money, the War Finance Committee points out, and if only a small percentage of these savings is invested in Series E. Bonds, our local communities will make their E quotas easily.

Deaths AND FUNERALS

Miss Margaret Carnes

Miss Margaret Carnes, familiarly known here as "Aunt Mag" died at the home of a relative in Washington, D. C., at the age of 90. Aunt Mag is the last member of the family of the late William Carnes and Martha Duff Carnes, who lived in the "Hickory Flats" community many years ago. They are said to have been one of the wealthiest and most influential families of their day, owning slaves, houses and lands and extensive farms.

Aunt Mag was educated at Sullins College at Bristol, and in her younger days was outstanding in music and public speaking. She lived many years in Pennington prior to going to Washington about three years ago, and while here was a regular attendant at the Methodist Church, of which she was a member, and was always in her class at Sunday School.

The body was brought here from Washington for funeral and burial, and was accompanied by her niece, Mrs. Alcesta Carnes, Washington, and a nephew, John H. Carnes, of Norfolk. Funeral services were held at the Methodist Church yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, and burial followed in the family cemetery in the Flats community, near the old home place.

John Talmadge Holmes

John Talmadge Holmes, 51, died at Lynchburg State Colony on June 7, 1945. The body was returned here for funeral and burial services, and was met at Bristol Wednesday morning by Estes & Cecil, Funeral Directors. He was taken to the home of his sister, Mrs. Judge Collins, at Keokee. Funeral services will be conducted today at Robbins Chapel.

Mrs. Collier states that she has lost two brothers and a brother-in-law by death within a year's time.

Memorial Service For Gold Star Servicemen

The Jonesville Baptist Church was filled Sunday, June 10, with relatives and friends gathered to honor the memory of three Jonesville boys who died defending our country. They are: Fred E. Lawson, wounded in action on the Anzio Beachhead May 27, 1944; died two days later, at the age of 19. Tom Fleenor, 24, killed in Germany January 2, 1944. Daine Parkey, killed in action in Germany April 17, 1945. He would have been 20 on the 25th day of this month.

The service was conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. C. Jackson. Music included a special quartette number, "Lead Kindly Light"; also a trio, "It won't Be Long, It May Be Soon", by the Collier family. The favorite hymn of each of the boys was sung and dedicated to their memory. Lawson loved the song, "When the Roll is Called Up Yonder"; Fleenor's favorite was "America the Beautiful"; while Parkey always loved to hear "On Jordan's Stormy Banks I Stand".

Large folder pictures of the three boys stood on the altar table in front of the pulpit, and by each picture stood an American flag. Between the table and pulpit was a large Cross, improvised with white flowers.

Slemp Named President Of Fraternal Americans

Lee County, which is giving the rest of its ninety-and nine sister counties of the Commonwealth a hot race in the promotion of its various lodges and fraternities, heading the list with Masonry, Odd Fellows, and the Order of Fraternal Americans, now has officers on the State staffs of each of these respective lodges, the latest being the very recent elevation of James Milam Slemp, of Ben Hur, from vice president to State president of the Order of Fraternal Americans of Virginia.

The Order Fraternal Americans of Virginia, Inc., is an affiliate of the National Council, Junior Order United American Mechanics of North America, and is a patriotic American fraternity that believes in America for Americans ,and now has a large membership.

Mr. Slemp, a member of Ben Hur Council No. 65, is the first member in Southwest Virginia ever to be elevated to the top State post in this organization. His council here was instituted in 1913.

Three other Southwest Virginians were admitted and elevated at the recent State meeting held in Richmond. Roy Rogers, of Ben Hur, was stepped up from State Outer Guard to State Warden; B. T. Thompson was elected on the state finance committee; and J. M. Robinson was elected on the state credentials committee.

RATION CALENDAR

Processed Foods.

Blue Stamps . . . N2, P2, Q2, R2, S2, now valid; expire June 30; T2, U2, V2, W2, X2, now valid; expire July 31. Y2, Z2, A.1, B1, C1, now valid; expire August 31; D1, E1, F1, G1, H1, now valid; expire September 30.

Meat and Fats:

Red Stamps . . . E2, F2, G2, H2, J2, now valid, expire June 30; K2, L2, M2, N2, P2, now valid; expire July 31; Q2, R2, S2, T2, U2, now valid; expire August 31; V2, W2, X2, Y2, Z2, now valid; expire September 30.

Sugar Stamp No. 36 . . . good for 5 pounds; expires August 31.

Shoes: Airplane Stamps Nos. 1, 2, and 3 now good.

Gasoline: A-15 coupons valid through June 21.

Farm Slaughterers File Before July 1

Farmers who slaughter or have animals slaughtered for sale as meat are reminded by OPA that they must obtain a Class 3 slaughterer's permit by filing a simple form with their War Price and Rationing Board, before July 1; even though they may not be slaughtering until next fall or winter.

A class 3 slaughterer is a resident operator of a farm, who sold not more than six thousand pounds of meat, resulting from slaughter his own livestock, last year.

Those who sold no dressed meat in 1944 may register with their Ration Boards and obtain a permit to market up to 400 pounds this year; but no permit is required to dress meat for the farmer's own home consumption, from livestock he has raised. Simple forms for reporting sales will be supplied to farmers when their permits are issued.

Johnson's Mill Man Wins Silver Star Medal Award

Staff Sgt. Harless Hammons, of Johnson's Mill, Va., has been awarded the Silver Star Medal, and well deserves it, according to information from Public Relations Office.

Harlass, serving with the Third Infantry Division, Seventh Army, in Austria, led four members of his platoon 100 yards toward an enemy-held building, when his company was temporarily halted by heavy enemy shell fire. He killed two Germans occupying a hole ten yards from the building, and a sentry who came to investigate the shooting.

Observing six more Germans leaving the building, he directed a volley of hand grenades that killed four more of the enemy. For almost half an hour S.-Sgt. Hammons' group held off a force of 20 Germans. When two of his men were wounded, he ordered a withdrawal, covering his men with tommy gun fire.

His father, Elijah Hammons, resides at Johnson's Mill, Va.

RATION BOOKS? —NOT FOR HIM!

Robert A. Couk, 28, Chief Commissary Steward aboard a destroyer in the Pacific, and Mrs. Robert Couk, who is the Commissary Steward in the Couk household at Jonesville, both have their food-buying problems, but of a widely different nature.

For instance, while Mrs. Couk is concerned with ration books and her food allotmants, her husband is not only "bringing in the bacon" but other foodstuffs by the ton, according to a news release from the Home Town Distribution Center, Chicago.

With West Coast produce markets more than 5,000 miles away, Couk "shops" through supply ships and depots. When he makes out a food requisition list, it's a long one—a six-week supply of provisions totaling 17 tons of fresh items and 25 tons of dry stores.

"I put in for a ton of butter and eggs," he estimates, "and for six tons of meat, including three of beef, each 45 days. On this we can feed steak to the crew three times a week."

Couk is a veteran of eight and a half years' Navy service, and virtually all this time has been spent in the Pacific. He served four years aboard the battleship "California", and was at Pearl Harbor in the Jap raid; three months on a converted yacht; a year on a troop transport; and then was assigned to this destroyer, which is 15 months out of the States.

On this cruise he has participated in the Marianas campaign, the invasion of the Palau Islands, the battle for Leyte Gulf, and the landings in Mindoro and Luzon in the Philippine Islands.

Prospects Encouraging "Down On The Farm"

"Things are looking good down on the farm," B. S. Sergent, a farmer residing near Jonesville, reported today. He said the blue mold on tobacco plants had been checked considerably, and the plants now looking thrifty.

Corn, he said, is having a bit too much rain, but despite it all is growing fine, and the gardens are looking wonderful.

The first flame throwers on record was used at Delium in 424 B.C. ,and consisted of a hollow tree trunk attached to the lower end of which was a basin filled with glowing coals, sulphur and pitch. A bellows blew the flame from this pipe in the form of a jet.

FUGATE — SHANDNICH

Miss Maurine Fugate, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Fugate, of Ewing, was married to M. Sgt. Joseph J. Shandnich, son of Mrs. Annie Shandnich, Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Wednesday afternoon June 13. The wedding took place in the First Baptist Church of Middlesboro, with the Rev. Marvan Adams, pastor, officiating.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. A program of wedding music was arranged by Mrs. D. T. Miles, Jr., which included Schubert's "Serenade", "Ave Marie", Handel's "Largo", "Melody of Love", "Because", "I Love You Truly", and Wagner's Wedding March.

The bride wore a street length dress of aqua crepe, with accessories of white, and a corsage of white roses arranged in a gold lace frill. Her only attendant was Mrs. L. D. McDaniel, of Ewing and Gate City. She wore a white dress with frosty lace trim, and a large picture hat to match, with a corsage of rosebuds. Bacon Fugate, brother of the bride, was best man.

Mrs. Shandnich graduated from West Hampton, Richmond, Va., and did post-graduate work at the University of Virginia. The groom has been in service four and one-half years and has served overseas fourteen months. He is now stationed at Richmond, Va., for which place the couple left immediately after the ceremony.

The wedding marked the twenty-seventh anniversary of the bride's parents.

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Town Talk

About This, That, And The Other

You may have lots of money
Or be without a dime;
You may be praised by millions
Or hooted every time.
You may be bright or stupid,
Rate folks' pity or their pride,
But it ain't what's on the surface—
It's what you are inside.

You may be awful handsome,
Or so ugly it's a shame;
You may have friends by the hundred
Or not a one you can claim;
Your garments may be costly,
Or so worn they show your hide—
Yet it ain't what's on the surface,
It's what you are inside.

This old world is full of people
Who find all the faults they kin,
By scratching on the surface,
But never dig within.
Do your best, and when you've passed on
To the Judge who'll have you tried,
He'll skip what's on the surface,
And count what's down inside.

In Happened In Pennington Gap

A pastor in Pennington Gap—Rev. Mehaffey, to be definite—stopped in the shadow of the culvert on the east end of Pennington. He drew a bottle from a box on the ground nearly, and was about to put it to his lips when W. D. Harr and Bill Richards came along.

"Say, boys," Mehaffey said, "how about a drink—just this once?"

"Sure," they agreed, and Mehaffey handed them a bottle each. Just then Rev. Stubbs came along and likewise he was invited to join in.

"Well," he began slowly, "I

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Mrs. Combs Injured With Mowing Scythe

Mrs. C. T. Combs, wife of former Republican candidate for Clerk of the County Court, dismissed from Lee General Hospital Monday after a few days' confinement due to an accident at the hands of her husband.

The two had gone to gather plums on their farm. Mr. Combs was laying the weeds low with a mowing scythe. Mrs. Combs by some means stepped in the way of the scythe just in time to receive a full blow, which almost severed the left foot. She calmly directed her husband to remove her apron and tear it into bandages, and to wrap it tightly about her leg to check the flow of blood, then bring her to the hospital. The foot was saved and Mrs. Combs is reported getting along fine.

C. B. Hines Attends Funeral Of Relative

C. B. "Doc" Hines, proprietor of Lee Drug, attended the funeral of his cousin, Roy S. Maiden, held in Bristol, Wednesday, June 20. Services were from the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Maiden, on Wallace Pike. Burial was in Shelby Hill Cemetery.

Mr. Maiden died Saturday night, June 16, at Birmingham, Ala., from a heart attack.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S Weather Bureau report for the week ending June 17, 1945, for Lee County, furnished by Cam J. Lewis, official observer:

Date	Temperature		Rainfall
	Highest	Lowest	Inches
11	83	60	.00
12	81	60	.51
13	82	59	.15
14	87	59	.00
15	89	60	.10
16	88	62	.00
17	87	58	.19

Three Clubs Tie For L P League Leadership

St. Charles, Jonesville, Cumberland In Battle For Top Supremacy

Manager Sam Riddle's Dunbar Riddlers riddled "King Tut" Stapleton's league-leading St. Charles Miners 10 to 4 at St. Charles Sunday to create a three-way tie in the Lonesome Pine circuit, Jonesville advancing into the three-way knotted affair as the Miners faltered for their second time this year.

Next Sunday calls for some very exciting contests throughout the entire circuit. St. Charles goes to Dunbar; Jonesville invades Leeman Field at Pennington Gap; while Oreton will journey to Benham to play Cumberland a double-header, making up a rained-out game this week.

Dunbar annexed 13 hits, coupled with 12 errors, to defeat St. Charles. Morelock and Stanley led their batting parade with 3 hits each for 5 trips, with Riggs and Cowans collecting two each. Holman and Pannell led St. Charles with 2 for 3 each, followed by Stallard, Duncan and Collins with 2 each for 4 in the 11-hit attack by St. Charles.

Wacks started on the mound for St. Charles, giving away to Holman in the third inning. Stanley went the route for Dunbar.

Jonesville and Pennington Gap had a nip and tuck affair at Jonesville, with the Hortoneers defeating the Gap boys 7 to 5. Wooliver started on the slab for Pennington Gap, allowing Jonesville but one hit with the fifth, when he was relieved by Cox, who pitched scoreless ball for the remaining innings. Ben Bowen went the route for Jonesville, allowing 7 hits.

Graham led Jonesville's hitting with 2 for 5. T. Smith, Johnson and Wooliver collected two each for Pennington.

Cumberland and Oreton, scheduled to play at Andover, took a holiday because of rain. They will play a double bill at Cumberland next Sunday.

St. Charles and Cumberland will play a special Independence Day game at Benham on July 4th, which will be a part of a celebration. The game will be broadcast over one or more radio stations.

THE OFFICIAL STANDING

	W	L	Pct.
St. Charles	4	2	.667
Cumberland	4	2	.667
Jonesville	4	2	.667
Dunbar	4	3	.555
Oreton	3	3	.500
Pennington	0	7	.000

Daine Parkey Awarded Posthumous Purple Heart

The final tribute was paid Pfc. Daine Overland Parkey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parkey, of Jonesville, when they received the Purple Heart last Friday, awarded him posthumously.

Pfc. Parkey was killed in action in Germany on April 17, 1945. He already held the Good Conduct Medal, the Combat Infantryman Badge, and the Middle European Defense Ribbon.

NOTICE TO U. S. NAVY, MARINE, COAST GUARD PERSONNEL OVERSEAS, OR THEIR FAMILIES

A new postal regulation, effective July 1, 1945, provides that new subscriptions, or renewals of current subscriptions, addressed to Navy, Marine or Coast Guard personnel, through Fleet Post Offices at New York and San Francisco, may not be accepted by any newspaper, after July 1, 1945, unless a written request is made by the prospective subscriber, which written request must be retained by The Powell Valley News, for inspection by post office officials, at their pleasure.

Which means . . .

The Powell Valley News may accept a new, or renewal, subscription to The Powell Valley News, for a Navy, Marine or Coast Guard serviceman, to be sent through the Fleet Post Office, New York or San Francisco, without restriction, only to and through June 30, 1945.

Beginning July 1, 1945, and thereafter, we may accept such subscriptions, or renewals, only when we have a written request from the addressee for the subscription, and the request must be in such form that The Powell Valley News may retain it, indefinitely, in the office, for inspection by any post office official, at his pleasure, if and when he might calls at The Powell Valley News office, for that purpose.

Which means again . . . if you want to send The Powell Valley news to a Navy, Marine or Coast Guardsman, overseas, better attend to it before July 1, regardless of whether his subscription expires now or later

NINETEEN PASS JUNE PRE-INDUCTION EXAMS FROM LOCAL BOARD

Selective Service Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va., reports the following registrants who passed their physical examinations in the June 13 pre-induction call.

Charles Emory Dillmon, Ewing; Wilmer Glenn Parsons, Jonesville; Gleese Carson Williams, Jonesville; Elmo Ralph Collier, Pennington Gap; Luther Ray Collingsworth, Blackwater; Tip Jonie Montgomery, Detroit, Mich.; Clyde Earnest Johnson, Route 1, Blackwater; Gano David Williams, Gibson Station; Tim Ely Mise, Glen Burnie, Md.; Milford Bruce Fleenor, Hubbard Springs; Charles Eugene Depew, Hubbard Springs; Hollis Gene Daugherty, Jonesville; Paul Neal Barber, Jonesville; Henry Ford Snodgrass, Rose Hill; James Howard Brumer, Harlan, Ky.; Lester Lowe, Annapolis, Md.; Harbon Gibson Brown, Pathfork, Ky.; Hugh Vanoy Crumley, Middle River, Md.; Ray Roscoe Neeley, Jonesville.

Mrs. Ollie Shufflebarger left today for Dryden for her annual summer's visit with her sister.

WINS BRONZE STAR

M. SGT. FRED E. JOHNSTON

Master Sergeant Fred E. Johnston, son of Mrs. Alpha McConnell, of Jonesville, Route 3, entered the Coast Artillery Corps of the U. S. Army June 3, 1940, and received his basic training at Fort Monroe, Va.

He was sent overseas in January, 1944, and served as a battalion sergeant-major in France, Belgium and Holland, and is now in Germany. His efficient and untiring work has been of great value to his unit in forging its brilliant record of success. Despite adverse field conditions that constantly hampered his efforts, Sgt. Johnson effectively handled his imporant administrative duties. His outstanding performance of duty reflects great credit upon himself and the armed forces.

He was awarded the Bronze Star Medal in November, 1944.

COUNTY WOOL SOLD LEE FARMERS' CO-OPERATIVE ASSN.

Taken Up June 13 At Fair Grounds, Pennington

The sheep growers of Lee County sold their 1945 shearing through the Lee County Cooperative, it being taken up on Wednesday, June 13, at the Fair Grounds at Pennington Gap.

The wool was consigned to the United Wool Growers Association, with headquarters at Harrisonburg, Va. Lee farmers sold 8,106 pounds of wool at this sale for an advanced payment of 50 cents per pound, with an anticipated final payment of 2½ to 3 cents per pound when wool is finally appraised by Commodity Credit Corporation.

Two More Local Boys Are At Home To Stay

Added to the list of soldiers receiving their "well done" plaudits, and released under the point system, are John Rhea, of Pennington Gap, and Legette Oaks, of Ocoonita, Va.

Rhea served as Technician 3 in the U. S. Army for four years and three months, and was in Europe about three years. He is the son of Mrs. Pearl Rhea, and arrived at his home Saturday, June 16. John says he will "rest and relax" awhile before deciding just what he shall do with himself.

Oaks is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Oaks, of Ocoonita. He has spent most of his five years of service in the Southwest Pacific, with the U. S. Aircraft Corps.

THEY'RE HERE!

They're here — back in the "land of the free" again, after being liberated from war prison camps in Germany. Among those we have reports from are:

Lt .W. C. (Bill) Jones, of Benedict. Lt. Jones served fifteen months as a war prisoner, and when he returned home last week he found a "bran new" friend awaiting him—his 13-months-old son whom he had never seen.

Lt. Wayne W. Livesay, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Livesay, arrived home Friday, June 15, and the following day observed his 23rd birthday anniversary, as well as a special dinner in honor of his return and his birthday. Lt. Livesary was held prisoner since last August.

Staff Sgt. Fred Stewart says the Germans "did a plenty" to him while in prison, but adds that he has "plenty of fight" left, and is anxious to return and get a whack at the Japs.

Sgt. Andy Stanley was held prisoner for a long time, but is now enjoying the freedom of life on the farm of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Stanley, of Stickleyville.

Pvt. Eugene Clark was one of the first liberated prisoners to arrive home. His parents reside on Route 1, Pennington Gap.

Cpl. Clyde Hobbs, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Hobbs, is back home well and happy, after undergoing many months of prison life at the hands of the Germans.

Sgt. Wm. (Bill) Hamm, Jr., of Woodway, was among the first of our local boys to be captured and imprisoned by the Germans, but that, too, is in the past, and he's home again.

Pvt. Tom Housley was a Pennington Gap boy at the time he was reported prisoner several months ago. His parents now live at Fountain City, Knoxville, and we understand that Tom is on his way rejoicing.

Pvt. Claude Graham had been in service but a short time when a German prison camp fenced him in, but he, too, is now at home, well and happy. He is the son of Rev. and Mrs. James Graham ,of Norton, and a brother

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MIGHTY SEVENTH WAR LOAN SALE LAGS BADLY

Hon. T. B. Fugate, Lee County War Finance Chairman, says that he "has a sad story to tell us". The story is that to date the Mighty Seventh War Loan Drive in the county is far in arrears.

With a quota of $290,000 to meet in E Bonds, only $170,000 has been sold, leaving a balance of $120,000 to sell within the next ten days if we are to save our established record of meeting our quotas.

However, Mr. Fugate says that much can be accomplished in ten days; that often the best work is done during the last days of a Bond drive, and if citizens will become Bond-conscious, and the workers step up their efforts, our E Bond quota can yet be met—if not exceeded.

Circuit Court Of Lee County Will Adjourn

Pennington, Jonesville Lions Clubs Elect New Officers For Coming Year

At the regular meeting, Thursday evening, June 14, Pennington Gap Lions Club elected officers who will assume the responsibility for directing the Club, for better or for worse, for the next twelve-month period beginning July 1. They are as follows:

President, Rev. P. R. Stubbs; first vice president, Montague Anderson; second vice president, Frank Parr; third vice president, Jake Chinsky; secretary-treasurer, Rev. W. B. Moore; Lion tamer, Jack Peace; tail twister, Elmo David. New directors elected: Frank F. Gibson and R. C. Parsons.

Officers of the Club who will retire on July 1, after piloting the Club through a very successful year, follow:

President, R. G. Pugh; first vice president, Charlie Denison (resigned); second vice president, Rev. P. R. Stubbs; third vice president, Montague Anderson; W. B. Moore, who succeeds himself as secretary-treasurer; Lion tamer, Frank Parr; tail twister, Jack Pearce. Directors: Sam C. Blackwell and Guy A. Kauffman.

Jonesville Lions Club

New officers elected at the regular meeting held Tuesday evening, June 5, for the Jonesville Lions Club for the ensuing year beginning July 1, are:

President, J. A. Rosenbaum; first vice president, W. M. Bellamy; second vice president, O. M. Hyatt; third vice president, Carl W. Green; secretary-treasurer, C. T. Roop; Lion tamer, D. L. Willis; tail twister, Ben Davidson. New directors: W. L. Davidson and C. H. Davidson.

Retiring officers who have had charge de affaires for the very progressive past twelve months: President, Carl W. Green; first vice president, C. P. Roop; second vice president, O. M. Hyatt; third vice president, W. M. Bellamy; secretary-treasurer, J. A. Rosenbaum; Lion tamer, L. D. Perkins; tail twister, Ben Davidson. Directors: Dr. T. B. Ely and Joe P. Lyle.

First Lamb Sale Of Season Tops $15.70

The first lamb sale of the season in Lee County was held at the Ewing Stockyards, Ewing, Va. ,Wednesday, June 13, when 200 lambs were sold at very attractive prices, as follows:

72 choice lambs, averaging 91 pounds each, $15.70 per cwt.

72 good lambs, averaging 85 pounds each, $14.95 per cwt.

21 medium lambs, averaging 81 pounds each, $13.80 per cwt.

5 choice buck lambs, averaging 102 pounds, $15.50 per cwt.

23 good buck lambs, averaging 98 pounds each, $15.25 per cwt.

6 medium buck lambs, averaging 87 pounds, $14.75 per cwt.

1 65-lb. common lamb, $15.00.

J. D. Bryson Sentenced To Serve Three Years In State Penitentiary

Lee County Circuit Court, which officially opened June 4, at Jonesville, was scheduled to adjourn today, Commonwealth's Attorney Robert B. Ely said. The first few days were taken up in the hearing of civil cases, and later misdemeanor and criminal cases, some of them of long standing, were tried.

In the case of Commonwealth vs. J. D. Bryson, charged with the malicious wounding of Clifton Snodgrass, Bryson was found guilty and given a three-year sentence in the state penitentiary. The affair took place in Pennington Gap, June 6, 1942, near the bus terminal, then in the Shelburne Building, when Snodgrass, who was a bus driver, was loading his bus.

His contention was that Bryson was too drunk to ride and refused to let him on the bus, whereupon Bryson became enraged and slashed him (Snodgrass) several times with a knife. Bryson claimed that Snodgrass was cross and wouldn't let him on the bus, and attacked him first. Bryson was represented by L. M. Robinette.

Ora Speers was acquitted of the charge of maliciously wounding Cleveland M. Reasor, in the Fall of 1944. Speers and Reasor became involved in an alterncation near Reasor's barn, at his farm home near the intersection of the Woodway - Dryden road, three miles east of Dryden, and Speers was charged with striking Reasor in the head with a hammer. The jury found him not guilty.

Commonwealth's Attorney Ely represented the claimant, Guy A. Kauffman the defendant.

Anderson Kersey was tried on a charge of shooting and maliciously wounding Claude Wilder in the summer of 1944. Kersey's defense was that he caught Wilder in his watermelon patch, but Wilder claimed that he and some other boys were passng along a farm road next to the field where the patch was.

The verdict in the case was "not guilty", and Kersey was acquitted. The Commonwealth was assisted by Senator L. M. Robinette; the defendant represented by W. L. Davidson. The affair occurred in the Beech Springs section.

The case of the most particular interest was that of the Commonwealth vs. Ben Flair and others, charged with having killed Harve Palmer in the summer of 1940, near Calvin, Va. Palmer's throat was cut and he was left dead on the mountainside.

Commonwealth's Attorney Ely introduced considerable testimony, and finally asked for mistrial and nolle prossed the case. The Commonwealth was assisted by Attorney Fred E. Greear, of Norton. Defendants were represented by L. M. Robinette and W. L. Davidson.

Mrs. Christine Bowman left Wednesday for Richmond, Va., where she has accepted a position with the du Pont plant.

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These are six of the many soldiers enjoying freedom again with home folk, relatives and friends, after undergoing the ordeals of German prison camps. See column "They're here" in this issue.

With Our Service Men

Pfc. Eldridge Wears Decorations

Pfc. Roy M. Eldridge, son of Mrs. Grace Eldridge, Route 1, Jonesville, Va., is a member of the First Battalion of the Third Division's 15th Regiment, which has been awarded the Presidential Unit Citation for its action south of Montolimar during the Seventh Army's lightning drive up the Rhone valley from Southern France.

Pfc. Eldridge is entitled to wear the Distinguished Unit Badge, a blue ribbon with gold frame, over his right breast pocket. As a member of the Third Division he is also entitled to wear the Croix de Guerre awarded to the Third by General Charles de Gaulle for the division's work in the Vosges Mountains and Colma pocket campaign. The Third is the only division awarded the coveted cord of honor in this war.

Earl C. Johnston Promoted

Promotion of Earl C. Johnston, 23-year-old Pennington Gap pilot on an Eighth Air Force B-17 Flying Fortress, from the rank of second lieutenant to first lieutenant has been announced by Colonel Nicholas T. Perkins, of San Antonio, Texas, commanding officer of the 94th Bomb. Group.

Lt. Johnston is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Johnston, of Route 2, Pennington Gap. He was payroll clerk before enlisting in the Army Air Forces.

Pfc. Lundy In Signal Service

Pfc. Roscoe L. Lundy, of Pennington Gap, is one of the Army experts in the quick rebuilding and operation of everything from the old party telephone line cranked by hand to modern 100-line telephone land and marine cables. He is with a Signal Service Company in France.

Lt. Payne Is Transferred

First Lieutenant Arnold P. Payne, of Pennington Gap, Physical Fitness Officer, Pre-flight School, of the San Antonio Aviation Cadet Center, Texas, has been transferred to Maxwell Army Air Field, Montgomery, Ala., following conversion of the Cadet Center into an Army Air Forces Personnel Distribution Center for combat returnees.

Sgt. Johnson Given Purple Heart

Sgt. Joe Johnson, of Route 1, Jonesville, has been awarded the Purple Heart for injuries suffered in action against the enemy in Western Europe on April 7, in Germany, it has been announced.

Sgt. Johnson, a section chief in the 16th Armored F. A. Bn., took part in the Ninth Armored Division's outstanding part in the Battle of the Bulge, where it was commended for its fighting by the commanders of the two armies, three corps and four divisions. Later, the Ninth Armored was applauded by the entire Allied world for its spectacular capture of the first bridge across the Rhine at Remagen. Johnson is the husband of Mrs. Joe Johnson, who resides at Jonesville, Rt. 1.

Another Promotion For Sgt. Parks

L. C. Parks, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Parks, of St. Charles, has recently been promoted from the rank of sergeant to that of staff sergeant. He is serving under MacArthur on Luzon, has been overseas 40 months and has 94 points. He is in the Quartermaster Corps.

Combat Infantryman Badge For Dryden Soldier

Pvt. Howard E. Grace, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Grace, of Dryden, has been awarded the Combat Infantryman Badge for his participation with the 151st Infantry, 38th Division, in action against the enemy on Luzon. He also holds the Philippine Liberation ribbon and the Asiatic-Pacific ribbon with one campaign star.

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News From HAGAN

Sgt. Lester Hensley is spending a 30-day furlough here with his wife and parents.

Walter and George Hamblin, of Sampson, Ky., were visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Ely and family last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanders Grable and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gill Hensley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Carey, of Knoxville, Tenn., were visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ely, Sunday.

Byrd Hensley, of the U. S. Marines, is spending a thirteen-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gill Hensley and family.

Mrs. Earl Thomas and Miss Anna Ruth Irwin were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ingle, of Hubbard Springs, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sumner and children are visiting his father in Ohio.

Miss Marie Hobbs Directs School "Puppet Show"

The Daily Preview, published at Clifton Forge, where Miss Marie Hobbs, formerly of Pennington Gap, is teacher in the Moody School, gives the following interesting account of an entertainment presented by students of the Fifth Grade, under Miss Hobbs' supervision:

"The program was a puppet show, portraying the story of Cinderella. The puppets and all the scenery and props used were made by the pupils of the fifth grade, under the direction of Miss Hobbs. The work not only elicited praise, but surprise that such good work could be done by the students."

Miss Hobbs is a niece of M. H. VanDeventer, of Pennington Gap, and formerly taught in Pennington High School. She created much interest in her talent for hand work, and in her ability of teaching it to her pupils.

The U. S .Navy is using search lights so powerful that they can shoot a beam of light through 23 miles of inky darkness.

The daughter of the U. S. Commissioner of Patents, Annie Elsworth, chose the words: "What hath God wrought!" for the first commercial telegraph message sent in 1844.

LEE HAS IT
Middlesboro, Ky.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 24 day of May, 1945.

Robert Flanary ..... Complainant
Vs. Order of Publication
Allie Bruce Flanary. Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce A Vinculo Matrimonii on grounds of desertion for more than statutory period.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Allie Bruce Flanary is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and last known address is 522 Sequoyah Drive, Kingsport, Tenn., it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste: D. C. Sewell, Jr., Clerk
By: Charles N. Haws, D. C.
p. q. Guy A. Kauffman.
advertisement 22-4t

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 17 day of March, 1945.

Evelyn Fleenor .....Complainant
Vs. Order of Publication
Lawrence Fleenor.....Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce on grounds of Desertion and Adultery.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Lawrence Fleenor is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address is Lebannon, Ohio, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste: D. C. Sewell, Jr., Clerk.
By Charles N. Haws, D. C.
p. q. Vance S. King
advertisement 22-4t pd.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 11th day of June, 1945.

Fred J. Conatser.....Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Motie Maddie Conatser
..... Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce A Vinculo Matriminii. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Motie Maddie Conatser, is non-resident of the State of Virgina, and her last known address is Monterey, Tennessee, c-o Lee Maddie, it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newsppaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p. q. Guy A. Kauffman.
Adv. No. 24-4t.

News From FLATWOOD

Mrs. Eric Winters left for her home in Knoxville this week. She has been spending several days here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Chance.

Mrs. John W. Laningham entered the University of Tennessee this week. Mrs. Laningham will take courses leading to a Master's degree in Home Economics.

Miss Georgia Jones, English teacher at Flatwood, left this week for Oak Ridge, Tenn., where she will be employed.

Miss Evelyn Suttle, who is commercial teacher in Middlesboro, Ky., is now working at Oak Ridge, Tenn.

Almost 6,000,000 pairs of Army shoes were rebuilt by the Quartermaster Corps last year.

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News From
BURKHART'S CHAPEL

(For week of June 14)

Clint Woodard, who is employed at Oak Ridge, Tenn., visited relatives here over the week-end.

A Memorial Service was held at the cemetery here Sunday, conducted by Rev. C. R. McPherson and Rev. Estes Cornette.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Parsons and children, of Robbins Chapel, visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Estes Cornette, Dartmont, Ky., spent the week-end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Crusenberry and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Ermine Alsup and son, of Poor Valley, visited relatives here Sunday.

Pfc. Henry C. Woodard, who served thirteen months overseas and was wounded last November, has returned to the States and is spending a 30-day furlough with home folk.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Barker and little son spent the week-end at Imboden with Mrs. Barker's parents.

Rev. Tom Boring, of Kentucky, preached at the Methodist Church here Friday night.

Miss Blanche Pennington was visiting Mrs. Bessie Bailey, at Monarch, last week.

Mrs. Otis Walker and Miss Helen Penley, of Berwyn, Md., are spending their vacation with home folk here.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Woodard made a business trip to Pennington, Saturday.

NOTICE

Persons having claims against the estate of George Kempton Hyten (commonly known as Kemp Hyten or Hyden), deceased, are hereby required to present same to Walter R. Pennington, Administrator of said Estate, and all persons indebted to said estate are required to settle the same at once.

Walter R. Pennington, Administrator of the Estate of George Kempton Hyten. Address: Roller Building, Pennington Gap, Virginia.
Adv. No. 24-4t.

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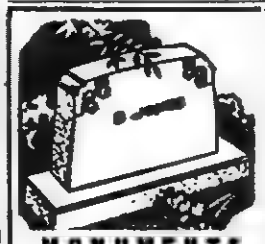
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News From
JONESVILLE

Route Two

(For week of June 14)

Staff. Sgt. Ken W. Andis is spending a 30-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Andis, and sister, Mrs. U. R. Waddell, of Bristol, Va.

Miss Boots M. Lanning, of Baltimore, Md., spent last week with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Andis, Jr.

Mr. Dave Fleenor has been very ill for the past week.

Everyone enjoyed the church services and Bible School held here by Rev. Knicely and Rev. Henry Stewart.

Mrs. Stella Presley is spending a few days with her husband, William Presley, in Baltimore, Md., where he is employed.

Mrs. James Collins has been ill for the past few days.

Nida Ann Bewell, Knoxville, Tenn., is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Mason.

Mr. Thomas Shell, Jr., employed at Kingsport, Tenn., was visiting his wife ,Roberta, and son, Darrel, over the week-end.

Approximately $50,000,000,000 will be spent by the U. S. Navy during 1945 — half for ships, planes, ordnance, shore facilities and supply items.

News From
BENEDICT

Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Andis announce the birth of twin babies —a boy and a girl—born Sunday, June 10th. The girl has been named Phyllis Ann and the boy Dickie Wayne.

Misses Gldays and Ima Jean Johnson, of T.J., Ky., were visiting relatives here last week.

Mrs. Myrl Feese, of New York, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Elsie Holman, and family, of Benedict.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Scarborough and daughter, Frances, of Monarch, were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Scarborough.

Mrs. Mae Woodard and children ,of St. Charles, visited Mrs. Jeff Stapleton and family Friday.

Mrs. Dave Kilby visited relatives at Ewing, Wednesday.

Miss Sarah McPherson, of Baltimore, visited her sister, Mrs. Dexter Ward, and family here last week.

Tom Yates ,of Harriman, spent last week here with his brother, Walter Yates, and family.

Mrs. Cordie Holman, of Kingsport, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ray Allen, and family, of this place.

Walter Yates and daughter, Jean, and Mrs. Lucille Hall made a business trip to Harlan, Ky., on Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Beulah Terry, of Ben Hur, visited here Monday with Mrs. Marie Baltimore.

Mrs. Cassie Estep and Mrs. Beulah Estep, of Calvin, and Mrs. Ocie Smith, of Detroit, all visited relatives here last week.

Mrs. Laura Thomas, of Rose Hill, visited her brother, W. W. Hargraves, and family, here last week.

Mrs. Lenotine Vanzant and children, of Oak Ridge, visited relatives here last Tuesday.

Jim Shackleford spent last week visiting relatives at Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Blevins and family spent last week-end visiting relatives at Morristown, Tenn.

Mrs. Ralph Harber and little daughter, of Stone Creek, was visiting her mother, Mrs. Bill Akers, and family here last week.

James Estep, of the U. S. Navy, has been visiting his sisters here, Mrs. Lennie Blevins and Mrs. Marie Baltimore.

Mrs. Carnel Smith and children, of Jonesville, were visiting relatives here on Monday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Shoupe and family spent last week-end visiting relatives at Jellico, Tenn.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 25 day of May, 1945.

ESTELLE BAILEY and W. T. BAILEY ..... Complainants.

Vs. Order of Publication

OLIN JOHNSON, KERMIT D. GRAHAM, ZELMA GRAHAM STONE, FERN GRAHAM RUSSELL, J. B. JOHNSON, ROY P. JOHNSON, HERBERT JOHNSON, CARL J. JOHNSON, BURL JOHNSON, LUTHER QUENTIN JOHNSON and HERBERT JOHNSON, Administrator of the Estate of J. F. Johnson, Deceased....Defendants

The object of this suit is to partition the lands of which J. F. Johnson died seized and possessed, and to settle the estate of said J. F. Johnson and settle the accounts of Herbert Johnson, Administrator. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the following defendants, are non-residents of the State of Virginia, and their last known address is: Pfc. Luther Q. Johnson, No. 33156584, 518th Quarter Master (Car) Co., A. P. O. 958 care of Postmaster, San Francisco, California; Cpl. Kermit D. Graham, No. 33696166, 911th Ord. H. A. M. Co., A. P. O. 33, care of Postmaster, New York, N. Y.; Pvt. Carl J. Johnson, Medical Sextion C. A. S. C. Unit 1938, Fort McDowell, California; Zelma Graham Stone, 1405 Cypress St. West Monroe, Louisiana; Fern Graham Russell, 10 Skiff Street, Willoughby, Ohio; it is ordered that they appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendants at their last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste: D. C. Sewell, Jr., Clerk.
By: Charles N. Haws, D. C.
p. q. Fred B. Greear
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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 7th day of June, 1945.

Ernest Clyde Collins ..... Complainant

vs. Order of Publication

Cecelia Allen Collins....Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce on grounds of desertion for more than 2 years. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Cecelia Allen Collins, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address is 107 Cogswell Ave., Indian Head, Maryland, it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p. q. G. A. Kauffman.
Adv. No. 24-4t.

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Adv. No. 25-tf.

NOTICE

Persons having claims against the estate of A. G. Hyatt, deceased, are hereby notified to present same to F. K. Hyatt, Administrator of the estate of said A. G. Hyatt, and all persons indebted to said estate, are requested to settle indebtedness at once.

F. K. Hyatt
Administrator of the Estate of A. G. Hyatt, deceased. Jonesville, Va.
advertisement 22-4t. pd.

News From
HUNTER'S GAP

Route Three

(For week of June 14)

Rev. Jennings filled Rev. L. D. Perkins' appointment here Sunday.

Several from here attended the singing convention at Big Stone Gap, Sunday, June 10.

Mrs. Bobbie Collins and daughter, Nina Jean, and brother-in-law, Ottie, visited Mr .and Mrs. H. P. Russell and family, Sunday.

Roy Watson and Patricia Dandridge entertained each other playing croquet, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Ramsey and daughter, Charlene; Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Watson and son, Fred; Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Watson visited Miss Cora Watson, Sunday.

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Treasurer Of Lee County

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Gumbatsu is the name the Japanese give to the clique of high ranking soldiers, industrialists, wealthy landowners and members of the imperial household. The Gumbatsu control Japan absolutely.

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GREET THEM WITH WAR BONDS DURING THE REMAINING 10 DAYS OF THE MIGHTY SEVENTH!

Local Piano Pupils Play In National Audition

On Thursday, June 14, nineteen music pupils of Miss Cora Lewis went to Knoxville by way of school bus to participate in the National Piano Playing Audition.

These auditions were held in the Fort Saunders Presbyterian Church, with Mrs. Louise Godfrey Ogle, of Asheville, N. C., serving as judge. Mrs. Ogle is a composer of music for not only the piano, but for organ and voice as well.

The National Piano Playing Auditions constitute an annual event in the United States wherein piano pupils have the privilege of appearing before and playing for a well-qualified judge who grades his performance and attests his fitness to receive the Guild Award for which he is a candidate.

The Guild Awards are certificates of honor, and diplomas, planned by the National Guild of Piano Teachers, U.S.A., and are worthy goals toward which their pupils should strive from year to year as they advance in their piano study.

Approximately 15,000 pupils of 2,000 teachers, in 152 cities from Maine to California and from Mexico to Canada participate annually in the national auditions.

The pupils, of whom we are quite proud, who participated from our town are the following: Ruth Hilton, Mildred Kelly, Millard Hale Robbins, Nancy Lee Anderson, Billy Shelton, Dortha Fry, Shirley King, Peggy Anderson, Joyce Jean Livesay, Suzanne David, L. T. Stewart, Eugene Mehaffey, Albert Mahaffey, Nancy Stout, Delano Dew, Ben Ellis Pitts, Jane Robbins, Sarita Couk, and Davene Wainscott.

News From ROSE HILL

A large crowd attended Decoration services at Thomas Cemetery last Sunday. A sermon was preached by Rev. Tip Parkey, of Rose Hill. Decoration is held each year the third Sunday in June.

Jimmie Surgeoner is improving after a long illness.

Willie Mae Hopkins spent the week-end with her cousin, Anna B. Snodgrass, of near Jonesville.

Among those visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Surgeoner Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hopkins, Mr. and Mrs. Max Yeary and son, Jackie; Mr. and Mrs. Columbus Jerrell, Elmer Fee and daughter, Wanda, and Mrs. O. M. Yeary.

Cleo Gollahon has come in from the Army.

TOWN TALK

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don't make a habit of drinking, but . . . ."

"Oh, come on," they all insisted; and Stubbs yielded.

About that time they looked across the street to see Mr. Overbay coming toward them, and to him also they extended the invitation.

"Sure," he said; "I can take a little drink once in a while."

And so they all drank—some grapettes that were left over from the picnic supper.

"Moss"

Moss has taken up his abode at the home of Mrs. T. H. Hargraves and Marguerite. Although he's colored, he makes himself at home; sits back with his hat on and never moves out of place. He is a large colored doll that Marguerite's uncle, Otis Osborne, gave her on her birthday.

An Old-Timer's Story

An old-timer, who has spent much of his life in Lee County and knows much of its past history ,tells this story:

"Way back in the days when crime was punishable by hanging, a certain man was hung who protested his innocence to the last. However ,the following circumstances piled up evidence against him. The man supposedly killed by the accused, was found in bed with his head crushed. In the yard of the accused man they found an axe with blood on it. The tracks to and from the murdered man's house exactly measured with the accused man's shoes. Only one minister believed in him, and tried every way to help him establish his innocence, but in vain .

Finally the minister said to him: "When you are arranged for the noose and the cap over your face, I'm going to place a handkerchief in your hand, and if, after you fall, you are conscious and still protest your innocence, I want you to change the handkerchief over from one hand to the other."

The doomed man fell and very feebly passed the handkerchief into the other hand. Years afterward a man on his deathbed confessed to the crime, telling how he had passed the house of the man who had been hung; saw his shoes on the porch and exchanged his own for them, went into his yard and found the axe, committed the crime, then returned the shoes and axe to where he had found them."

A Word From Earl Goins

Pvt. Earl Goins, one of our town boys returned to the States for hospitalization, writes us the following lines in regard to the home town paper:

"Your paper was sure a help when I was over—thanks so much for the good work you all did in getting it to me. It was usually some time getting to me. But it was still just as interesting as always. Thanks again for the good paper."

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JULY 4, SPECIAL
My Pal, Wolf
BARGAIN DAY — SHOW CONTINUOUS FROM 2:00 P. M.

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We have recently installed an Electric Chicken Picker — the only one in Southwest Virginia. Come in, let us show you this modern machine in operation.

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30 SECONDS OVER TOKYO
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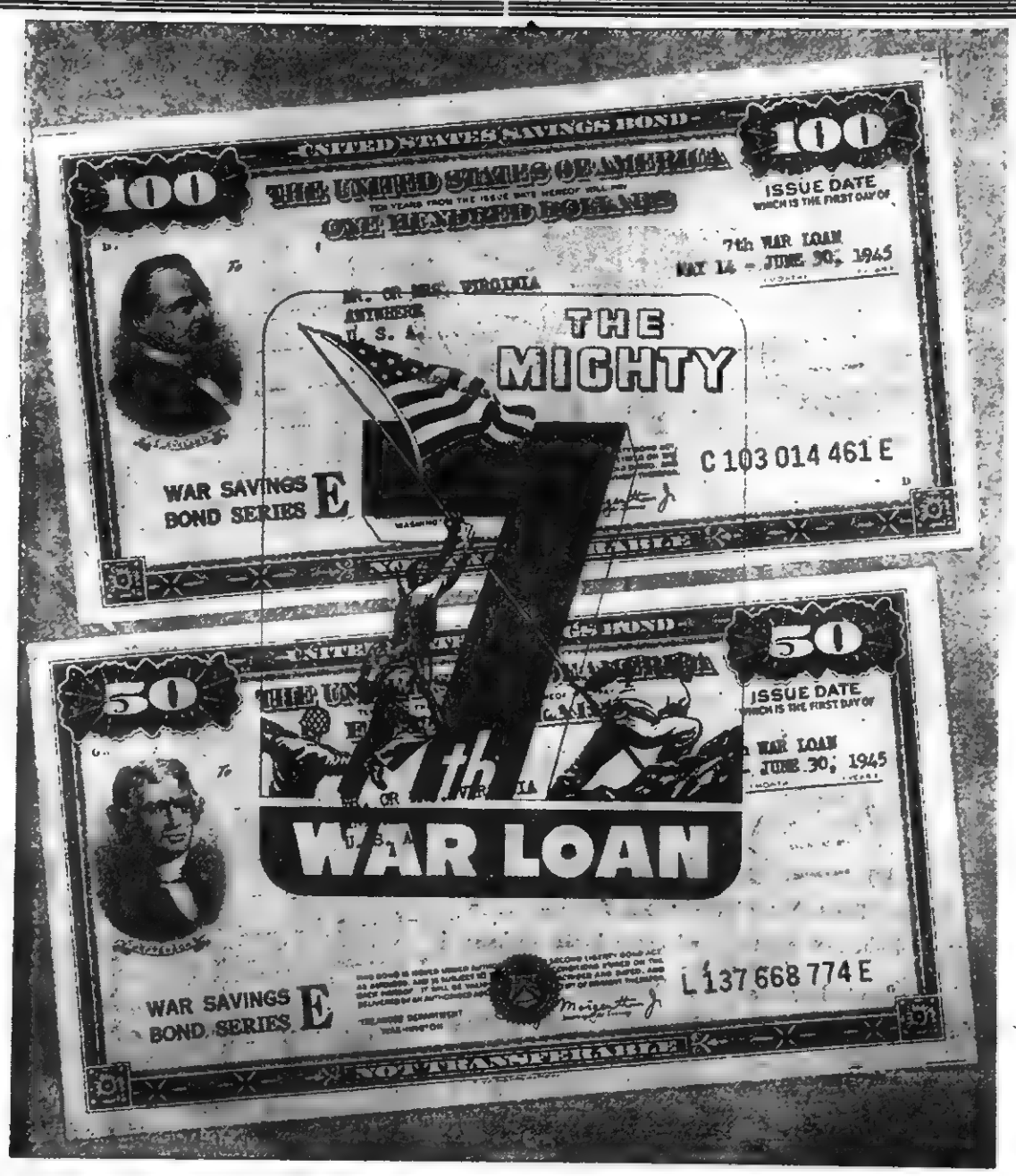

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Jonesville PERSONALS

Mrs. Robert Ely, wife of Commonwealth's Attorney Ely, recently returned from Washington, D. C., where she visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. William Smith have with them their parents from Murray, Ky.

Mrs. Betty Willoughby Hawthorne, of Fort Meade, Md., wife of Capt. Richard Carleton Hawthorne, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Jess Willoughby.

Miss Roberta Cridlin made a surprise visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George F. Cridlin, on Fathers' Day, and is continuing to spend a few days' vacation. Miss Cridlin is employed in Washington, D. C.

Capt. A. M. Baisden and Mrs. Baisden are visiting Mrs. Baisdens' mother, Mrs. C. E. Couk.

Capt. Charles Willoughby and Mrs. Willoughby recently left for Miami, Fla., where Captain Willoughby will be reassigned to duty. He was wounded in Germany, in November, 1944, and taken prisoner. Upon his release he returned to the U. S. and came home for a 60-day leave before going to Florida.

Staff Sgt. Frank Stickley, of Rose Hill, who has been a prisoner of war in Germany for several months, returned to the United States and is now at home on furlough. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Sickley, of Rose Hill.

Miss Marie McNiel, clerk of Selective Service Board No. 1, is away on vacation, visiting relatives in Alabama.

Sgt. Grant Glass, recently liberated from prison in Germany, after being held four months, is here visiting his mother, Mrs. Frank Roop.

Miss Glenna Burgan, assistant clerk of Selective Service Board No. 1, received a telegram Monday, stating that her brother, Billy Burgan, serving with the 86th Division, landed in New York Sunday, and hopes to be home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Onza Hyatt left today for Cincinnati for a week's vacation.

Mrs. Bee Sewell left Wednesday for Washington, D. C., accompanied by her brother, Vernon Fowler, who will attend a gunners' school in the U. S. Navy service.

Local servicemen here on furlough visits are: Seaman Sherman Warner, son of Deputy Sheriff Coral Warner; Seaman Elbert Stewart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stewart; Seaman Billy Ledford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hayes Ledford; Sgt. Billy Snodgrass, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Snodgrass. Snodgrass has been fighting in the Pacific for more than two years.

Pvt. Edgar Kirk, son of Mrs. Addie Kirk and the late John Kirk, who has spent considerable time in the European theater, during which time he was badly wounded, came home for a visit, bringing with him his bride, whom he married in Kingsport two weeks ago.

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Matinees Monday, Wednesday and Thursday, 2:00 p m.
Continuous From 12:00 On Saturday.

Mon., Tues., and Wed., June 25 - 26 - 27
A Tree Grows In Brooklyn
—with—
DOROTHY McGUIRE — JAMES DUNN — JOAN BLONDELL—PEGGY ANN GARNER—TED DONALDSON — LLOYD NOLAN

Thursday and Friday, June 28 - 29
OBJECTIVE BURMA
—with—
ERROL FLYNN

Saturday, June 30 — DOUBLE FEATURE
OUTLAWS OF SANTA FE
—with—
DON "RED" BARRY — HELEN TALBOT WALLY VERNON
—also—
RICHARD DIX - JANIS CARTER - PORTER HALL
—in—
MARK OF THE WHISTLER

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Monday and Tuesday, June 25 - 26
PASSAGE TO MARSEILLE
—with—
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Wednesday and Thursday, June 27 - 28
LOST IN A HAREM
—starring—
BUD ABBOT — LOU COSTELLO — MARILYN MAXWELL

Friday and Saturday, June 29 - 30
DOUBLE FEATURE
LIGHTS OF OLD SANTA FE
—with—
Roy ROGERS - TRIGGER - Gc. "Gabby" HAYES
—also—
SEVEN DOORS TO DEATH
—with—
Chic CHANDLER - June CLYDE - Geo. MEEKER

Deaths AND FUNERALS

Howard Riddle

Howard Riddle, 58, died Tuesday night at his home in Calvin, Va., after a long illness.

Mr. Riddle, a resident of Calvin for sixteen years, was an employee of the Blackwood Coal Company and was a member of the United Mine Workers of America, Local No. 6375.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Minnie Napier Riddle; five sons, Samuel Riddle, U. S. Army Air Forces, overseas; Emmett Riddle, U. S. Army, Camp Forrest, Ga.; D. F. and Charles Riddle, Pennington Gap; and Paul Riddle, Calvin; four daughters, Mrs. A. C. Rivers, Dryden; Sue, Bobbie and Flo Riddle, all of Calvin; one brother, S. H. Riddle, Dunbar, Va.; three sisters, Mrs. Ollie Leggs, Spartanburg, S. C.; Mrs. Valera Napier, Pennington Gap; and Mrs. Mollie Stewart, Keokee, and ten grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at the home in Calvin at 10:00 o'clock (CWT) Friday morning, in charge of the Rev. Judge Collier and the Rex. Mack Fisher. Burial will be in the Jones Cemetery in Lee County.

The body was removed this morning from the Pennington-Myers Funeral Home to the residence in Calvin.

M. B. Collier

M. B. (Bard) Collier, a resident of Woodway, came to Pennington with his family Saturday night. He complained of "feeling badly" and was taken to Lee General Hospital. Early Sunday morning he died from what the doctors pronounced heart trouble. He was 54 years of age.

Funeral services for Mr. Collier were held today from the Woodway Community Church. Burial followed in the cemetery near the home.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Nannie Walton Collier; one son, Seaman Paul Collier, serving withthe U. S. Navy somewhere in the Pacific; and three daughters, Miss Dora Collier, at home; Mrs. Mae Collins, Bristol, and Mrs. Maxie Porch, Woodway.

Silver Fleet Truck Smashes Into Church

Walter Williams, of Middlesboro, Ky., driver of a Silver Fleet truck running from Bristol into Middlesboro, made a "forced landing" at the First Baptist Church last Friday evening, in order, he said, to avoid other probable disasters

According to Williams, just as he reached the down-hill grade in the highway near the First Baptist Church, he started to apply the brakes and found they wouldn't work. The truck was fast gaining speed and in a flash he realized what might happen if he lost control of his truck, running direct through the town. Then he whirled the truck about, ran up the little embankment and stopped, first crashing into the brick column supporting the banisters of the concrete steps that lead upward to the porch of the church.

Mayor E. E. Parsons stated that Williams voluntarily appeared before him and paid the small fine imposed. The mayor also added that Williams is not to be censured because he did what he felt was the safest thing to do.

The damage to the truck was estimated to be around $250.00, and that of the church much less, all damages, it is reported, to be taken care of through an insurance company.

Staff Sgt. Clyde Fugate Released From Army

Clyde McNiel Fugate, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Fugate, of Pennington Gap, says he has received a nice little slip of paper from Uncle Sam, telling him that he is now a civilian instead of a soldier. It is his honorable discharge under the point system.

Clyde has served in the U. S. Army for about four years, most of the time being overseas. He has seen action in North Africa, Sicily, Italy, and in nearly all the theaters of war.

Miss Williams Attending Conservatory of Music

Miss Mildred Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Williams, of St. Charles, left last Friday for Cincinnati, where she will attend the Conservatory of Music.

Miss Williams graduated from St. Charles High School in May, and was also a senior member of Mrs. Sara W. Black's music class. She was presented in a piano recital at St. Charles High School auditorium shortly before her graduation, and greatly delighted her audience with number after number from the world's leading composers. She was presented the Preparatory Collegiate Certificate with high rating by Mrs. Black.

Last week Miss Williams went to Knoxville, where she was given an audition by Carl Berggren, master musician of the McPhail School of Music at Minneapolis. On the report card she was given it was specified that she possessed great talent.

At the Conservatory of Music she will have lessons with Goldsand ,a master teacher.

First Baptist Church

Sunday morning, June 24th: Sunday School at 9:30, A. T. Burchette, Supt. Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon by Rev. H. W. Connelly, Secretary of Evangelism for Virginia Baptists. Rev. Connelly will have charge of the services both morning and evening.

The Sunday School and Training Unions will enter into a visitation revival next week, under the direction of Rev. Connelly We will be assisted by Calvary Baptist Church in West Pennington, and are also asking the other pastors of the county to unite with us. Rev .Connelly has with him his son, who is a ministerial student.

There will be an important meeting of all workers at the church Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock.

P. R. Stubbs, Pastor.

Brother of Local Man Died in New Jersey

Mrs. Ella Howard received a message last Friday notifying her of the death of her nephew, Carl H. Collier, on Thursday, June 14, at Trenton, N. J. He was 46 years old and veteran of World War I, having served with the A.E.F. in France for more than two years.

Mr. Collier was reared in the Thompson Settlement community near Jonesville, Va., and has many Lee County friends who will regret to learn of his death.

Report of Red Cross Production Chairman

Mrs. W. R. Fletcher, production chairman, Lee County Chapter, American Red Cross, reports the following contributions toward filling kit bags for the boys in service during the past year:

Mrs. Docia Bayless	$ 5.00
Girl's Auxiliary, Hardy's Creek Baptist Church	1.25
Hutton Guild	6.25
Lee County Garden Club	44.50
Women's Bible Class, Bonny Blue	6.75
Rose Hill Victory Club	31.25
Mayflower Victory Club	15.00
	$112.00

Mrs. Fletcher expresses her appreciation for these donations; also for the following who have quilted quilts or sewed for the Red Cross: Mrs. Mattie Flanary and Miss Ella Flanary, Woodway; women of the W.S.C.S. Ely Memorial; ladies of Union Christian Church on Station Creek. also those who have knitted and sewed for the Red Cross.

Big Stone Church of God To Have Revival

Rev. Harold D. Morris, pastor, Church of God, Big Stone Gap, announces that a revival was begun Sunday evening, June 17, by the Rev. Savage, of Pulaski.

Services will be held each evening, beginning at 7:30 o'clock, until further notice. The public cordially invited.

If an electric cord becomes damp, place it on a flat surface and do not use it for several days.

Rural Folk Asked to Keep in Mind Free Bus Service

Citizens residing in the rural areas of Pennington Gap are asked to not forget the free bus service beginning July 1, sponsored by the Methodist Church for the purpose of getting to Sunday School and church services on Sunday morningh.

The bus will run from Big Hill, about four miles east of Pennington Gap, through Poor Valley, and returning by way of the Texaco plant west of Pennington, and on to the church. Return trips will be made to take the passengers home.

The daily weather map of the United States was first published by the government in 1871.

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20% Milk Maker	3.20
16% Dairy	2.89
Super Laying Mash, D. P.	3.76
Market Laying Mash, D. P.	3.55
Starting & Growing Mash, D. P.	3.88
Coarse Scratch	3.24
Pig & Hog Feed	3.54
Horse & Mule Feed	3.37
20% Dairy	2.94

FARM SUPPLIES

75 Dust; 5 lbs.	$ .75
Binder Twine; 5-lb. ball	.75
Dusters; quart size	1.25
Fork Handles (4½ ft.) ; each	.70
Bureau Penn Motor Oil; 5 gal. can	4.25

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News From KEOKEE

(For week of June 14)

Many folks from Keokee attended the singing convention at Big Stone Gap, Sunday.

Mrs. Lee Barker has returned from a short visit with her youngest son, Aubrey, who is a member of the Naval forces, stationed in Florida.

Friends will be glad to learn that Emmet Barker is improving after being ill in Lee General Hospital.

Mrs. Opal Shook will leave shortly to join her husband, who is employed at Clinton, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wolfe and small daughter, Charlotte, are spending a short visit with relatives in Scott County.

Mrs. George King visited her daughter during the past week.

Mrs. J. G. Thompson has returned after a short visit with friends and relatives in Kentucky.

Miss Margaret Asher, who attended L.M.U., is home for the summer vacation.

Jasper Clark, of the U. S. Navy, is spending a furlough here with his family.

Mrs. John Craft is the guest of C. C. Craft and family.

Harold Arnette and James Strother have gone to Oak Ridge, Tenn., where they will seek employment.

Miss Catherine Townsend and mother were visiting in Stonega during the past week.

News From JONESVILLE

Route Four

(For week of June 14)

Lt. and Mrs. Robert Osborne and small daughter, Carroll Sue, have been spending a leave with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee McConnell and Mr. and Mrs. Alex Osborne and family.

Miss Mary Johnson, of Jonesville, has returned from Washington, D. C., where she has been with her sister for the past few months. All were glad to have her back in Sunday School at York.

Mrs. Etta Green, of Pennington, spent a day recently with her sister, Mrs. G. W. Ball, and Mr. Ball.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Cooney and Miss Edith Cooney, of Calvin, came to visit their sister, Mrs. D. C. Bledsoe, and family, Sunday ,but found the family were all away attending Decoration services at the Sword-Bledsoe Cemetery at Wallens Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Davis, of Jonesville, spent Sunday afternoon calling on friends on Route 4.

Little Miss Eva Jean Rutherford visited relatives on Wallens Creek, Sunday.

Miss Elizabeth Harris was a guest of her aunt, Mrs. W. S. Cox, and Mr. Cox, Sunday.

George Osborne was granted leave to visit his brother, Robert, while he had his furlough here with his parents and other relatives and friends.

Sunday School class at York on Sunday morning and then hurried back to Jonesville to attend the Memorial Service for Daine Parkey, Tom Flesnor, Fred Lawson, and other boys killed while in the service of their country. The service was held at the Baptist Church at 11:00 a. m.

Mrs. Marshall Byington and baby, Claude Marshall, Jr., called on friends here Monday afternoon.

News From BENEDICT

(For week of June 14)

Mrs. Dewey Estep and daughter, Louise, visited relatives at Jellico, Tenn., last week.

Miss Dora Fern Tipton, of Oak Ridge, visited friends here last week.

Mrs. Mabel Sturgill, of Duffield, spent last week here with relatives.

Mrs. Jim Holman and family visited relatives at T.J., Ky., last week.

Miss Helen Smith and Mrs. Bill Thomas, of Knoxville, Tenn., visited here last week. Also Mrs. Thomas husband, who is serving with the U. S. Navy, was here on furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Scarborough, of Monarch, and daughter, Frances, of Lynchburg, visited with relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Scarborough and family had as their guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Worley Dean and family, of Stone Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thompson and daughter, Eva, of Dunbar, spent last week here with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Emmett Delp and children, of Jonesville, spent the weekend here with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thompson and family.

Fred Thompson and son, Joe, made a business trip to Appalachia, Sunday.

News From WOODWAY

(For week of June 14)

The citizens of Woodway are very proud to know that the Lee County School Board has secured from Mr. C. C. Bales, of Pennington Gap, a three-acre tract of land in Woodway, on which to erect a six-room brick school building at a cost of approximately $35,000, which will serve the patrons of Rocky Station School District. Construction will start immediately, and will be rushed to completion in order to take care of the coming school term.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hamm are overjoyed by a telegram from the War Department, stating that their son, William (Tick), who has been a prisoner in a German camp for the past two years, has been liberated, and they are looking forward to his homecoming soon.

Sgt. and Mrs. Kermit Mullins are the proud parents of a baby girl, born June 4th at Lee General Hospital, who has been given the name Nancy Katrina. Sgt. Mullins is at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Mullins.

Carl Huff, EM 3-C., who has been in the Southwest Pacific for the past ten months, is spending his leave with his wife and baby at Pennington; also with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Huff, of Woodway. Carl reports back to San Francisco, Sunday, June 17. Mr. and Mrs. Huff have three other sons in service.

Staff Sgt. Andy P. Stanley, who has been a prisoner in Germany for about 20 months, is at home now with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Stanley. Sgt. Stanley will report to a rest camp in Miami, Fla., some time later.

Other service men visiting their parents are: Seaman McNiel Daugherty; Billy Robbins, F. 1-C.; Tech. Sgt. Dave Medley; and Bobby Fugate.

Miss Helen Smith, of Knoxville, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Brannan and Mrs. Ralph Turner for a few days. Mrs. Turner has received word that her husband, Pfc. Edgar Ralph, is in the Phillppines.

Among those having their tonsils removed at Lee General Hospital Thursday were: George Brummitt, Jr.; Larry Donald Floyd, and the young daughter of Mrs. Kate Howe.

Like the wolf, the Eskimo dog does not bark.

News From ST. CHARLES

(For week of June 14)

St. Charles is very proud of its new First Baptist Church, in which Sunday School and preaching services were conducted for the first time Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gilliam and family visited Mrs. Gilliam's sister, Mrs. Clarence Taylor, at Harlan, Ky., Sunday.

Misses Mildred and Josephine Williams and Mrs. Fred Williams were shopping in Knoxville this week.

Mrs. Abbie Nelson, sons, R. T. and wife, Tolbert and wife, were called to Tennessee due to the illness and death of Mrs. Nelson's mother.

Mrs. Billie Lou Brummitt was a recent guest of Miss Thelma Robbins at Kemmerer Gem.

Mrs. Shelby Carter, who has been a patient at Lee General Hospital, has returned home.

The U. S. Army has developed goggles which are virtually dust-proof.

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"For about two years I felt so rundown and weak that I could take little interest in anything else," continued Mrs. Williamson. "I suffered so much distress from indigestion that I did not dare eat anything rich or heavy and I got to where I did not want to eat anything at all. I felt restless, I found it hard to concentrate on my business affairs, and I had little energy. Sluggish elimination kept me taking laxatives all the time. I just seemed to be in a rut and could find nothing to help me out of it.

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Social and Personal

Visitors:

The following recently visited Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Harber and family: Mrs. and Mrs. S. G. (Woody) Hamilton, Knoxville; G. W. Burkhart, Bluefield, W. Va.; Mrs. Allan Cohoon, Orlando, Fla.; Mallalieu Burkhart, and Mrs. Carrie Blanton, Harlan, Ky.

Staff Sgt. and Mrs. Carol D. Bailey and Mrs. Orville P. Kelly left Saturday, June 16, for the Baileys' home at Keesler Field, Miss, and Mrs. Kelly's home at Decatur, Ala. They were accompanied by Misses Lou Hope and Mildred Kelly, who will visit with both; also with Mrs. Ruth Saavely Smith, at Birmingham, Ala.

Misses Margueritte Hargraves and Ernestine Crowell left Sunday for a vacation trip to Norfolk, Va. They will also probably visit in Portsmouth and other points.

Don't miss the 4th of July Special, "My Pal, Wolf": It's Bargain Day at Lee Theatre, and shows continuous from 2 P. M.

Three Lieutenants Visit Home

Lt. (jg) Tyler Rasnic, son of Mrs. R. J. Rasnic, of Stickleyville ,is back in the County of Lee visiting relatives and friends. He has been on duty in the Southwest Pacific area for the past 24 months and will report back to his ship at San Francisco, Calif., by July 12.

Second Lieutenant Edgar Bacon, son of Mrs. D. L. Bacon, of Rose Hill, pilot on a B-24 in the Northwest Pacific area, is visiting his wife, the former Evelyn Edens, of Jonesville; also his mother and friends. He will report back to Miami, Fla., for redistribution August 3.

Lt. and Mrs. B. B. Laningham returned to Greenville, S. C., Friday, where Lt. Laningham is instructor at the U. S. Army Air Base, after a short visit here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Laningham and Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Reasor.

Carl M. Wolfe, S. 2-C., is here from Sampson, N. Y., visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Wolfe, of Pennington R.F.D.

Henry Pugh has returned from Martinsville, Va., where he visited with his brother, Edsel, who is pastor of the Christian Church there and also a ministerial student at Lynchburg College.

Mrs. Oscar Farley is ill at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Pugh.

Mrs. Elmer Leigh, of Pennington, is visiting her husband in New London, Conn. Mr. Leigh has just come back from North Africa, where he spent thirty months. He will be stationed in New London for some time.

Miss Velda Myers has returned to Radford Teachers' College, where she will graduate in August, after a few days' vacation here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. R. Myers. While here she and her mother visited relatives in Coeburn and St. Paul. On Sunday, Miss Myers, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Millard Ely and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Shuler and family and Mrs. Lula Reasor were entertained at dinner by Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Ely.

Mrs. France Blackburn, Jacksonville, Fla., has returned home after spending several days here with Mrs. Eliza Howard and family.

Lawrence, Maggie and Russell Howard, Mrs. Frank Middleton and son, Ruth and Charles Rhea, of Harlan, Ky., spent Sunday with Mrs. Edna Mathews, near Pennington.

Miss Virgina Lewis, of the government hospital at Radford, accompanied by a friend, Mr. Daily Sullivan, also of Radford, returned this morning after a few days 'visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cam J. Lewis and family.

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Mrs. Ethel Quinley is spending a few days at Oak Ridge, Tenn., with her daughter, Mrs. C. F. Gilley, Jr., and family.

O. H. Forester, of Philadelphia, is here visiting among relatives and friends. Mr. Forester will be remembered here as "Homer" Forester, son of the late Rev. and Mrs. T. S. Forester.

Drucilla King, student nurse at Fort Sanders Hospital, Knoxville, Tenn., spent last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy King.

Joyce (Peewee) King, student of L.M.U., also spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy King.

Misses Edna Ruth and Mary Bailey, of Oak Ridge, spent a few days last week with their mother, Mrs. E. L. Bailey.

Dotty Rector, of Harrogate, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. E. R. King, and cousin, Shirley King.

REGENT BRIDE

MRS. E. FRANK DIZE

Before her marriage on June 2, Mrs. Dize was Miss Marie Smith ,daughter of Mr .and Mrs. J. C. Smith, of Pennington Gap The wedding ceremony was performed in the Emanuel Methodist Church at Crisfield, Maryland, with Rev. J. Richardson ,of Tangier, officiating.

P.O. Vergil Payne, of the U. S. Navy, spent a few hours' leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Payne.

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C.S .Richard Payne Napier, of the U. S. Navy, returned Wednesday to the Naval Base in Nashville, Tenn., after 21 days' leave with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Payne, and mother, Mrs. Paul McArthur .

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Ayers, of New Albany, Ind., spent last week-end with Mrs. Ayers' mother, Mrs. Dora Hess, and Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Pennington.

Elizabeth Wynn, of Baltimore, is visiting her parents and other relatives here.

Mrs. Jake Howard and Jenelle Ann were dinner guests of Mrs. Joseph Payne, Wednesday.

Miss Sue Olinger has resigned as commercial teacher at Winston-Salem, N. C., and is now in the Civil Service Department at Winston-Salem.

Misses Laurn Jean Fugate and Vera Litton, of Oak Ridge, spent last week-end with home folk.

Mrs. Jake Howard entertained the Mayflower Victory Club of Bonny Blue, Saturday night at her home. She was assisted by Mrs. Grace Burgan.

Mrs. Roy Millard and children, of Dayton, Ohio, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jim Millard, of Bonny Blue.

Ex-Army Man Marries

Miss Esther Ray Vestal, of Greensboro, N. C., and Wm. H. (Bill) Keel, of Pennington Gap, were married at the bride's home in Greensboro, Friday evening, June 15.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Keel, of Pennington Gap. He was honorably discharged from U. S. Army service recently on the new point system, after eight years of service. At the time of his discharge he held the rank of staff sergeant.

Mr. Keel holds a position as mechanic in Greensboro, where the couple will make their home.

THEY'RE HERE!

(Continued from page one)

of Mrs. O. E. Willis, of Pennington Gap.

Sgt. Dan Richmond, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Richmond, of Ewing, was held prisoner since January, 1945, and in a message to his parents just after his liberation he expressed his happiness at being free again.

Pvt. Grover C. Carmony, of Ewing, is on the liberated list—we do not have details about him. Also Fred Stickley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Stickley, of Rose Hill.

We have had vague reports of others, but do not have sufficient information to include them in this week's list. Shall be glad to have some of their friends furnish this information for a future issue.

Staff Sgt. Andy E. Stanley, at home with his parents after 20 months of life in a German war prison camp, is endeavoring to forget the ordeals he underwent there, and enjoy the new happiness of being home again. Sgt. Stanley holds the Purple Heart for wounds received on his last mission, also the Air Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster.

He has a brother, Pfc. Bill Stanley, serving with the Sixth Marine Division, who was wounded April 24th on Okinawa, after spending 24 days and nights on the front. He, too, is awaiting the day when he will be starting homeward.

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IN TECHNICOLOR
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TWO BIG FEATURES
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This property contains a nice, well-built four-room home, garage, smoke house and coal house. Is watered by new well and pump. Electricity. Near highway; unexcelled church and school. The land is level and rich all around the home.

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Now, you people who want a home and a good acre of land at a bargain — here it is! Go look it over. Call for key at Mrs. John Smith's home near the property.

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CONGRESSMAN MAY EXPOSES THE TVA AS "WARTIME TAX SLACKER

He Explains To Senate Group Why Big Projec Has Done More Harm Than Good

[This report on the testimony of Congressman Andrew J. May lean of the Kentucky delegation, before a Senate Commerce sub ommittee is reprinted from the New York World-Telegram of Apr 27. It indicates an awakening of the danger to the whole nation o blind acceptance of TVA as a model for other tax-dodging, treas ury-draining experiments in valley super-governments.]

By ROGER STUART
World-Telegram Staff Writer

WASHINGTON, April 27 — The Tennessee Valley Authority, model for the proposed billion-dollar Missouri Valley project, received its severest slapping to date in a hearing today before a Senate Commerce subcommittee.

The slapper was Rep. Andrew May (D., Ky.), chairman of the House Military Affairs Committee. In a statement prepared for delivery at the hearing, although he had not previously been announced as a witness, the energetic Kentuckian declared:

"You gentlemen have had witnesses paraded before you whose chief reason for the creation of additional valley authorities is the assumption that the original — the TVA — has been a success. I shall prove that the TVA is a failure."

'Wartime Tax Slacker'

HE called it a wartime tax slacker to the extent of millions of dollars annually. He said that, as a flood control project, it has created a flood menace. As a soil conservation project, he asserted, it has done more harm than it can ever possibly undo.

In both of these activities, he said, it is wastefully duplicating the functions of two highly efficient existing federal agencies—the Corps of Engineers of the Army and the Soil Conservation of the Department of Agriculture.

The TVA he called "an anti-social institution, its evil effects far outweighing any social progress and reform it professes to have promoted."

Public Deceived

A CLEVER combination of wishful thinking and fanciful conjecture, he said, has been crystalized in the public mind by adroit and tireless TVA propagandists, to the effect that by TVA's power resources the nation was bailed out of its aluminum crises for the war effort. As a power project, he said, it is doomed to be a red ink bureau and forever run as a chronic deficit in spite of alleged paper profits. And he added:

"Last, but far from least, the authority type of federal agency is a misbegotten offspring of collectivist thinking by which our constitutional system is by-passed and set aside by an authority with economic and political power beyond, above and different from that of the individual states and federal departments as envisaged in the Constitution."

Flood Control Fallacy

DISCUSSING the TVA as a flood control project, Rep. May declared there is less storage space on the Tennessee today for flood waters, after all these dams were built, than there was in the natural state.

As for the waterpower feature of the authority, Mr. May said: "The whole theory of the TVA power development is predicated on a widely held fallacy." That, he said, was the belief that power developed by falling water is necessarily cheap power.

Actually, he declared, steam-generated power is considerably cheaper, and the TVA's records would show that, were it not for phoney bookkeeping.

An advertisement of Old Dominion Power Company

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AN URGENT APPEAL

TO THE CITIZENS AND MINERS PARTICULARLY OF LEE COUNTY

There is an urgent need for all of us to buy War Bonds now. At the present date Lee County is frightfully short of its full quota in this Bond Drive.

A great many members of our organization will be entitled to a vacation bonus of $75.00. It will be good security for the future for each and everyone to invest that amount in the purchase of War Bonds. You will help yourself and your Government, and keep up your past record in Lee County and also the record of the members of the United Mine Workers of America.

We have not failed in the past. Don't let us fail in this "The Mighty Seventh" Drive. Let us all do our best and a little better on this particular Drive.

I appeal to all miners to buy Bonds until it hurts. I am sure you will never regret the purchase.

Yours for success and help in this Bond Drive, which closes June 30.

Signed:
JOHN SAXTON, President
District 28,
United Mine Workers of America

Late News From Office Of Price Administration

Tire Dealers' Records

Robert B. Gilliam, district tire rationing officer, urged tire dealers to maintain accurate records of all tire transactions, in preparation of the inventory they must make on June 30.

This inventory, accounting for all rationed tires and Parts B, must be filed by July 10. Dealers not filing by that date will not be allowed to deal in rationed tires until the filing has been made, Mr. Gilliam said.

These new records and inventories are the latest step in OPA's strengthened controls over the distribution of tires, he explained. "We are still critically short on tires, and we must make absolutely sure that every single tire reaches a legitimate, essential user," he added.

Used Car Prices Down

Used car prices all over America will take a four per cent drop on July 1, the Office of Price Administration announced this week in Washington. The move affects cars sold either by regular dealers or private owners.

The price cut is in accordance with used car pricing regulations which provide for normal depreciation, OPA officials said, adding that four per cent would also be deducted from charges allowed for extra equipment, such as heaters and radios.

"This price drop should not only prove a stimulant to used car sales," said an OPA spokesman, "but will also provide additional low-cost transportation to essential workers."

Gas For Servicemen

Servicemen returning from overseas on temporary duty orders for rehabilitation, recuperation and recovery will be eligible for furlough gasoline ration, according to OPA's district office in Roanoke.

The serviceman may obtain his rations by applying to the local War Price and Rationing Board, presenting both his temporary duty orders and the mileage rationing record for the car he will be using, the announcement said.

Previously, servicemen were required to present leave or furlough papers when applying for these gasoline rations, but those now being sent home for periods of about 30 days are not being issued such papers.

The amount of the ration remains the same, one gallon of gasoline for each day of the furlough, with a maximum of 30 gallons, OPA officials said.

More Canned Milk

Moving to make more canned milk available for infants, invalids and others who require it in essential diets, OPA has reduced the amount currently used by industrial and institutional users.

Restaurants, prisons, and manufacturers who use canned milk in making other products, will not be allowed in the future to use their red points for purchasing canned milk, OPA said. In areas where fluid milk or other substitutes are not available, however, the agency may give permission for continued purchase of canned milk, on receipt of an application showing the actual need. Even though military needs are still taking tremendous quantities of canned milk, this latest action, according to OPA officials should improve distribution in areas where canned milk is now critically scarce.

In Training For Service With The Atlantic Fleet

Thomas Jackson Willis, 18 year old, second class, USNR, of Jonesville, Va., has arrived at the Naval Training Station, Norfolk, Va., to undergo training for duty aboard a new destroyer of the Atlantic Fleet.

Son of Mr and Mrs. D. L. Willis, of Route 2, Jonesville, he has three brothers, Cecil, a private in the Army; Beryl, a radioman, third class, in the Navy; and Curtis, a private in the Army. Before enlisting, he was employed by the Willis Cash Store. He attended Flatwood High School.

Remembers Native Land

Miss Virginia Lee Brooks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Brooks, of Pennington Gap, is living a very successful and useful life in the realms of New York City, but that she still loves the hills and mountains of her home town is indicated in the following excerpt from a letter to her mother.

"Mom," she writes, "what wouldn't I give to be back in Pennington for a while! Just to see the hills and mountains and trees—New York is interesting and educational, but so hot . . ."

Miss Brooks is a cadet nurse, and is serving with the Nurses Visiting Service in New York.

WANTED TO BUY

Electric Fan. See or call Dr. D. E. McDaniel, Pennington Gap, Va. Adv. 24-3t.

Honorably Discharged

LIONEL C. BRUMMITT

Mr. Brummitt now, but formerly Sergeant Brummitt, with the U. S. Army for about six years. He was honorably discharged under the point system. After arriving home recently, he took a little trip down to the "old fishin' pool" just below the Woodway bridge, to rest and relax a little, and came home with a string of eighteen nice fish.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brummitt, of Pennington Gap.

News From

MILLER'S CHAPEL

Rev. Tip Parkey, of Rose Hill, pastor of Plain View Baptist Church, will fill his regular appointment here Saturday night and Sunday. Everyone invited to attend these two services, the evening service at 7:30 and the morning service at 11:00 o'clock.

Several from here attended the singing convention at Poor Valley, Sunday.

Mrs. Ramon Eagle and children ,of Benedict, visited here Sunday with Mrs. Joe Garrett.

Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Bledsoe had as their dinner guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Terry and children, Mr. and Mrs. Luster Rogers and children.

Sally Bea and Delores Johnson and Reeda and Florence Terry were visiting Mrs. Johnny Roop, Sunday.

Mrs. Harrison White and grandson, Mr. and Mrs. Olin Parsons and family, and Mrs. Dave Eagle and children, of Stone Creek, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jess Rogers, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Johnson spent the week-end with Mrs. Johnson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Laffey ,of Chevrolet, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Mise and children have returned to their home in Baltimore, Md., after a visit with their parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bledsoe and son, Junior, visited in Ben Hur, Sunday.

Tribute to a Classmate

By Ruth Ellen Wolver

Mr. S C Blackwell, Editor
The Powell Valley News
Pennington Gap, Va

Dear Mr Blackwell

I was in the hospital at the time you published an account of the death in action of Pvt. Jack E. Williams, on May 5th. I always liked Jack—we both went to Pennington High School together and graduated together in the class of '43. We always sat next to each other in classes because our names came in alphabetical order. I consider it an honor and a dear memory to have shared those school days with him.

In our class play Jack had a leading part as a sailor boy at home on leave. He and I, including many others, were on the honor roll. We were both always interested in school and averaged nearly the same grades.

Jack's honest blue eyes, engaging smile and winning personality made him liked by all. I am sure when he died he died smiling. Not only him, but many others, probably some in the class of '43, are killed, missing in action, etc., and the class as a whole is scattered from one end of the earth to the other, I guess. I always hoped for a reunion of the class some day, but war has made that an utter impossibility.

May God bless those who have died in World War II and may the parents and friends find comfort in knowing that they are resting in peace from the hateful turmoils of war.

J. E. Laningham Remains Ill In Baltimore Hospital

J. E. "Jim" Laningham is still missing from our community. He returned a week or so ago to Johns Hopkins Hospital to continue his medical treatment. Mr. Laningham has been in ill health for some time and has been confined to hospitals at various times for the last year or so, and his many friends are hoping this time he will come back "plum well". Today Mr. Laningham's condition was reported fair.

Miss Flora Mae Fugate left Saturday for Cincinnati, where she will spend the summer studying music at the Conservatory.

Former Lee Co. Soldier Saves A Life in Battle

Cpl. Paul Parsons, serving with the 99th Division, 393rd Infantry ,in Germany, gives the world another story of heroic action in the face of danger. According to a news release, the story is as follows:

"Men of Company B, 393rd Infantry, had marched most of the day over ten miles of shell-torn, muddy roads and had engaged the enemy for the rest of the day until dusk, when things quieted down. The men, dog tired from a day of strenuous fighting, started to dig in for the night.

"Suddenly Jerry sent in a terrific barrage of 88's. The shallow holes the men had only partially completed were not sufficient protection for all the men, and some were hit by flying shrapnel. One man suffered a severe hit in the side. Cpl. Paul Parsons, of the medical detachment, who is from Big Stone Gap, Va., heard the call "medic".

"With utter disregard for his own life he rushed through the hail of flying steel to the man's position, bandaged his wounds and stayed with him all through the shelling and until it was safe to carry the man to a jeep to be evacuated. Parsons, by his coolness and bravery, has written another chapter in the glorious volume of praise for the Medical Corps."

Cpl. Parsons is the son of Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Parsons, formerly of Rose Hill and now of Big Stone Gap. He attended school at Thomas Walker. He has another brother, Sgt. Henry T. Parsons, in service with the Ninth Army in Germany.

Coming Back To His Girl Friend

Germany.

Dear Mr. Blackwell.

It's been quite a time since I had my name in the paper, so I'm writing you.

We boys from Lee County wish to express our appreciation to you for getting the P. V. N. to us so regularly. We think it is a wonderful newspaper, and naturally we would since we are from Lee County, and find names in it of people we know.

Sometimes we receive copies of the "Beaucoup" papers, which give news from all parts of the country. Sometimes there's something in them about the dear old 4-F's. There are lots of boys in the 4-F's who did a grand job while in service and now have medical discharges.

There are also others there living on Easy Street, and who do not care if this war never ends. They are the ones who should be here with us, but I imagine this college life would be a little too tough for them. I know it's tough for them to crawl out of tha feather bed each morning and roam up and down the streets and then take off with our girl friends that night. Yes, it's tough on them, but it isn't pleasant over here for us, either.

I have been over here a good long while now and expect to stay a while longer, but I'm coming back there someday, and when I do I expect to find my girl friend—whom I think so much of—just the same as when I left her.

Again, Mr. Blackwell, I appreciate the swell work you are doing there with the P. V. N. and I am sure you are building up the morale of the Lee County boys that are thousands of miles away from home.

A combat soldier,
Cpl. Harold Hall

News From

KEOKEE

Keokeeans have had a variety of things recently to choose their entertainment from. Religious services were held at the Pleasant Grove Baptist Church and the Pentecostal Church in the Darnell Town section. A number of young people attended the movie, "God Is My Co-pilot", showing at the Appalachian Theatre. Others attended the meeting of religious snake handlers held at Stone Creek, while others enjoyed witnessing some nose-diving in the air by aeroplane pilots.

Mrs Orral Lucas and children are visitag her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Calton.

Mrs. B. L. Reese and children are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Calton.

Freeda, Nelda and Delano, children of J. G. Thompson, Sr., are spending their summer vacation with their aunt in Kentucky.

Mrs. George Wade is a patient in Lee General Hospital.

Myrle Morris, who served with the paratroopers in Europe, is now home on furlough.

Mrs. George Townsend and Don were visiting Mrs. Diane Richardson and friends in Stonega, Saturday.

Miss Helen Bledsoe, of Appalachia, was the week-end guest of Misses Lilly and Ovalet Stanley.

Earl King and children were visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. King, Sunday evening.

Back To Civilian Life

T.-3 JOHN RHEA

CPL. CLYDE MYERS

PFC. LEGETTE OAKS

CPL. CLYDE M. FUGATE

Youth "Borrows" Car —Doesn't Return It

Three Pennington Gap boys are probably learning that honesty is the best policy, while Fred Welch, owner and manager of the Virginian Cafe, is learning his lesson, too—that of being too accommodating, especially where young boys are concerned.

One boy was lodged in jail Monday afternoon, according to Sheriff J. W. Newman, to await preliminary trial Saturday, while his brother and a companion are being sought on a charge of attempting to embezzle a Plymouth car from Mr. Welch. All the boys are in their 'teen age, it is said.

Mrs. Welch, speaking for her husband, said that one of the boys came to him soon after dinner Sunday and asked to borrow the car "for just a little while" to go up on Stone Creek. Mr. Welch let him have it.

Up until nearly noon Monday, she said, neither the car nor the boy had been heard from. In company with an officer, Welch boarded the bus and started toward Harlan. Going up Stone Creek road they saw the car parked and some boys standing by. He and the officer stopped the bus ,alighted and started toward the car. The boys all ran, but one of them was caught, placed under arrest and lodged in jail.

Bobby Billings Is Active In Boy Scout Staff Work

Bobby Billings, son of Mr and Mrs. H. P. Billings, of Pennington Gap, left Monday, June 18, for Camp Stonett, near Pikeville, Ky., where he will be placed on the staff as one of the instructors of the demonstration area and advancement.

At the end of two weeks he will go to Camp Arrowhead, near Pikeville, to work on the staff for three weeks, and when he has completed his three weeks there, he will join his troop from Pennington Gap at Camp High Knob, near Norton, Va., on July 29, when he again will spend two weeks on the staff doing advancement work.

Scoutmaster Claude Grace states that Bobby knows just what it means to be a good Scout, and urges all his troop to join him at High Knob July 29. Quite a few boys have made their advancement in Scouting, Mr Grace says, and are planning a Court of Honor in the near future, in which 44 boys will take part.

Last night Mr Grace and his Scout boys enjoyed an overnight camping trip at Shaffers Ford, near Pennington.

Jonesville Seaman In Training For LSM Duty

Mary D. Pochodzay, 17, seaman, second class, USNR, of Jonesville, Va., is now at the Atlantic Fleet's Amphibious Training Base at Little Creek, Va., training for duty aboard an LSM (landing ship, medium).

Pochodzay and his shipmates soon will join one of the crews leaving Little Creek for the Pacific.

Pochodzay attended Pennington High School before joining the Navy in November, 1944. His brothers, Marion and W. L. Pochodzay, are serving with the Army overseas. They are sons of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Pochodzay, of Jonesville.

Miss Ruby Ball, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ball, is visiting home folk in the York community, near Jonesville, before leaving for New York City, where she will attend Columbia University. Miss Ball has for the last two years been instructor in art in the Delmar High School, Delmar, Delaware.

Byron Stover, Detroit, Mich., has been here for a few days visiting with friends and recuperating from an attack of pneumonia. He returned to his home today.

An Ordinance By Virginia Constitutional Convention Relative to Voting Rights

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA:

Constitutional Convention of Virginia ,which convened in the Old Hall of the House of Delegates, in the Capitol at Richmond, Virginia, on the thirtieth day of April, 1945.

AN ORDINANCE

To ordain and proclaim as a revision and amendment of certain portion of the Constitution of Virginia a new article designated as Article XVII. Ordained May 2, 1945.

Be it ordained by the Constitutional Convention of Virginia convened and assembled pursuant to the provision of Chapter 1 of the Extra Session of the General Assembly of Virginia, approved March 26, 1945, that the following revision and amendment of the Constitution of Virginia be, and it is hereby, proclaimed, established and ordained and declared to be on and after the third day of May, 1945, a permanent part of the said Constitution of Virginia. Said revision and amendment is designated Article XVII and consists of three sections, and is in the following words and figures:

ARTICLE XVII

Section 1. Certain Members of the Armed Forces Exempt From Payment of Poll Tax and From Registering As Condition of Right to Vote.—No member of the armed forces of the United States ,while in active service in time of war, shall be required to pay a poll tax or to register as a prerequisite to the right to vote in any and all elections including legalized primary elections.

Section 2. Relief From the Assessment and Payment of Poll Taxes As Affecting the Armed Forces In Certain Cases.—all poll taxes for the years 1942, 1943, and 1944 ,assessed or assessable against any person who is, or who at any time during the existing World War II has been, a member of the armed forces of the United States in active service, are hereby cancelled and annulled.

And, also ,all poll taxes assessed or otherwise assessable for every year during any part of which such person is a member of said forces in active service during said war or any future war, and, also, for the three years next preceding such person's discharge from said active service, provided such discharge is not dishonorable, although such person was not in said service during all of said years, are hereby cancelled and annulled. Members of the armed forces of the United States in active service in time of war shall be exempt from future assessments of poll taxes by this State for all years during a part of which they are hereafter engaged in such service.

Section 3. Voting By Persons Exempt From Registration Or Paying Poll Taxes. — Notwithstanding any other provision of this Constitution or any law, every citizen of the United States, otherwise qualified to vote in this State, who is exempt from the payment of poll taxes by the provisions of this Article, shall be entitled to vote in any and all elections ,including legalized primary elections ,in person or by such absentee voting procedure as may be authorized by law, providing such citizen shall have registered or is exempted from registering by the provisions of this article.

L. C. Thompson Promoted

L. C. Thompson, engaged in administrtaive work in G-2, Section III Corps, in Germany, has been promoted from corporal to sergeant, it is announced from headquarters.

Sgt. Thompson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Thompson, Sr., of Abingdon, and was formerly employed in the administrative department of the Texas Company, Pennington Gap.

C. C. Fugate is a patient in the Medical College Hospital at Richmond, where he went for check-up and treatment.

Husband No. 2 Gives His Version of Dual Marriage

Wm. E. (Bill) Nelms, ex-marine and ex-soldier, today talked freely of his romance and marriage with Thelma Hammond, of Washington, D. C., of his disillusionment at learning of an already existing husband, of what he termed a "frame-up" arrest and jail sentence — he told all, and here is the story, in part:

"I met Thelma in Washington, D. C., in December, 1943. I thought she was a fine girl and was pretty. Above all, I thought she was single. I dated her until we were married in Elkton, Md., May 8, 1944. We hadn't been married long when I learned she already had a husband — learned it through an allotment check he had sent her. She stated that she thought her husband was dead —let her tell that to the wind.

"I was shot in the leg by a man whom Thelma was stepping out with, and taken to a hospital in Washington. When I got able I came home, and was intending to go back to Washington and appear against them in a trial—she on a charge of bigamy and he for attempt to murder; but on Sunday night, June 3, I was detained by a Lee County policeman. He arrested me on the strength of a long distance telephone call, telling him to hold me for theft. Thelma was charging me with stealing her fur coat and other items of clothing. I was put in jail for about nine days, and Senator L. M. Robinette obtained my release under a habeas corpus."

Here Nelms smiled broadly as he said: "I'm going to get myself out of this mess, then I'm going to California, get me a job at my trade—steel welding—and begin life anew."

Nelms is tall, broad-shouldered and good-looking and has a pleasing personality. His father is a veteran of the Spanish-American War.

News From

POOR VALLEY

Sam Waddel, of Linger, has received word that his son, Charles Waddel, was killed in Italy May 13th in an accident. He had been in the Army for more than three years.

Mrs. Ethel Tate and son, Seaman Dewey Tate, of West Virginia, visited her mother, Mrs Martha Riddle, at Dryden, last week.

Pfc. Charles W. Riddle, who has been stationed in Burma and India, has been transferred to China. He writes that he is OK.

Pfc. Kenneth Wampler, of near Olinger, has received his honorable discharge from the U. S. Army. He was wounded overseas.

Sgt. Charles Giles, of Olinger, is home again, having been honorably discharged by meriting his required number of points. He has been in overseas service 33 months, and was wounded last December.

Sgt. Loyd Olinger, grandson of Ballard Olinger, is expected home soon, on honorable discharge from the Army. He is bringing a bride from England with him. He has been stationed in England for 34 months.

Lloyd Olinger, of Exeter, Va., has been visiting his father, Ballard Olinger.

Hagan Sewell Awarded Group Official Citation

An Eighth Air Force Bomber Station, England.—As a member of a bombardment squadron armament section at this veteran Flying Fortress Station, Corporal Hagan F. Sewell., Jr., the 25-year-old son of Mr. Hagan F. Sewell, Sr., of Jonesville, Va., is one of the men whose work is contributing to the outstanding success of the daylight bombing offensive against the Nazi war war machine.

Each bomb, large or small, must be loaded into the aircraft and have a fuse attached hours before take-off. Cpl. Sewell and the men working with him are called at any hour of the day or night, in all types of weather, to perform this exacting work.

Recently their efforts received official recognition when the entire First Bombardment Division was awarded a Presidential Citation, for the assault on enemy aircraft factories at Oschersleben, Germany. This award entitles every man in the Division to wear the blue gold-bordered citation ribbon.

Prior to entering the AAF on August 7, 1942, Cpl. Sewell was a clerk for the Appalachia Hardware Store in Appalachia, Va. He has been serving overseas in the European Theater of Operations since August 14, 1943.

Promotion For Mosley

The promotion of Roy M. Mosley, serving as jeep driver with the 87th Infantry Division in the Battle of Germany, to private first class, has been announced.

Pfc. Mosley is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy C. Mosley, of Pennington Gap, and the husband of the former Miss Martha Gibson, of Pennington Gap.

—VISIT—

Pleasure Island

Swimming Pool

BIG STONE GAP, VIRGINIA

Now Open

TWO GUARDS

Special Attention to Children

Swim In Drinking Water

for HEALTH

SAFETY

and FUN

Letter From Commanding Officer, 86th US Division

The following letter was passed out to the men of the 86th Division, commanded by Major General Harris M .Melasky. A copy was sent to Mrs. O. F. Allen, of Jenesville, by her son, Pvt. James Allen:

"To the Men of the
86th Division:

"The Division has come to the end of another phase in our combat operations, and again a glorious victory has been won. We have punctured the might of Naxi supremacy, and left his forces reduced to tattered remnants, incapable of further resistance. The Battle of Bavaria will long live in Blackhawk memory.

"As part of the Third Army in the American drive to crush Naxi resistance in the vaunted Redoubt, the 86th Division played an enviable part. Starting the engagement south of Ansbach, the Division thrust through a hundred and twenty miles of enemy-held territory in the short space of twelve days, captured the towns of Ellingen, Erichstatt, Voburg, Ingalstadt, Frecising, Erding, and more than a hundred other villages, released 15,000 Allied prisoners from under the Nazi yokes, captured 14,000 enemy forces, and reduced his natural water barriers in the Altmuhl, Danube and Isor Rivers with a speed that left his defense hopelessly broken.

"I can think of no more fitting tribute to the valiant deeds of the men of this Division than to say that you accomplished what I expected, and had faith you would do; that you accomplished no more was because there was nothing else to be done. I am indeed honored to have commanded the Blackhawk Division in this engagement."

Harris M. Melasky,
Major General, U. S. Army,
Commanding.

On Sunday, June 17, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Mullins, of Woodway, had the pleasure of having all of their family at home. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Mullins and Phyllis, of Lancin, Tenn.; Pfc. O. F. Mullins, of Scott Field, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mullins and Mary Kathryn, of Leona Mines; S.-Sgt. and Mrs. K. L. Mullins and Nancy Katrina, Cherry Point, N. C.; and Helen and Anna Wray Mullins, of Woodway.

Former Local Soldier Is Now In Germany

Cpl. J. R. Housley, Jr., is serving with the 279th Engineer Combat Battalion in Germany.

He arrived overseas in September, 1944, and has served in France, Belgium, Netherlands, and Germany. His company has had an active part in the preparation for the crossing of the Roer and Rhine Rivers, and during the actual crossing of the Roer was one of the first to ferry infantrymen across into enemy territory, under intense artillery and mortar fire.

He was also one of the first to construct infantry foot and assault bridges on the beginning of the now famous Ninth Army drive into the heart of Germany.

Cpl. Housley is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Housley, Sr., formerly of Pennington Gap, and now of Fountain City, Tenn., and is the husband of Mrs. Fern Kelly Housley, now making her home for the duration with her father, M. D. Kelly, of Pennington Gap.

Horse Show, Celebration At Big Stone Gap July 4

Plans are just about complete for the Second Annual Horse Show and Celebration, to be held at Big Stone Gap, July 4th, and again sponsored by the local Kiwanis Club and by B .F. Gilliam.

Mr. Gilliam announces the receipt of a number of entries for the different classes of horses, and expects a good many more.

Some entries have been received from Knoxville and several other towns, which promises a good show; the officials for the show are from Knoxville and LaFollette, Tenn.

Better accommodations will be provided this year for the exhibitors. Another interesting part of the program will be a pulling contest by some of the heavy draft teams. Many other attractions including Bill Carr and his trained horses and cowboy acts.

Kingsport, Tennessee's State Guard Band will furnish the band music for the occasion.

The June bride crop is ripe and ready to be picked.

ST. CHARLES PERSONALS

Clyde E. Sprinkle, C. C. S., United States Navy, was transferred to inactive duty on June 19, after 33 years of service. Sprinkle first enlisted in 1912.

Mrs. Lloyd Smith and Mrs. C. H. Redmon will be joint hostesses tomorrow evening at a stork shower for Mrs. Enos Doss, a next-door neighbor. About fifty guests are invited, and bingo will lead in entertainment.

Miss Mae Blair has recently graduated as cadet nurse from St. Mary's Hospital, Knoxville, and is at home on short leave.

Pvt. Jack Coleman has returned to Louisiana for a possible overseas assignment, after spending a furlough visit here with his mother, Mrs. Mabel Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brummitt will go to Rogers, Tenn., Sunday, and bring back with them their niece, Miss Joyce Boyd, for a visit.

Birthday Party

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Redmon gave a birthday party Wednesday evening, June 20, for their son, Charles, Jr., who was nine that day. About 28 young folk were present, and enjoyed games, refreshments, and above all a big birthday cake with birthday decorations on it. Charles received lots of nice gifts.

Harold Hagy, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hagy, left Wednesday to enter the U. S. Navy at Bainbridge. He was met at Pennington Gap by Ishmael Young, of Woodway, and they were to make the trip and entrance together.

Pvt. Silas McCracken, son of Mr. and Mrs. James McCracken, is here to stay, having been honorably discharged after a period of service beginning eighteen months before the bombing of Pearl Harbor.

Charles Richard Elam, of Louisiana, has come to spend most of the summer here with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Redmon.

Mrs. Lloyd Smith entertained with two birthday parties last week, one on Friday evening for her husband, who was recently discharged from service when he lost a hand in combat overseas. Mr. Smith said he thoroughly enjoys life again now, back at home where he found welcome and regained happiness, although he is proud to have served his country. He is employed as clerk for Benedict Coal Corporation. Mrs. Smith served to his guests Friday evening a buffet supper. On Saturday afternoon Mrs. Smith entertained for her daughter, Marlene. Refreshments were served and recreation enjoyed, and Marlene received a number of lovely gifts.

Mrs. Palmer Stallard is visiting with Mrs. Rufus Hubbard.

Mrs. Chas. E. Pearce, of Jacksonville, Fla., arrived here Sunday to be with her mother, Mrs. R. G. Bolin, who is a patient in Dr. Bolin Hospital at Norton, and who will probably undergo an operation Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Triplett and sons, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., are spending a two weeks' vacation here with Mrs. Triplett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Bolin.

Seaman J. T. "Jimmy Tom" Laningham, has been advanced to first class rating, and has been transferred from Bainbridge, Md., to Quantico, Va.

He who loves last helps spend the alimony.

PEOPLE OF LEE COUNTY

This Date We Are Short $120,000 Of Our $290,000 E Bond Quota

Only Ten More Days To Go

Can we make it? We'll tell the world we can!

BUY BIGGER BONDS —and More of Them!

• Read that figure again, neighbor. It's not just a lot of numbers pulled out of a hat. It's our share, *your* share, in the mighty 7th War Loan.

Does it sound big, neighbor? Well, those Superforts that are plastering Japan are big—and cost *plenty*. Battleships are big—and cost *millions*. The job our fighting men are out to finish is big — and the cost is staggering.

So of course *our* job is big. But we can do it if you and every other patriotic American in this city buys a BIGGER bond than before—or invests a BIGGER portion of income in War Bonds *now!*

Two Drives In One

By this time last year, you had already subscribed in *two* War Loans. This 7th War Loan is like *two* drives in one.

Study the chart below. See what your country expects *you* to do in the 7th War Loan. Remember, *you* are part of America—a part of America's might!

FIND YOUR QUOTA . . . AND MAKE IT!

IF YOUR AVERAGE WAGE PER MONTH IS:	YOUR PERSONAL WAR BOND QUOTA IS: (CASH VALUE)	MATURITY VALUE OF 7TH WAR LOAN BONDS BOUGHT
$250	$187.50	$250
225-250	150.00	200
210-225	131.25	175
200-210	112.50	150
180-200	93.75	125
140-180	75.00	100
100-140	37.50	50
Under $100	18.75	25

Pour out Your Might in the MIGHTY SEVENTH!

THE MIGHTY 7th WAR LOAN

This is an official U. S. Treasury advertisement—prepared under the auspices of Treasury Department and War Advertising Council

A CONTRIBUTION IN SUPPORT OF THE SEVENTH WAR LOAN BY:

POWELL VALLEY NEWS

It'll take all the fight he's got—

STAY WITH HIM!

How you can help

1 Keep that war job!
2 Keep buying Bonds!
3 Keep doing all your country asks!

So you think that licking the Japs will be a push-over? . . .

The Jap is glad to hear it. In 3 years of war with us he's lost less territory than he seized in the first 3 months of war. And he'd like to hang on to it.

So you're thinking of quitting your war job soon?

70 million Japs hope you do. Nearly 35 million of them are working 12-16 hours a day, 7 days a week, to beat you. They can't quit. They don't want to quit. They plan to win. And, in addition, some 400 million enslaved peoples are forced to work for them. And they can't quit either.

Think over these cold facts:

- The Jap has never lost a war—yet
- The Jap now controls the second largest empire in the world, all of it in his own Pacific backyard.
- The Jap says he's willing to spend 50 years, 10 million Jap lives, to hold on to what he's got. *And the Jap means just that!*
- The Jap doesn't quit. In the war against us he has lost hundreds of thousands dead, only a few thousand prisoners.
- As the Jap is pushed back—slowly, bitterly, taking as yet uncountable American lives with him—his supply lines shorten, like the coiling of a fist. Our lines lengthen—*and he gets relatively stronger.*

Remember—the Jap holds aces. His warfare is defensive, entrenched. His fighters are determined to kill as many of our men as possible before dying "gloriously" for their emperor. Despite eight years of war, *the Jap army has not yet been mustered to its full strength.*

To crush the Jap, our Army, our Navy, our Coast Guard and Marines—every branch of the service, must fight him with men, ships, planes and supplies over an area of thousands of miles.

How long will it take to win?

That's squarely up to you . . .

. . . and whether you give your best to your war job. And keep buying Bonds. And keep replacing the blood of fallen Americans with your own.

IT'S A TOUGH ROAD TO TOKYO

JESSEE CHEVROLET SALES CO.
Pennington Gap, Va.

PENNINGTON HARDWARE AND FURN. CO.
Pennington Gap, Va.

NOVELTY CLOTHING COMPANY
Pennington Gap, Va. St. Charles, Va.

THE ECONOMY STORE
Pennington Gap, Va.

LEE THEATRE
Pennington Gap, Va.

DR. CHARLES C. CANN
Pennington Gap, Va.

DR. D. E. McDANIEL
Pennington Gap, Va.

P. & P. GROCERY COMPANY
Pennington Gap, Va.

A. T. PENNINGTON LUMBER COMPANY
Pennington Gap, Va.

LEE BANK & TRUST COMPANY
Pennington Gap, Va.

TEPPER'S DEPARTMENT STORE
St. Charles, Va.

SHOUN DRUG COMPANY
St. Charles, Va.

J. M. FRY LUMBER COMPANY, Inc.
BLUE GEM COAL COMPANY
St. Charles, Va.

DR. CHARLES N. HENDERSON
Bonny Blue, Va.

PEOPLES BANK OF EWING
Ewing, Va.

CREECH TIRE & SUPPLY COMPANY
Pennington Gap, Va.

PENNINGTON MILLING COMPANY
Pennington Gap, Va.

SERVICE GROCERY CO.
Pennington Gap, Va.

FLANARY BROTHERS
Pennington Gap, Va.

EWING LIVESTOCK CO., Inc.
Ewing, Va.

RED ROCK BEVERAGE COMPANY
Appalachia, Va.

PET DIARY PRODUCTS COMPANY
Big Stone Gap, Va.

LEE BANK & TRUST COMPANY
St. Charles, Va.

FLETCHER DRY CLEANERS
Pennington Gap, Va.

ST. CHARLES FUNERAL HOME
St. Charles, Va.

BENEDICT COAL CORPORATION
St. Charles, Va.

BLUE DIAMOND COAL COMPANY
Bonny Blue, Va. Leona Mines, Va.

KEMMERER GEM COAL COMPANY
St. Charles, Va.

VIRGINIA-TENNESSEE FARM BUREAU, Inc.
Ewing, Va.

TURNER'S STORE No. 1
St. Charles, Va.
No. 2 — Pennington Gap, Va.

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TOWN TALK

About This, That, And The Other

They are not long, the weeping and the laughter,
Love and desire and hate;
I think they have no portion in us after
We pass the gate.

Language of Flowers

A prominent lady living at Woodway tells this interesting and "flowery" story, which is substantiated by neighbors:

The lady has a regal lily growing in a jardeniere at her home, and it bloomed the first time on January 1, 1941, the date on which her son enlisted in Army service. The son came home on furlough in November, 1942, and again the lily bloomed, for the second time. In May, 1943, the flower blossomed the third time when the son came home on his second furlough.

No more blooming until March 29, 1944, on the day the son was captured and taken prisoner. A cold spell came and the flower was seemingly frozen. In April, 1945, it revived and bloomed again—the day before the mother received word that her son was liberated by the Allies.

No Age Limit

That Cupid has set no age limit on marital happiness is proven by the following statement from a rural citizen.

He was in our office the other day in the interest of raising funds with which to take his wife to the University Hospital at Charlottesville. He stated that his wife was "turned into 73 years old while he is 52". "She's old enough for my mother," he commented, "but I love her—wouldn't swap her for anything in the world."

Wedding Bells Are Ringing

Wedding bells in Lee are beginning to ring with their old-time frequency, it seems. Records in the Clerk's Office at Jonesville show nine marriage licenses issued in June, with the month not quite gone, and several local couples having obtained licenses elsewhere.

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Free Church Bus Will Begin Sunday, July 1

The Methodist Church of Pennington Gap is making "last call" for rural folk to be ready to attend Sunday School and church services on the free bus schedule, beginning Sunday, July 1.

The bus will leave "Big Hill" about 8:30 Sunday morning, coming by way of the church up through the Poor Valley community, returning by the Texaco plant, and back to the church.

Return trips will be made following the morning services.

Mrs. C. H. Redmon, Mrs. Lloyd Smith and Mrs. Arnold Levesay were joint hostesses last Friday evening, to a stork shower for Mrs. Enos Doss, a close friend and neighbor. The affair was given at Mrs. Redmon's home, which was beautifully decorated for the occasion with summer flowers.

Bingo was the leading feature of entertainment, and other games and contests were enjoyed. Refreshments including a salad course were served, then followed the opening and display of the many lovely gifts presented Mrs. Doss for the baby-to-be. About 35 guests enjoyed this delightful social affair.

Mr. and Mrs. Gifford Robbins and children, of Norton, visited Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Provence, Tuesday.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Weather Bureau report for the week ending June 24, 1945 for Lee County, furnished b. Cam J. Lewis, official observer:

Date	Temperature		Rainfall
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
18	85	60	.15
19	77	59	1.00
20	72	56	.15
21	81	51	[illegible]
22	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
23	84	58	[illegible]
24	88	54	[illegible]

Juvenile Delinquents Stirring Up Trouble

Six 'Teen Age Boys Are Awaiting Preliminary Trial; Serious Charge

Claude H. Benfield, who is chief of police for Pennington Gap, and also deputy sheriff for Lee County, says that this recent outbreak of juvenile delinquency in the county has "sorter got him on the run", but, as usual, he has succeeded in tracking down his culprits and bringing them to justice.

The latest offense reported by Benfield is that of two brothers, age 14 and 15, respectively, and another boy of 18, who are facing the charge of robbing a store belonging to Ezra Pennington, and located between Robbins Chapel and Calvin, on the night of June 20.

The two brothers admitted their guilt, Benfield said, and are in Jonesville jail awaiting preliminary trial, but the 18-year-old boy made his getaway, and is at large. Benfield said the boys took several cartons of tobacco, some cakes, a fountain pen, and money and valuable papers from the cash register. Most of the goods were recovered from a hollow log on top of the mountain above Calvin, to which the boys led the officers after making the confession. Benfield said he and his assisting officer, Matt Cooney, tracked down the boys by means of footprints and by paper torn from around the cakes and tobacco. He states that the mother was deeply grieved by the affair, and said that her boys "had had better training than that".

Two of the three boys involved in the attempt to embezzle a Plymouth car from Fred Welch, restaurant owner of Pennington Gap, were picked up by Benfield about 2:00 o'clock Saturday morning just as they were about to make a second getaway, after being sought for several days. The third accomplice was arrested at the time the car was found and was lodged in Jonesville jail, and later made bond. The three will stand preliminary trial June 30, Officer Benfield said.

WHLN To Air St. Charles-Cumberland Game July 4

Virgil Q. Wacks will broadcast a play-by-play description of the big special baseball game at Benham, Ky., on July 4, between the St. Charles Miners and the Cumberland Mountaineers. Station WHLN will carry the broadcast. This is a big money game, the winner taking 60% of a big gate that will possibly amount to several hundred dollars. It will be labeled Lee County coalfields vs. Harlan County coalfields for who shall get the cash.

The game will be packed with thrills at the celebration, and a large crowd will be on hand to view the festivities. Be sure to tune in.

Mrs. Leona Knighton and Mrs. J. G. Hughes, of Anniston, Ala.; James Knighton, stationed at the Army Air Base in Florida, and his wife, have been visiting Mr and Mrs. A. R. Brown for a few days.

TRAINING FOR NEW JOB

A. J. ELY, JR.

A. J. Ely, Jr., Qm. 2-C., volunteered for service at Bainbridge, Md. The first ship to which he was assigned was the Nevada, then the Ganter, being transferred from sea duty to Florida, where he was an instructor.

He is in Norfolk training for new duties aboard a destroyer. Seaman Ely wears ribbons for the American area campaign; also European, African, Middle Eastern areas campaigns, and is only 19 years old.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ely, Sr., of Dryden.

"MIGHTY SEVENTH" IN LAST DAYS; "E" BOND QUOTA SHORT

According to a report today from War Fund Chairman T. B. Fugate, the county's "E" Bond quota for the Seventh War Loan Drive is still short more than $100,000 of the $290,000 quota, which means that if quota is to be met for this drive, workers and chairman will have to do some hustling work within the next few days.

According to Mr. Fugate, the county will receive credit against the quota for all bonds bought to and including July 6, which is an extension of six days from the previously announced June 30 closing.

Mr. Fugate is very optimistic that the quota can still be met. The county has never failed to make or exceed quota in any previous War Loan drive, and the people of Lee County owe the obligation to the men fighting this war and to themselves to see that the county's War Loan quota is met by July 6, the last day. Bond purchases will be credited to the Mighty Seventh Drive.

The picture to date as to the sale of other than "E" Bonds is much brighter, amounting to approximately $200,000 against a quota of $125,000

Local Business Houses Will Observe "Fourth"

Practically all places of business in Pennington Gap will be closed Wednesday, July Fourth, giving their employees the opportunity to celebrate the holiday.

Black Bullets Troupe Coming To Lee County

A three-man team of wounded combat veterans who were former coal miners will come into the Lee County coal fields to tell of some of their experiences and to stress the importance of coal to the war effort. Two films, "Black Bullets" and "Railroaders Always", will be shown free of charge at each performance. All coal miners and their families are urged to get in on this treat. The shows are free and the general public is invited. These shows are presented by the United States Army in cooperation with the War Manpower Commission, the United Mine Workers of America and the Coal Operators' Associations.

The first appearance of the Black Bullets Troupe is at the Bonny Blue Theater on Monday, July 2nd, at 1:00 P. M. A second show will be given at the same plce in the evening at the regular opening hour.

In addition to the Black Bullets, the Blue Diamond Coal Company has arranged for the regular feature picture to be shown free of charge that day.

On Tuesday, July 3rd, at 8:00 P. M., the Black Bullets Troupe will visit Pennington Gap at the high school auditorium.

They will be at the St. Charles High School on Thursday, July 5th, at 8:00 P. M. On Friday, July 6th, the show will be presented at Keokee High School at 8.00 P. M.

Mr. Harry J. Willoughby, manager of the United States Employment Service of the War Manpower Commission in Appalachia, will be glad to receive any available information regarding the troupe's activities.

Scout Suffers Broken Arm

Dennett Slemp, of Big Stone Gap, was brought to Lee General Hospital yesterday for treatment for a broken arm. Dennett, who is 13, said he was helping some other Boy Scouts plant honeysuckle along the highway near Big Stone, and fell over a cliff.

Henry Clark Hurt In Mine Accident

Henry Clark, 30, had both legs broken yesterday afternoon in a mine accident, reportedly in No 12 at Benedict. Clark said he was caught between a cutting machine and the face. He is in Lee General Hospital.

Ralph Cox Graduates In Basic Engineering

Among the recent graduates from an extensive course in basic engineering at Service Schools in Great Lakes, Ill., was Ralph P. Cox, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Cox, of Route 1, Dryden, Va.

His training has been designed to fit him for a specialized Navy job in the long Pacific war ahead, and also for skilled work in industry when peace comes.

Graduates from the ten courses taught at the Service Schools are sent to sea, to shore stations, or to advanced schools for further duty.

Memorial Chapel Planned For Lake Junaluska

Lake Junaluska, N. C., will be the site for a Memorial Chapel, to be erected by the Southeastern Jurisdiction of the Holston Conference, Methodist Churches, in honor of the youth who have served in the armed forces, it is announced.

The chapel building will be financed by each church in the jurisdiction donating $1.00 for each blue star on their Service Flag.

Local Board Announces Change In Meeting Date

Beginning with the first Tuesday in July, the local Draft Board meetings will be changed to each Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, instead of each Thursday afternoon.

Watermelon Party

The immeidate families of Mr. V. C. Hobbs and Mrs. Thomas Wallace gathered at the home of their father, Z. E. Hobbs, Tuesday night to say good-bye to the departing guests. While there the good-bye party turned into a watermelon party, and everyone reported a good time.

Mrs. Grable, Mrs. Litton Victims of Heart Attacks

Mrs. G. W. Grable, 58, of Pennington Gap, was the second in our town to meet sudden death from heart attack yesterday, June 27. See was stricken about 7.00 p. m., while sitting in a porch swing at her home in the L. & N. row, south of the railroad in East Pennington, and died within a few minutes.

Funeral arrangements are not yet complete, but the body will be taken to Bethel Cemetery, at Hubbard Springs, for burial.

Mrs. Grable is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Esther Ingle, of Benedict; Misses Leona and Artie Grable; three sons, Lee, serving as warrant officer with the U. S. Army in Delaware; Pfc. Bernard, with the U. S. Army in Czechoslovakia; G. W., Jr., at home. She is also survived by five grandchildren.

Mrs. Olga Litton, 72, widow of the late Robert E. Litton, of Dryden, died from a heart attack early this morning. Funeral arrangements have not been made.

Mrs. Litton is survived by one son, Bryan Litton, of Dryden; four daughters, Mrs. Wm. Voelker, Richmond, Va.; Mrs. George Warren, Bristol, Tenn.; Mrs. Wm. Queenberry, of Kingsport, Tenn.; and Mrs. R. W. Bragg, of Alberta, Va.

Card Of Thanks

We wish to thank our friends of Calvin and the Pennington-Myers Funeral Home of Appalachia for their kindness and service at the death of our husband and father, Howard Riddle. We also wish to express our appreciation for the beautiful floral offerings.

Mrs. Howard Riddle and Children.

National Piano Audition

The music pupils of Miss Cora Lewis who were given an audition by Louise Godfrey Ogle at Knoxville, Tenn., on June 14th, have received their ratings, each of the pupils receiving a grade above 90. Those receiving the Local Winner's Certificates are as follows:

Ben Ellis Pitts, Nancy Stout, Peggy Anderson, Davene Wainscott, Delano Dew, Joyce Jean Livesay, Sarita Couk, Albert Mehaffey, Nancy Lee Anderson, Dortha Fry, Jane Robbins, Eugene Mehaffey, Billy Shelton, Suzanne David, Shirley King, L. T. Stewart, and Millard Hale Robbins.

Those receiving District Winners' Certificates are: Mildred Kely and Ruth Hilton.

Methodist Church

Sunday, July 1: Sunday School at 9:30 a. m., Clyde M. Kirk, Supt. Morning worship at 10:40. sermon topic: "Consider the Lilies". Special music.

Evening: Intermediates and Young People meet at 6.30. Communion service at 7:30. Communion meditation: "Bread of Life".

Meeting of the Board of Stewards on Monday evening at 7:30. Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

C. D. Mehaffey, Pastor.

Big Stone Gap Man Contacts Live Wires

W. E. Rogers, of Big Stone Gap, employed as lineman for Old Dominion Power Co., had a "close call" Saturday evening when he contacted live electric wires while working on a power line south of Jonesville, in the "Town Branch" community.

Mr. Rogers was rendered unconscious, in addition to suffering severe burns. He was first given artificial respiration, then rushed to Lee General Hospital at Pennington Gap, where he made a quick recovery.

Homecoming At Woodway Community Church

The annual Homecoming Service will be held at the Community Church at Woodway, Sunday, July 1. Rev. W. R. Dillon will be the main speaker, and lunch will be served at the church. The public is cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Bay Reasor had as dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Hobbs, of Bay St. Louis, Miss.; Mrs. Thomas Wallace and daughters, of Louisville, Ky.; Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Hobbs and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Hobbs and family, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Reasor and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ely, Rovern Ely, and Mrs. E. P. Garrison.

Fatal Heart Attack Takes Prominent Man

For Lieutenant Governor

SEN. LEONARD G. MUSE

State Senator Leonard G. Muse, Senator from Roanoke City since 1936, and a candidate for Lieutenant Governor of Virginia, subject to the Democratic Primary to be held August 7, 1945, is a visitor in the county this week.

Senator Muse is a member of the State Board of Education, a member of the Board of Trustees of the Baptist Orphanage, Salem, Va. He was chairman of the special commission appointed by the General Assembly and the Governor to study the question of occupational diseases in mines, quarries, etc., which commission recommended to the General Assembly that occupational diseases be included in the Workman's Compensation Act, and those disabled from such diseases be compensated on the same basis as those disabled by accident. Senator Muse was largely responsible for the enactment into law of this phase of the Compensation Act.

He is also a member of the law firm which recently represented the coal miners in the portal to portal case, recently decided by the Supreme Court of the United States in favor of the miners.

He was formerly a member of the Virginia Legislative Advisory Council, and has been one of the leaders of the General Assembly in behalf of increased facilities for public education in this Commonwealth.

Senator Muse is considered one of the leaders in the Senate of Virginia, where he is held in very high esteem. He is a graduate of Roanoke College and the University of Virginia Law School, and is a veteran of World War I.

First Baptist Church

Sunday, July 1: Sunday School at 9:30 a. m., Arthur T. Burchette, Supt. Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon topic: "The Sufficiency of Christ".

Evening: Training Unions at 6:30. Preaching at 7:30. Subject for evening sermon: "The Hunger of the Soul".

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

P. R. Stubbs, Pastor.

Pennington Resident Since 1906 Died Suddenly at A.&P. Store

Thomas H. Pugh died suddenly in the A. & P. Store here, where he was employed as salesman, about ten o'clock Wednesday morning, June 27. Although he had been in ill health for some time, death was sudden and unexpected. He had reported to work as usual, and had waited on customers until almost the moment he was seized by a heart attack, which was attributed as cause of his death.

Mr. Pugh was a native of Grayson County, Va., and was the son of the late William and Mary A. Pugh. He came to Lee County with his parents in his early boyhood days, and for a time they resided in the Stickleyville community. He came to Pennington Gap in 1906, and reared his family here. He was a member of the First Christian Church.

Funeral services will be conducted from the home tomorrow afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, by his pastor, Rev. W. B. Moore, assisted by local pastors. Burial will follow in Cecil Cemetery.

Mr. Pugh is survived by his widow, Mrs. Rebeccah Kimberling Pugh; three daughters, Mrs. Oscar L. Farley, Mrs. [illegible] Waddell, and Mrs. G. C. (Steve) Tomlinson; five sons, R. G., manager of the A. & P. Store in Kingsport; Harry, of Cumberland, Ky.; Edsel, pastor of the First Christian Church at Martinsville, Va.; Henry and Wayne, at home.

I.O.O.F. District Meeting

A district meeting of Odd Fellows will be held at Jessee Lodge 285, St. Charles, Va., on the night of July 7, beginning at 8 o'clock.

The committee is preparing a program which will include music, singing and speaking. There will be a public installation of officers for Jessee Lodge, Pennington Lodge and the officers of Powell Valley Rebekah Lodge. Other features have not been announced as yet, but all Odd Fellows are especially requested to attend, as announcements of importance to the membership will be made at this time.

A special invitation is extended to the service boys to attend this meeting, and everyone is cordially invited to be with us.

Ellis Roberts, D.D.G.M.

Seaman Robinson Likes His New Job

Arthur W. Robinson, F. 1-C., husband of Maurine Dalton Robinson, of Shawanee, Tenn., entered the Navy January 31, 1944, and is now serving in the Southwest Pacific area. He has served overseas for the past seven months.

Fireman Robinson says he likes his new job, after being mess cook for the past three months. Before entering service he was employed by Bristol Industrial School at Bristol, Va.

St. Charles, Jonesville Will Play Home Games

Cumberland Now Leads Lonesome Pine League, Winning Two Sunday

The Cumberland, Ky., Mountaineers of the Lonesome Pine League and their multiple hundreds of enthusiastic fans, named Bill Bailey as their manager a few weeks ago, and adopted as their theme song, "Won't You Come Home Bill Bailey". Bill has proceeded well on his way "home" without a defeat since he took over, and today, the Cumberlanders are echoing their theme song to the hill tops of Harlan County, because Bill has really arrived [illegible] arrived and established a beachhead at the top of the league, crowding the league-leading St. Charles and Jonesville out of their season-long establishment.

To do this required two more wins, and this he accomplished Sunday with a double win over the strong Oreton club of Big Stone Gap. The original Lonesome Piners of the Gap town fought frantically on even terms with the Kentuckians all the way, only to lose each game by the same score of 3 to 2 in the final innings, the nightcap requiring eleven frames before final settlement was established, with Cumberland sending the winning tally across in the last half of the eleventh inning.

The first game was featured by a pitchers' duel, Wheelock pitching a seven-hit game and striking out 21 men, while Lefty Mabe for Oreton, likewise permitted but seven hits, whiffing ten.

Darnell was the winning pitcher in the second game, striking out 11, while Junior Mabe opposed him and whiffed eight. Hits were very scarce on both sides.

If I were writing "Strolling"

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Free City Mail Delivery Is Under Consideration

Post Office Department Asks That Streets Be Improved And Marked

Postmaster J. P. Kelly has revealed the fact that the Post Office Department is considering a free city delivery service for Pennington Gap. This has been before the Department for some time, and the officials have at last become interested to the extent that they sent a post office inspector to investigate as to whether or not the town justifies the service.

The report of the inspector was that the population of the town and gross receipts of the postoffice meet the requirements of a free delivery service, but there is some hesitancy due to street conditions, lack of house numbers and street signs.

Mayor Parsons states that he can easily correct the two latter defects, and have house numbers and street signs installed in a little or no time, but as to the street improvements, it will take considerable cooperation on the part of both citizens and town officials.

Postmaster Kelly points out that this free delivery service will be a great asset to our town, and give it a much higher rating. He urges the citizens who are interested to get busy and contact thier town council to the extent that they may be able to meet the requirements.

Mr. Kelly states that the one great need of our town is better streets, whether we get the free delivery or not, and that we also need new and up-to-date maps of the town.

Jonesville PERSONALS

Dr. and Mrs. Southgate Ely and little son, Tommy, are here with Dr. Ely's parents, his father, Dr. T. B. Ely, being very ill.

Mrs. Carlton Hawthorne is a guest of her mother, Mrs. Jess Willoughby, for the summer.

Capt. and Mrs. A. M. Baisden, Mrs. M. D. Couk, and Mrs. Rhea Banner were Bristol shoppers Monday.

Misses Mary Lee Couk and Sally Sewell are attending Ben Lippen Camp, Asheville, N. C., where they will remain until early in July.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lee Davidson, of Akron, Ohio, are visiting his father, W. L. Davidson, and other relatives, this week.

Doris Cunningham, medical student at the University of Virginia, Charlottesville, is here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Cunningham, this week.

Mrs. L. N. Cridlin has returned from the University Hospital, Charlottesville, where she has been receiving treatment.

Miss Saluda Sewell, Superintendent of Public Welfare, will leave for a business trip to Roanoke, Wednesday.

Miss Lucy Walker and Mrs. Ruth D. Pennington attended a welfare meeting of Social Workers in Norton, Friday.

O. M. Hyatt and George Sewell left for Blacksburg, Wednesday, where George plans to enter school.

Mrs. Clyde Cridlin and little son, of Richmond, Va., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. P. Cridlin for several weeks.

Mrs. John Lanningham (nee Betty Rosenbaum) is attending summer school at the University of Tennessee, where she is working on her M.A. in Home Economics.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Orr, of West Virginia, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Orr, this week. Also, Robert Orr, who has just returned from the European theater of war, is at home for thirty days.

Mrs. F. K. Hyatt has just returned from Kingston, N. C., where she has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Cornwall, for the past few weeks.

Rufus Harmon, of Harmon, Va., has been a recent guest of his mother, Mrs. E. S. Orr.

Mrs. Browning Wynn was hostess to her bridge club Thursday evening. Guests for the evening were Mrs. Rhea Banner and Miss Lucy Walker.

Mrs. Ruth S. Orr, former social worker in the Department of Public Welfare, now of Hazel, Va., was a week-end visitor here.

Cale Gibson, Phm. 1-C., instructor at the Bainbridge Naval School, recently visited friends and relatives in Lee County.

Miss Nanette Ely, a sophomore at Union College, Barbourville, Ky., made the honor roll for the third quarter with an average of 2.00. The roll includes those who attained a "B" average in their courses while carrying a full program.

Cpl. George F. Watson, captured on December 7 by the Germans, and liberated in April by the Allies, arrived here Monday for an 85-day furlough. He is the husband of Mrs. Clair Watson.

Pfc. Billy Burgan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Burgan, come home recently on a 30-day furlough.

Sgt. Robert Orr, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Orr, is at home on furlough after serving more than two years overseas.

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NOTICE

Persons having claims against the estate of George Kempton Hyten (commonly known as Kemp Hyten or Hyden), deceased, are hereby required to present same to Walter R. Pennington, Administrator of said Estate, and all persons indebted to said estate are required to settle the same at once.

Walter R. Pennington, Administrator of the Estate of George Kempton Hyten. Address: Roller Building, Pennington Gap, Virginia.
Adv. No. 24-4t.

News From MILLER'S CHAPEL

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Williams and children, of Portsmouth, Va., are spending a vacation here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Williams, and Mr. and Mrs. Cephus Roop, of Jonesville, Rt. 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Terry are visiting his sister, Mrs. Susie Rollins, who is on the sick list.

Miss Jean Terry, of Ben Hur, spent the week-end with Miss Juanita Bledsoe.

Mrs. Maggie Burgan, of Ben Hur, is spending some time with her father, Frank Garrett, who is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Bledsoe and family, of Jonesville, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams, Sunday.

Miss Vivian Spivey, of Kingsport, spent the week-end here with her aunt, Mrs. Pearl Williams, and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Johnson, Mrs. George Terry, Mr. and Mrs. Isom Ely were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Will Farley, Sunday. Mr. Farley has been seriously ill for several days.

Mrs. Howard Bledsoe underwent a serious operation at Lee General Hospital, Friday.

Houston Robbins, Eula Mae Tonker and Reeda Terry visited with Sally Bea Johnson, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Flanagan and daughter, Opal, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tyde Haynes.

The following were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Luster Parsons: Rev. Tip Parkey, Rose Hill; Mr. and Mrs. Olin H. Parsonsand son, Jessee; Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Bledsoe and son, Garland Rhea; Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Terry and children; Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Bledsoe and children; Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bledsoe and family; and Glenn Bledsoe.

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Williams were: Mr. and Mrs. Ford Roop, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Williams and family, Mrs. Bill Havens, Eva and Ruth Poteet.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 11th day of June, 1945.

Fred J. Conatser.....Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Motie Maddie Conatser
..... Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce A Vinculo Matrimonii. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Motie Maddie Conatser, is non-resident of the State of Virgina, and her last known address is Monterey, Tennessee, c-o Lee Maddie, it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newsppaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p. q. Guy A. Kauffman.
Adv. No. 24-4t.

News From KEOKEE

There was a large attendance at the revival held last week at the Pentecostal Church in Darnell Town section.

It is urged that more of the young folk attend Sunday School at Pleasant View Baptist Church.

Several from here attended the Radio Jamboree and Beauty Contest held at Big Stone Gap ball park Sunday.

J. J. Clarkston and family attended the funeral of Howard Riddle last Friday.

Mrs. J. C. Wolfe had as guests last week several relatives, including her mother, Mrs. E. Smith, of Gate City.

Hubert Partin and daughter, Betty, of Dayton, Ohio, visited relatives here recently.

Wentz Arnette has been a patient at Lee General Hospital at Pennington for several days.

Jimmy Partin is visiting his uncle, Denver Palmer, at Oak Ridge, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Barker and sons, Keith and Junior, visited relatives in Surgoinsville, Tenn., recently.

Miss Elsie Morelock, who is employed in Indiana, is visiting home folk here.

Mrs. Woodrow Snodgrass and small daughter, of West Virginia, visited relatives here during the past week.

After an abundance of rainfall, folks throughout this section have kept plows and hoes in action waging war against weeds.

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Large quantities of powder are now being produced by thousands of patriotic workers at Radford. These patriotic workers can help most by sticking to the job. But, when one of the new units goes into production about August 1, turning out more trench mortar powder along with that now being produced, additional jobs will be open to both men and women. Several thousand additional workers will be needed by the end of the year, as construction is completed.

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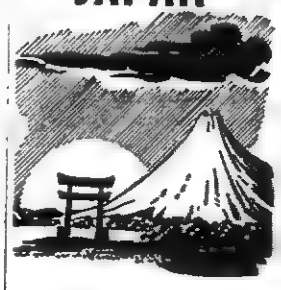

Until the Pacific war is won, large quantities of telephone equipment must continue to go to the battle front. And after the war, it will take time to reconvert to civilian manufacture. In the meantime, thanks to all who are waiting for telephones. Your patience is appreciated.

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To Whom It May Concern

By:

W. L. Jones

"The War Is Over"

"The war is over" are words that keep ringing in our ears over the years since November 11, 1918. The world went mad, newspapers screamed in headlines, radios played, auditoriums were filled to hear orators extol American heroism and streets were crowded with wild yelling mobs. Everywhere people shouted "The war is over".

Yes, the guns were silenced. Bayonets were sheathed and submarines slunk back to their ports. Nations began rebuilding and former enemy countries became great markets for goods. Trade as usual. Yes, the war was over.

But was it? To many, the first world war is not over yet and never will be. Visit the veteran facilities and see the human wrecks that are still there. Mothers and fathers show you pictures of sons lost in action. Orphaned children speak of fathers they have never seen. Many widows, young then, are still widows. While time heals wounds, the aftermath of war goes on and on.

So will it be this time. Soon will the newspapers and radios peal the message that this war is over. Soon will some of the brave boys come back home. Some hearts will be sad, some chairs vacant, some children will grow up without having seen their father. Mothers will show you pictures of sons who will not return. Commerce will start again. Ships will sail, planes will span the earth and business go back to normal and the war will be over.

But will it? For many it will never be over. The young will grow up, new rulers arise, new jealousies and new quarrels develop. And before the wounds of this one are healed another war will arise and the world will suffer again.

Is this fantastic? No, it is realistic. This world doesn't stand still. It moves, as it moves it brings new problems and many of the old ones.

The conclusion? That the effects of war are never over. Suffering goes on and those who stir up wars and declare wars should take this into account before plunging the world into death and destruction. All this suffering is the price of liberty and that is why our freedom should not be held lightly.

Boost From Pfc. Wilder

Germany,
June, 1945.

Dear Editor:

I am writing to give you my new APO number . . . . I have been getting The Powell Valley News regularly, and I find the news very good. It tells me what is happening in Lee County, and that means a lot to men who are a long way from home.

Keep up the good work, and keep the paper coming.

Pfc. Baylor O. Wilder,
c-o P.M., New York.

Card Of Thanks

We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for their expressions of sympathy and acts of kindness in the death of our dear husband and father, Bard Collier.

Mrs. Nannie Collier
and Family.

The shortage of lumber, which is likely to continue as long as we are engaged in extensive military operations, is a result of war-time stringency, not a deficiency of trees.

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Down on the Farm

A.A.A. NOTES

As soon as it is announced by the County AAA Committee that necessary forms are available, cattle feeders in Lee County can apply to the county AAA office for beef cattle production payments under the government's new program to increase production of meat and get the beef on the market.

Feeders are encouraged to feed more cattle, including those they purchase and those they raise, to Good and Choice grades under the new program. The method of payment is similar to the dairy payment program also handled through the County AAA Office, according to County AAA Chairman, Mr. F. K. Hyatt.

The beef cattle production payment amounts to 50 cents per hundredweight on Good and Choice cattle weighing 800 lbs. or more and selling for at least the minimum stabilization price, which for sales in this county is $14.70.

This is the first meat production payment made directly to the livestock feeder.

The beef cattle production payment is available to all feeders, including slaughterers who also are feeders, provided their cattle meet the program requirements.

To be eligible, a feeder must certify on his application (1) that he owned the cattle at least 30 days before their sale, (2) that the cattle weighed at least 800 pounds when sold, (3) that the cattle brought not less than the minimum price for the Good grade, and (4) that the cattle were sold for slaughter to an authorized slaughterer.

An authorized slaughterer is any slaughterer who operates under Federal inspection or under an OPA permit at the time he slaughters the feeder cattle on which the payment has been made.

A feeder-slaughterer is eligible to receive payment provided payment had not been previously made on his cattle. He may also receive payment on cattle he raised provided they are eligible under the program. To collect the payment he must substantiate the date of purchase, the prices he paid, and the weight at the time of purchase. He must also certify the grade and weight of the carcass after slaughter to further determine the eligibility of the cattle.

A feeder other than a feeder-slaughterer must present sales receipts, invoices, scale tickets, or other written evidence from the buyer to certify (1) date of sale, (2) the name of the buyer, (3) the point of sale, (4) the number of head, (5) the total liveweight, (6) [redacted] price received, and (7) the name of the legally authorized slaughterer to whom sold.

In addi[redacted], the feeder, if he did not raise the cattle, must show the status of the cattle at the time he purchased them by furnishing the name of the person from whom purchased, and the date of purchase. The feeder may also be required to furnish evidence that the payment had not been made previously on these cattle.

Payments will be made from funds of the Commodity Credit Corporation, of which $40,000,000 has been authorized.

Farmers may obtain details of the payments from their local AAA committeemen. Applications will be accepted and payments made by the County AAA Office as soon as the necessary forms are received.

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VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 26th day of June, 1945.

Bill Bowman Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Viola Bowman Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a "Mensa et Thoro" on the gorunds of desertion for a period of less than two years, and to obtain the care, custody and control of George Bowman, aged four years, and Frank Bowman, aged three years, children born to the aforesaid marriage, and for general relief in the premises.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Viola Bowman, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address is Ervin, Tennessee, it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p. q. R. C. Shannon.
Adv. No. 26-4t.

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St. Charles PERSONALS

The Daily Vacation Bible School, the first to be held in the new Baptist Church here, will come to a close Friday evening. Commencement exercises, including a Bible play, will be presented.

Allan Jones and his son, Ralph, R. G. Brewer and Walter Kirk enjoyed a five-day camping and fishing trip at Norris Lake last week. They report a catch of 25.

Walton Connelly, a 17-year-old ministerial student, son of Rev. H. W. Connelly, Secretary of Evangelism for Virginia Baptists, is conducting a revival at the Goodwill Center here. Young Mr. Connelly's Parents are spending this week with the Rev. and Mrs. P. R. Stubbs at Pennington Gap.

Mrs. Wallace Winfrey is here from Florida visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Pace.

Lela Onkst, of St. Charles, and Ella Holmes, of Detroit, both cadet student nurses at St. Mary's Hospital in Knoxville, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Copeland here. Miss Onkst is a sister of Mrs. Copeland.

Mrs. Raymond Parks has gone to Burlington, N. C., to join her husband, who is employed there. They will make their home in Burlington for the present.

The Rev. George T. Welsch, pastor of the Episcopalian Church at Big Stone Gap, will conduct a home service at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Hill, Sunday evening, July 1.

Sgt. Ulyes E. Morrison, for eight months prisoner of war in Germany, was liberated by the Allies in April and is here for a 60-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence E. Morrison, of Bonny Blue. Sgt. Morrison was overseas for about 19 months.

Mrs. Joe Coyne and son, Pat, came home Sunday from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dalton, at Middlesboro. While away they went to Norris Lake for an outing.

Special Guests of Local Methodist Church

YOUTH CARAVANERS

Special guests of the Methodist Church this week are the Youth Caravaners, who are here in the interest of the Young People's Work of the Church. They are: Back row, left to right, Mary Frances Goodwin, Betty Nickles, Counsellor; June L. Edmonson, front row, Bette Lou Roberts, Sabra Sue Roberts.

The Methodist Youth Caravan, now serving in the Methodist Church at Pennington Gap, is made up of Misses Mary Frances Goodwin, of Starr, S. C.; June Edmonson, of Clarksville, Tenn.; Bette Lou and Sabra Sue Roberts, of Booneville, Ark.; and the Counsellor, Betty Nickles, of Big Stone Gap. They will be in Pennington Gap until Saturday, and in the Big Stone Gap District for the remaining five days of the Caravan program.

News From OCOONITA

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Bolin and children visited Mrs. Bolin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Carroll, at Loyall, Ky., Saturday.

Legette Oaks is at home with his parents after being honorably discharged from the Army under the point system.

Mrs. Alpha Grabb and children spent the past two weeks with her brother, Milford Fleenor and family, in Knoxville, Tenn.

Neal Ingle, who was given a discharge from the Army under the point system, is at home with his mother, Mrs. Josie Ingle.

H. M. Ingle, employed at Oak Ridge, spent Sunday here with his family.

Ulysses Burgan, who has been serving in the Army for the past three years, is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Burgan.

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TOWN TALK

(Continued from page one)

Prison Song

The other morning, after spending the night in a country home, I was awakened by the loud, cheerful singing of a canary, pouring forth his song from a cage in my room.

"Jerry sings every morning," my hostess explained. "We have had him ten years, and if he has ever missed a morning, rain or shine, summer or winter, I don't remember it."

Weapons of Warfare

Roy C. Mosley, member of the PVN staff, is now ready to scrap the Germans, not on their own soil, but with their own weapons. His son, Pfc. Roy M. Mosley, serving in the Field Artillery in Germany, sent his father the following weapons taken from captured Germans: One sabre, or dress sword; one trench knife; one bayonet; and one self-sharpening dagger. These instruments are highly decorated with German insignia.

New Boy At Masonic Home

Fred Green arrived here early Wednesday morning from the Masonic Home, Richmond, Va., to spend the remainder of vacation days. Fred says he's "awfully" glad to get back home, but kind of hated to leave his new pal, Tommy Mayo, two and a half years old. "We all cater to Tommy," Fred says, "because we love him, and because he's the youngest child in the Home."

They Meet Again

Three members of the 1943 graduating class, Pennington High School, who have had their tents pitched in three different States for the last year or two, had a happy get-together at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Howard, Monday, when Miss Jenelle Howard entertained them and other young folk at luncheon.

The three alumnus were. Miss Jenelle Howard, who holds a position in Dayton, Ohio; Miss Estelle Weatherly, now residing with her parents in their new home at Detroit, Mich.; and Pvt. Arthur Lane Livesay, stationed at the U. S. Army base at Keesler Field, Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. W P. Kelly, Norris and Virginia; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kelly and son and daughter; Mrs. Mary P. (Grandma) Kelly, and J. V. Kelly visited Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Kelly at Wallens Creek, Ky., Wednesday night.

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The Japanese soldier would far rather die than submit to capture. Death is, in his own mind, his passport to Heaven. If he were lying on the battlefield badly wounded, and a soldier in strange uniform offered him water, he would use his last ounce of strength to kill the stranger.

He would then be dying for an allegiance the Gumbatsu had taught him. The American soldier would likewise have died. Because of the Gumbatsu.

Read the statistics. A hundred thousand Japs killed. A handful of prisoners. The civilians on a captured Japanese island committing suicide *en masse*.

All right. If you can neither capture a Jap nor succor him, you must kill him. But that costs many more American lives. And many, many times more American bullets, guns and planes. And more ships to transport more ammunition over more miles.

It's a gigantic job to lick the Gumbatsu.

If it is to be done in any reasonable time, it will take all of us to do it.

We must stick by our war jobs.

We must keep buying Bonds and giving blood.

We must get to realize, every one of us, what we're up against in the Gumbatsu. That's the quickest way of getting the Gumbatsu to realize what they're up against in us.

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College Couple In "Almost" Wedding

Barbourville, Ky.—Rhea Long, of Jonesville, Va., and Herman Rice, of Barbourville, were married, almost, but not quite, in an impressive ceremony at the First Christian Church here recently. The wedding was complete with all accessories, except the minister failed to use the real names of the couple and there was no license.

The occasion was a demonstration wedding put on as a regular chapel by the members of Dr. Gray's class in The Family at Union College, Barbourville, Ky., and was presented to give the students an opportunity to learn how a real wedding is conducted.

Before the ceremony, Organist Chet Waterman, of Somerville, Mass., played "I Love You Truly" and "Welcome, Sweet Springtime", after which Sally Graham, Stoneham, Mass., sang "Because".

The bridal party entered the church to the strains of the Lohengrin Wedding March. The bride, Rhea Long, entered on the arm of her "father", Glen Leger, Barbourville. Gowned in traditional white with fingertip veil, the bride carried a bouquet of roses.

Geraldine Scott, dressed in blue, was the maid of honor, and Cecil Bowling, Creekville, Ky., was best man. Three of the six bridesmaids were gowned in pink and three in blue. The bridesmaids were: Marie Kilgore, Coeburn, Va.; Tommy Dillon, Somerset, Ky., Louise Williams, Louisville, Ky.; Ruth Parker, Norma Thistle, Wakefield, Mass., and Nanetta Ely, of Jonesville, Va. Each carried a French bouquet of roses.

Manufacturers anticipate no "reconversion" problems in the lumber industry; merely a change of customers.

News From JONESVILLE

Route Two

Earl J. Andis, S. 1-C., of Banana River, Fla., arrived here Friday to spend a 15-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Andis.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmit Smallwood, of Harlan, Ky., spent the week-end with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Smallwood.

Staff Sgt. Ken Andis left Saturday for Camp Buttner, N. C., where he is stationed.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Good and son, Robert, were visiting her sister, Mrs. John Hatfield, of Ewing, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wynn were visiting Mr. Wynn's sister in Rose Hill, Sunday.

Mrs. Robert McConnell and son, Bobbie, were visiting her daughter, Mary, at St. Charles, last week.

Mrs. Eliza Stone, of Knoxville, visited her mother, Mrs. Alice Flanary, over the week-end.

New Baptist Church Building At St. Charles

The people of St. Charles are justly proud of the new Baptist Church building just recently completed, and of their pastor, the Rev. Clinton Green, now serving his fourteenth year as pastor.

The church is a modern brick structure, with an auditorium with a seating capacity of approximately 340, not including a Sunday School room for the Bible Class. Both auditorium and class room have hardwood floors.

The downstairs apartment has eight Sunday School rooms arranged on either side of the hallway, and some finished with folding doors so that they can be used for kitchen or dining room purposes when needed.

The church is built upon a natural rock foundation, the first of its kind, the architect, A. P. Graham, stated, in the history of his building career. On the wall of the main auditorium hangs a Service Flag with 94 blue stars—not a single gold one. Rev. Green states that every Saturday evening his members assemble at the church and spend one hour in prayer for the boys in service.

The church was erected at a cost of approximately $15,000, and every penny of it is paid, the pastor says. It has not been dedicated as yet, but is being used for services. Before the completion of this church, Rev. Green and his congregation have used a former school building which has been standing from 35 to 40 years.

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News From
POOR VALLEY

In our last week's news letter we reported Sgt. Charles Giles as honorably discharged from Army service. This was an error. He has been home on sick leave, and is returning to a hospital in the States after 33 months of service overseas.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Riddle and family, of Stonega, spent the past week-end with Mr. Riddle's mother, Mrs. Martha Riddle, at Dryden.

Mrs. Emma Dearry, of Olinger, recently spent a few days with her brother, Ballard Olinger, of Poor Valley.

Frank Bailey, who is employed at Black Mountain, Ky., spent the past week-end here with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gilbert, of Dryden, are the proud parents of a baby girl, born June 8th,, who has been named Carrie Mae.

Pfc. Paul Boggs, of Olinger, who has been overseas for almost three years, has been honorably discharged and is at home with his wife.

Mrs. Ruby Asbury Gilbert, of Oak Ridge, was here with her son, Danny, and mother, Kitty Asbury, a few days last week.

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News From
BENEDICT

Miss Doris Jackson, of Rose Hill, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert Daniels and family here.

Mrs. Olen Johnson was visiting relatives at Jonesville last week.

Lt. W. C. Jones and Mrs. Jones and little son, Billy, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Bryant and family at Norton last week.

Mrs. Lucille Hall and son, Marion Walter, were visiting Mrs. Bessie Noe and family, at Ben-Hur, last week.

Miss Evelyn Estep, of Jellico, Tenn., is visiting relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Scarborough and family, and Miss Ruth Scarborough, all of Oak Ridge, were visiting Ruth's parents here over the week-end.

Mr. Maynard Thompson, Toms Creek, was visiting friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Blevins and family were visiting relatives at Calvin, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Baltimore, of Pennington, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Baltimore Sunday.

Mr. Glen Dean, of Oak Ridge, visited relatives here Sunday.

The Rev. Jess Lamb, Sneedville, Tenn., filled his regular appointment at the church Sunday.

The Rev. Bascom Dickson, of Wise County, will preach here Saturday night and Sunday.

News From
DRY BRANCH

Several of this community attended the stage show featuring impersonation of various movie stars by boys and girls in the vicinity of Pennington, at Lee Theatre Wednesday night.

Misses Felice and Maida Harper were visiting in New York City the past two weeks, being accompanied by their fiancees, Messrs. Van Shinliver and Angelu Nesita.

Miss Ruby Hyden is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Vernell Edens.

Mr. H. R. Shufflebarger has been employed by Mr. Pete Myers to construct a building near Pennington.

Mrs. R. C. Peters Grace and Mr. Buddy Peters were among the star impersonators at Lee Theatre Wednesday night.

Mr. Billy Astrop, Danny Cox and Kent Astrop went fishing on Powell River, Friday of last week.

Mrs. Anise Davis, of Seminary, spent Sunday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Cox.

J. W. Cox has completed his training at Officers Candidate School at Fort Knox, Ky., and has been commissioned as second lieutenant. Lt. Cox spent a ten-day leave with his parents recently, returning Monday of last week for reassignment.

The potato originally came to the United States from Europe, via South America.

News From
HAGAN

Pfc. Lawrence Hensley, Camp Butner, N. C., spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gill Hensley, and family.

Misses Ruby and Ruth Ely spent Sunday with Miss Betty Ingle.

Mr. and Mrs. Cellie Thomas and family were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clint Cassell, of Flatwood, Sunday.

Pfc. Leo Ingle, who has returned from overseas, is spending a 30-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ingle.

Maude Fee, who is employed at Oak Ridge, Tenn., spent the week-end here with her husband.

Pfc. Dewey Langley has returned from overseas and is spending a 30-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Langley and family.

News From
POOR VALLEY

By Edith Astrop

Pvt. Kermit Ed McFarland, wife and two children; Mrs. Wm. McFarland, and Mrs. Mae Gibson made a business trip to Harlan, Ky., Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ely have purchased the Alfred Johnson farm in Poor Valley.

Pvt. George O. Parsons underwent an operation at Walter Reed Hospital recently and is expecting to be home for the 4th.

Mrs. Mary Parsons, Mrs. Ora Belcher and baby, and Miss Allie McFarland were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Holly Astrop, on Dry Branch, Sunday. Sorry girls, "that" cake just wasn't available, due to the sugar shortage.

Mrs. Mary Parsons spent the past week with her daughter, Mrs. Georgia Edens.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McFarland entertained all of their children and families at dinner Sunday, except Sgt. Jessie McFarland, who is in the service in France. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ely and family, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Gibson, Pvt. Ed McFarland and family, Misses Allie and Juanita McFarland, and Billy McFarland.

Mr. Cam Shuler and Mrs. Kate Shuler were visiting relatives the past week.

Mrs. Georgia Edens and Vernell Edens, of Dry Branch, were visiting Mrs. Ora Belcher, Tuesday.

N. G. Johnson is recuperating nicely after a recent illness. He is now able to take his daily walks of a distance of about one mile.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Gibson and daughter, Patsy Anne; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ely, and Misses Allie and Juanita McFarland were visiting relatives in Kemmerer Gem and Ely's Creek on Sunday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leffer Belcher and son, George Edward, visited Mr. and Mrs. Edward Belcher in Big Hill the past week.

Misses Allie and Juanita McFarland and Mrs. Stella Ely saved several points by picking their own cherries on "Bill Dad" Hill on the Alex Wilson farm.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend the sacrament and foot washing services at Valley View Church, Saturday night, when Rev. Sam Taylor will officiate.

Mrs. Sherman Howard and children, Johnny, Joyce and Benny, spent several days recently with relatives in Kingsport.

Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Parsons, of Portsmolth, are visiting relatives here.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:
In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 26th day of June, 1945.
Oma Napier Martin .Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Clifford Martin ..... Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on the ground of desertion and abandonment for the statutory period. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Clifford Martin, is non resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address is Harlan, Kentucky, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p. q. L. M. Robinette.
Adv. No. 26-4t.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:
In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 7th day of June, 1945.
Ernest Clyde Collins
..... Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Cecelia Allen Collins....Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce on grounds of desertion for more than 2 years. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Cecelia Allen Collins, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address is 107 Cogswell Ave., Indian Head, Maryland, it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p. q. G. A. Kauffman.
Adv. No. 24-4t.

ATTENTION.... TAXPAYERS

June 30, 1945 is the deadline on the payment of 1944 taxes before the date of Delinquency.

All Taxpayers who have not paid their 1944 taxes and who desire to pay them before the delinquent date, thus saving 6 percent interest which will start July 1, 1945, are requested to pay their 1944 taxes before JULY 1st.

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Social and Personal

Don't Fail to see "The Princess and the Pirate", showing at Lee Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, July 9 - 10.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hayes are in Birmingham, Ala., this week, visiting with his sister, Mrs. Ed Evans.

Mrs. Ida R. McKinnon and Mrs. Amy Chapman arrived home last Friday from New York City, where they visited with relatives and friends for two weeks.

Miss Eva Jean Reasor, nurse at Orange General Hospital, Orlando, Fla., is visiting with her aunt, Mrs. James P. Legg.

Miss Irene Russell returned home last Friday from Lancaster, Pa., where she visited Mrs. Howard Stewart. Miss Floravista McKinnon accompanied her, but stopped off in Bristol to visit relatives.

Mrs. G. C. Fugate is in Richmond this week with her husband, who underwent an operation at Richmond Medical College Hospital recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul D. Quinley, of Oak Ridge, visited Mr. Quinley's mother, Mrs. Ethel Quinley, and other relatives here over the week-end.

Mrs. Elmer A. Branch, of Cincinnati, Ohio, was visiting among friends here the first of the week. Mrs. Branch was formerly Miss Hettie McKinney, of this place.

Mrs. Wayman Burden and Miss Lois Burden were shopping in Bristol last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Hobbs, of Bay St. Louis, are visiting relatives and friends here.

Don't Fail to see "The Princess and the Pirate", showing at Lee Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, July 9 - 10.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Hounshell, of Hagan, announce the birth of a son on June 17, to whom has been given the name Larrie Randolph.

Pvt. Arther L. Livesay, stationed at Keesler Field, Miss., is spending a few days' furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Livesay, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Beatty Feathers and children, of North Carolina, are visiting Mrs. Feathers' mother, Mrs. Iva Williams. Mr. Feathers is director of athletics and head coach at North Carolian University, and is a former All-American football star for the University of Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon C. Hobbs, of Bay St. Louis, Miss.; Mrs. Thomas Wallace and daughter, have returned to their homes after a visit with their father, Mr. Z. E. Hobbs, and relatives.

Mrs. Frank Gibson has returned home from a visit with her mother, Mrs. Annie E. Gaujot, at Huntington, W. Va. Mrs. Gibson's daughter, Suzanne, remained in Huntington to visit with relatives for some time.

Frank Gibson, Jr., is at home from Berea for summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. John Green and son, Jimmy; Mr. and Mrs. John R. Bailey and sons, Larry and Johnny, motored to Norris Lake last Sunday.

Mrs. John R. Bailey has just received word from her brother, Sgt. Robert L. Crider, who is in the Philippines on Luzon. He said to tell his friends "hello". Sgt. Crider has been in service since 1940. He is the son of Mrs. G. W. Crider, of St. Charles.

Seaman 1-C. O. T. Gibson, serving with a hospital unit at Long Beach, Calif., is spending a few days here with his family, parents and relatives. He and Mrs. Gibson are now in Tazewell, Va.

Mrs. M. C. Jennings, of Monroe, Mich., is here to spend several days with her sister, Mrs. Ella Howard, and family.

Mrs. Hannah Leffler, of Mountain City, Tenn., has returned to her home after a visit here with her sister, Mrs. Lillie Pennington, and niece, Mrs. V. M. Pence.

Mrs. Golden Larmer Caldwell is in Richmond, Va., with her father, Noel, who is ill.

Mrs. Oscar Farley continues ill at the home of her mother, Mrs. T. H. Pugh.

Suzanne David, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmo David, is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. J. C. Hensley, of Bristol.

Don't Fail to see "The Princess and the Pirate", showing at Lee Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, July 9 - 10.

Mrs. Charles C. Bales and her sister, Mrs. Olin Albert, have returned from Phoenix City, Ala., and Columbus, Ga. At Phoenix City they attended the wedding of Miss Joan Bales to Tech. Sgt. Roy Mercer.

Tech. Sgt. Michael Johns is at home for a few days with his wife, the former Miss Virginia Hall.

Mrs. W. B. Weatherly and daughters, Emmalou and Estelle, and Miss Alice Tamon, of Detroit, Mich., are visiting here with Mrs. Weatherly's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Ely; her sister, Mrs. Denver Robbins, and son; Tech Sgt. and Mrs. Charles W. Weatherly. A son was born to Sgt. and Mrs. Weatherly at Lee General Hospital, Monday, June 25, to whom has been given the name Charles W., Jr.

Luncheon

Jenelle Anne Howard entertained the following friends with a luncheon at her home Monday: Lt. Wayne Livesay, Anna Ruth Jessee, Pvt. Arthur Lane Livesay, Betty Rhea Stout, Estelle Weatherly, and Mrs. Bill Goins, Jr.

Mary Virginia Tipton, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., was at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tipton, Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Paul McArthur and Mrs. J. S. Payne were in Harlan, Ky., visiting friends last Saturday.

Marion Wheeler Hall, S. 2-C., of the Naval Seabees, stationed at Camp Endicott, R. I., arrived Thursday morning to spend a 14-day furlough with his wife and children here, and with his mother, Mrs. D. D. Hall, at Jonesville.

Mrs. Jake Howard entertained members of the Home Makers Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church, Friday night at her home. Mrs. Harry Billings was elected president of the class to succeed Miss Orpha Headen. After the business, games and contests were enjoyed, refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames J. W. Quinley, Gomer Hall, Harry Billings, C. C. Carr, V. C. Hall, Ada Rogers, Magnolia Gardner, P. R. Stubbs, J. S. Payne, Bernice Cooper, Murphy King, and Miss Eliza Quinley.

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Deaths AND FUNERALS

Calvin C. Meyers, Jr.

Calvin C. Meyers, Jr., age 17 months, died suddenly Sunday, June 10, at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Burchett, of Jonesville. The body was taken to Monroe, Mich., for burial, accompanied by the mother, Mrs. Ruby Burchett Meyers; his grandfather, Linvel Meyers, and an uncle, Junior Meyers.

On Thursday, June 14, funeral services were conducted in the church and interment followed in Woodland Cemetery.

Calvin is survived by his parents, Pfc. and Mrs. Calvin C. Meyers, Sr., the grandparents, and a host of other relatives. The father, who is a patient at Dibble Hospital, at Menlo Park, Calif., as a result of Shrapnel wounds received in France in September, 1944, was granted a furlough to attend the funeral.

Those from Jonesville attending the funeral were Mrs. Hugh Chance and Nancy Kate Burchett.

Susan Ann Flannery

Susan Ann Flannery, of St Charles, died at Lee General Hospital at Pennigton Gap, Sunday, June 24, at the age of 65.

Funeral services were held at the Methodist Church in St. Charles, June 27, at 1:30 p. m., conducted by the pastor, Rev. C. R. McPherson. Burial followed in the Fry Addition of Cecil Cemetery at Pennington Gap.

Mrs. Flannery is survived by one son, Henry, who resides in Kingsport, Tenn., and a daughter, who lives at Petersburg, Va.

Bill Vaughan

Bill Vaughan, of St. Charles, died June 27 at the age of 68. He had been ill for one week. Funeral services were held at Penn Lee, Va., on June 29, with burial in the Alsup Cemetery at Leona Mines.

Mr. Vaughan is survived by his wife, Linda Vaughan, of St. Charles; two sons, Lloyd Vaughan, of Middlesboro, Ky., and Willie B. Vaughan, with the U. S. Navy somewhere in the Pacific; and two daughters, Lilly Vanzant, Penn Lee, and Marie Redmon, Harlan, Ky.

Carolyn Edwina Raines

Carolyn Edwina Raines, one-day-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Raines, of Kemmerer Gem, died June 17, 1945. Burial was in Fry Cemetery at Pennington Gap.

Infant Ewing

The infant son born to Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Ewing, of Puckett's Creek, on June 24, died the day of birth. Burial was in the Cooper Cemetery at Puckett's Creek at 10:30 a. m., June 25. Rev. Morefield was the officiating minister.

St. Charles, Jonesville Will Play Home Games

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I would stroll up to Dunbar and watch a ball game. They really turn on there when the home team forges frontwards. Maybe some folks don't quite understand all these sideline terms, so we'll say . . . . when the home team gets in the lead, Manager Sam Riddle and all his Riddlers really get happy, and the fans—men, boys, women and girls, leap, jump, yell and shout. They really have the spirit that it takes to crowd them in the parks.

Sam Riddle's Riddlers again riddled the St. Charles Miners by a close score of 4 to 3 at Dunbar, Sunday. The Miners were enjoying a 3-3 tie in the ninth when a bad throw sent the winning run across the pan.

Lt. Sizemore, home on leave, toed the slab for Dunbar and pitched a masterful game. He had lots on the ball, but bad control cost him three runs. He struck out ten.

Skiles started on the mound for St. Charles, turned a 3 to 1 lead over to Scott in the sixth. Scott was relieved by Holman in the eighth with the score tied.

Miss Betty Lou Oaks, student at L.M.U., came home last week to recuperate from an attack of mumps.

Collins, Holman and Pannell led the Miners' hitting with two hits for five trips each. Stallard and Sage led Dunbar with 2 each.

Jonesville nosed Pennington Gap out by a 10 to 8 score with a 4-run rally in the ninth inning. Cox started pitching for Pennington, being relieved by Reasor in the sixth when he turned his ankle. Graham started for Jonesville, giving way to Bowen in the sixth.

All clubs meet new opponents for the first time next Sunday. Oreton comes to St. Charles for a series; Pennington Gap goes to Dunbar; and Cumberland journeys to Jonesville.

THE OFFICIAL STANDING

Cumberland	6	2	.750
Jonesville	5	2	.716
Dunbar	5	3	.625
St. Charles	4	3	.571
Oreton	3	5	.375
Pennington	0	8	.000

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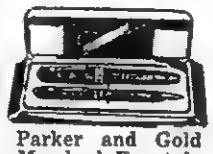

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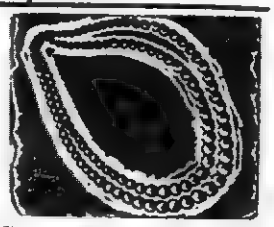

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It is interesting to note that most of the talk and agitation about so-called state medicine and socialized medicine, comes from sources that seek to curry public favor. The people are led to believe that they will get something for nothing under government control and subsidized medical and hospital plans.

The movement so vitally affects all the people, and it is so important that all individuals have proper medical attention, that the principles involved in plans to socialize medicine are apt to be overlooked. Fortunately, there has been resistance in the socializing process for medicine, because of the well-grounded fear, born of experience, that under bureaucratic control, mediocrity is promoted as individual initiative is stifled.

If the forces that seek to put the government into the medical business would, instead, help the medical profession perfect plans by which industries and individuals would be covered by voluntary programs for prepayment of medical and hospital bills on a monthly basis, they would be upholding the American tradition of private initiative, saving the taxpayers countless millions of dollars, and what is most important, they would be encouraging rather than discouraging the expansion of medical service on a more sound basis than in any other manner.

Fortunately, the medical profession, industries and individuals have already worked out prepayment plans under which millions of people are now being cared for and millions more are being added as rapidly as they understand the advanages of such a system. They are acting as free citizens on a voluntary basis, and not under state compulsion with a new and arbitrary tax assessed against them whether or not they so desire it.

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FAIR DATES SET FOR SEPT. 3-8

Town Talk

About This, That, And The Other

The world stands out on either side
No wider than the heart is wide;
Above the world is stretched the sky
No higher than the soul is high.
The heart can push the sea and land
Farther away on every hand.

Eclipse of the Sun

If a cloud dims your horizon Monday, July 9, don't be alarmed—just have your smoked glass ready to observe a partial eclipse of the sun.

Practically everyone in the United States will be able to see a portion of the sun blotted out by the moon on that day, and a few in Idaho and Montana will be able to see a total eclipse. The eclipse here and in the East will be visible in the morning.

Fish For Dinner

It sounds rather fishy that one would go all the way to Tennessee to get meat for the Fourth of July dinner, but Bill Blevins and some other from Benedict did it. The "others" were Dewey Estep, Ernest Holman, George Wilson, and Maynard Thompson.

They went down somewhere near Kyles Ford, and brought back with them a Powell Valley Special — namely, a ten-pound catfish. Mr. Blevins made the catch, but of course they all enjoyed a good fry for dinner the 4th.

Tom Housley Arrives

Pvt. Tom Housley got off the bus here this morning in a downpour of rain; came into Green's Cafe, anxious to get his breakfast and be on his way to see home folk, not knowing they had moved to Tennessee. Tom was recently liberated from a German war prison camp, and had not been receiving the parents' letters.

Anyway, he hurried through breakfast, went to the home of M. D. Kelly and family, where his sister, Eleanor, was visiting, and

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OPA Presents The Truth About Canning Sugar

William M. Minter, district rationing officer, of the Roanoke District Office, OPA, in Jonesville, on July 5, 1945, stated in effect as follows

"OPA is a distributing agency only. The needs of the armed forces and other government needs are first deducted from all rationed commodities and after this the OPA is assigned an allotment which is distributed among civilians. It has no voice whatever in saying how much of any commodity it shall receive. It makes the allotments reach as far and as many people as possible.

"Since the canning season has been opened it has been necessary to cut the rations twice. The agency that gives OPA the sugar cut the allotment, which caused one cut. Jonesville is in the fourth region, composed of Virginia and seven other States. The various regions were given a final

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WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Weather Bureau report for the week ending July 1, 1945, for Lee County, furnished by Cam J. Lewis, official observer:

Date	Temperature		Rainfall
	Highest	Lowest	Inches
25	90	59	.00
26	88	57	.00
27	84	57	.00
28	89	60	.00
29	91	63	.00
30	93	64	.00
1	96	65	.37

Local Board No. 2 Lists July Calls For Services

Pre-induction Registrants Soar In Number; Only Sixteen Inductees

Selective Service Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, Va., lists two pre-induction calls for the month of July, and one light induction call. They are as follows:

First Pre-induction Call:

William Everett McCracken, Leona Mines; Woodrow Alex Frazier, Bonny Blue; Manard Woodard, Route 1, Pennington Gap; Paul Clifton Miles, Pennington Gap; Esco Woodard, Route 1, Pennington Gap; Harold Chilton Edens, Dryden; Howard Cortland Lamb, Bonny Blue; Andrew Holmes, Calvin; Tip Clay Smith, Route 2, Pennington Gap; Dexter Lee Rains, St. Charles; Ray Samuel Evans, Leona Mines; Clarence Morris, Keokee; Paul Ellis Fleenor, Route 2, Pennington Gap; Curtis Lee Huff, Bonny Blue; Earl Manson Mullins, Calvin; James Raleigh, Olinger; Eckie Gibson, Leona Mines; Earl William Barnett, St. Charles; Charles Evans Roberts, Philadelphia, Pa.; Lee Huston Haynes, St. Charles.

Ishmael Henderson Yeary, Bonny Blue; Willard Elmer Payne, Johnsons Mill; Bradley Carter, St. Charles; Carlos O'Delle Robbins, Leona Mines; James Buford Woodard, Leona Mines; Loyd James Capps, Route 1, Keokee; J. N. Dean, Pennington Gap; Clyde Hammons, Bonny Blue; Buford C. McElyed, Leona Mines; James Jay Howard, Route 1, Dryden; Hubert Tabor, St. Charles; Charlie Lietcher Fulks, Derby; William Martin Parsons, Route 2, Pennington Gap; Edward Marion Stacy, Pennington Gap; Guy Brown Kimberlin, St. Charles; James Claude Lemart, Pennington Gap; Silas Blanken, Johnsons Mill; Paul Elson Ramic, Duffield; Smyth Branson Myers, Route 2, Pennington Gap, Toy Hayes Lanningham, St. Charles.

Willie Creek Roop, Middle River, Md.; Roy Bennie Cooper, Osage, W. Va.; Claude Madison Fulks, Derby, Va.; Clyde Verlin Copeland, St. Charles; Oakley Woodrow Burnette, Bonny Blue; Harve Robert Smyth, Pennington Gap; David Milton Pence,

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Observes 89th Birthday

W. J. SHOUN

W. J. Shoun, father of Dr. G. B. Shoun, St. Charles pharmacist, and with whom he makes his home, very happily observed his 89th birthday anniversary on Monday, July 1.

Mr Shoun remarked on his birthday that he "never dreamed he'd live to see 89", but the day found him well and hearty, still maintaining a deep interest in life, thoroughly able to enjoy the special dinner prepared for him by Mrs. Shoun; also to enjoy the fellowship of friends who called to express congratulations, best wishes for "many happy returns" and to bring him nice gifts.

The centerpiece for the table was a beautifully decorated birthday cake, and clerks of Dr. Shoun's drug store, who were special guests, sang "Happy Birthday" for him

Mr Shoun is a native of Tennessee, having been born at Fall Branch, on July 1, 1856, but has spent most of his life in Virginia He lived on a farm in Washington County, Va., for 40 years. In 1937 he went to visit with his children in Oregon and Colorado, returning a little more than two years ago to St Charles.

Sons and daughters of Mr. Shoun, other than Dr. G. B. Shoun, are: Drs. D. A. and G. B. Shoun, of Canon City, Colo.; R. B. Shoun, who operates a ranch at Spray, Ore.; William Shoun, Abingdon, Va.; and three daughters, Mrs. A. W. Anderson, Mrs. T. D. Steagall, and Mrs. F. M. Robinson, reside in Spray, Oregon.

St. Charles Wins 16-0; Jville-Pennington Lose

Dunbar Will Come To Pennington Gap For Big Game Next Sunday

Cumberland remained on top in the Lonesome Pine League this week, and St Charles came back up from fourth place to second.

Cumberland beat Jonesville 4 to 2. St Charles won the first shutout of the year over Oreton 16 to 0, and Dunbar came out on top of a slugfest with Pennington Gap to win 19 to 9.

Games next Sunday will take St. Charles to Andover for another encounter with Oreton; Jonesville will journey to Benham to meet Cumberland, and Dunbar will play Pennington Gap at Leeman Field in Pennington Gap.

The St. Charles - Oreton encounter went well at St. Charles Sunday until the fifth inning. The Miners were leading 1 to 0 until a barrage of base hits netted them eight runs in the fifth. They collected 16 hits, making them count for 16 runs throughout the affray.

Big Con Helman led the hitting attack for St. Charles with two long home runs for three trips to the plate — he is now far out in front with homers in the league. Jimmy Shelbourne followed with 4 for 6; Herman Stallard had 3 for 5; Pope and Robbins had two each

Oreton collected only five singles, no on getting more than one

Jure Mabe started on the mound for Oreton, being relieved by Reep in the fifth, and who gave way to Lefty Mabe in the sixth, with Reed coming in in the seventh. Wacks went the route for St. Charles, allowing five scattered hits, and pitching the league's first shutout this year.

They wore out all the balls at Dunbar, with the home team collecting in the neighborhood of 20 hits, while Pennington Gap lambasted out 15 hits, all adding up to a 19 to 9 score for Dunbar Most everybody pitched and most everybody hit on both sides.

League President Gene Livingston allowed St. Charles a forfeited game over Dunbar because of the participation of Nix in a game at St. Charles two weeks ago which was won by Dunbar. Nix had never been legally signed up as a player, which is required of all players participating in the Linesome Pine League.

THE OFFICIAL STANDING

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Cumberland	7	2	.777
St. Charles	6	2	.750
Jonesville	5	3	.625
Dunbar	5	4	.555
Oreton	3	6	.333
Pennington	0	9	.000

Damaging Fire Sweeps Kemmerer Gem Tipple

Last Friday about noon flames began to soar from the huge coal tipple at the Kemmerer Gem Company, and before St. Charles firemen could extinguish the blaze, damage estimated at about $20,000 was sustained.

Most of the stoker oil treated coal department of the tipple was reported to have been destroyed, but the main portian was spared. Some 150 miners lost no time because of the fire, and the stoker department is expected to resume operation within ten days from the time of the fire. The blaze is said to have been caused by the ignition of an arcing electric motor.

C. F. Connelly, general manager of the company, said that the entire structure would have burned completely, involving a loss of approximately $100,000, and disrupting the mine for a year had it not been for a swimming pool 20 feet wide and several feet deep constructed by the children of the camp, which furnished ample water supply with which to fight the flames.

The children of Kemmerer Gem credited with building this pool are: Billy and Gypsy Robbins, Charles Province, Evelyn Province, Peggy Province, Billy Kinser, Carlos Rutherford, Mike Klucick, Bill Fultz, Kermit Freels, Harmon Weaver, Eula Turner, Alvin Long, Sue Turner, Blaine Humbert, Walter Nakedemin.

SELECTIVE SERVICE BOARD 1 LISTS LEW JUNE REGISTRANTS

The following men became eighteen years of age during the month of June, and have registered with Selective Service Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va.:

Mark Lafatte Yeary, Route 4, Jonesville; Henry Bailey, Ewing; Earl Vandeventer Jones, Jonesville; Evan Junior Cox, Jonesville; Gale Sherman Johnson, Ocoonita, Jessie Willard Gilbert, Route 1, Rose Hill; Grover Cleveland Lyttle, Route 4, Jonesville; Lloyd Burley Sprinkle, Ben Hur; Gratin Earl Sumpter, Gibson Station; Earl Monroe Rouse, Route 2, Rose Hill.

S. Sgt Johnston Wounded In Philippine Campaign

Staff Sgt. Charles M. Johnston, serving with the U. S. Army in the Philippines, writes his parents that he is confined to an Army hospital there with his leg in a cast, from bullet wounds from the Japs.

"They caught me napping," Sgt. Johnston writes, "or in other words, off my guard, and got me." The parents also had a letter from Sgt. Johnston's chaplain

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J M Johnston, of Pennington, Route 2.

Mrs Jake Howard, one of our "personal" reporters, is "missing in action" this week—she's visiting with relatives in Dayton Ohio.

Local Boys Fined By Trial Justice Gridlin

Three Pennington Gap boys in their 'teen age were required to pay $25.00 each and costs in Trial Justice Geo. P. Gridlin's Court at Jonesville last Saturday, June 30.

The boys were charged with and found guilty of attempt to embezzle a Plymouth car from Fred Welch, local restaurant operator. According to Welch, the eldest of the boys came to him on Sunday afternoon and asked to borrow his car for just a little while, to "run up on Stone Creek." At noon next day neither the boy nor the car had been heard from, Welch said, and he and a Lee County officer started a search. They found the car, the "borrower" and two other boys on Stone Creek.

The boy's explanation was that he really intended keeping the car only a short time, but that he picked up the other boys, did more "running around" than he intended to, and ran out of gas. The leader and one of his accomplices, Welch said, were released upon payment of fines, but the third is serving his fine out in jail.

Pvt. David B. Lambert Is in U. S. Hospital

Pvt. David B. Lambert, formerly of Lee County, is a patient in the U. S. General Hospital at Camp Pickett, Va., recovering from wounds received in an explosion in November, 1944, while serving in the Netherlands East Indies. Pvt. Lambert says in a recent letter to the editor of The Powell Valley News.

"I receive your paper each week at my home in Farmville, Va., where I moved my family since being here in the hospital. They formerly resided with my wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Zack Tonker, at Miller's Chapel, near Jonesville.

"It's heaven to be back where people are human, and to realize that the things I fought for are no longer a dream, but a reality. Instead of lying in a foxhole trying to forget your dead buddie, or the Japs you saw in the jungle, to really be once again among your own people; inhale once again the air of freedom; to drink in the aroma of food cooking at home — yes, I have found this and much more for which we have been fighting.

"This is the good old United States. May she always be free and continue to uphold this freedom and drive from the face of the earth those that molest our peace and homes."

July 10 is Deadline For Display Federal Auto Tag

All automobile owners must buy and display on the windshield of their car by July 10 the Federal Auto Tax Stamp for the ensuing year. This stamp costs $5.00 and is now on sale at all postoffices

Popular Local Citizen Is Heart Attack Victim

E. C. "Chub" Hall Is Found Dead In Car Last Saturday Night

E. C. "Chub" Hall, 49, met sudden death Saturday night, June 30, while on his way to work at Glidden, Ky., about seven miles this side of Harlan. A coroner's inquest revealed that he had died from a heart attack.

Mr. Hall, who was L. & N. night operator at Glidden, left home apparently in his usual health about 10.00 o'clock Saturday night, and was found dead in his Plymouth coupe about 10:30. The car was parked on the side of the road, and the lights and switch were still on.

Mr. Hall had been a resident of Pennington Gap for a number of years, and was very popular in this communityy, especially among the young people, in whom he always manifested deep interest.

Funeral services were held at the First Baptist Church on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, in charge of the pastor, Rev. P. R. Stubbs, assisted by other local pastors. The body lay in state for one hour preceding the service. Burial followed in Cecil Cemetery.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Kate Nelms Hall; two sisters, Mrs. S. L. Bryant, Sand Springs, Okla., and Mrs. R. C. Baker, Lexington, Ky.; three brothers, Etna Hall, Big Stone Gap; Hoyt, Pennington Gap; and Gomer, of Woodway.

Will Open With Big Labor Day Celebration

P.O.W. FOR 25 MONTHS

PFC. WM. HAMM

Pfc. Hamm, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hamm, of Woodway, enlisted in the Army on January 1, 1941, and took basic training at Fort Devens, Mass.

He served at various stations in Georgia, Florida, North Carolina and Pennsylvania. He served several months overseas, and was in major battles. He was in the North African campaign when he was captured by the Italians and later taken to Germany, where he was confined in a war prison camp for about 25 months. He was liberated in April, 1945, and is now at home with his parents.

Pfc. Hamm holds the Purple Heart, the Presidential Citation and Combat Infantryman Badge with two battle stars. He is 22 years old.

HALL — WISE

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hall announce the marriage of their daughter, Gloria, to Mr. William Arthur Wise, on June 23, 1945. The wedding took place in the Baptist parsonage at six o'clock in the evening, with the pastor, Rev. P. R. Stubbs, officiating.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Wise, of Pennington Gap. He has been inducted into U. S. Army service, and is awaiting his call.

Mrs. Wise will make her home with her parents for the duration.

Six Days To Be Crammed Full With Record Variety of Entertaining Features

The 1945 version of the Lee County Fair has been officially set for September 3 through September 8, six full days of the most and best entertainment Lee County patrons have ever had. Also the most outstanding farm displays farmers of Lee have ever offered, with more and better prizes, will be outstandingly attractive.

New shows and new entertainment acts are scheduled—everything new from last year.

There will be a special program of free acts every afternoon and every night—radio stars, movie stars, mammoth fireworks, a display of war relics, and great possibility that some of the big war equipment will be on display, with a parachute drop from either a plane or balloon on Labor Day.

Nothing will be spared in the production of the Labor Day show, which will be designed for the miners. Several contacts have been made in Hollywood for some of the miners' favorite entertainers, the War Department is being contacted regarding the display of heavy war equipment, and a dozen and one other plans, too premature to yet announce are in the making.

Radio stations WJHL of Johnson City, and WHLN of Harlan, Ky., will carry a one-hour broadcast direct from the fairgrounds each day of the fair so that thousands over the South will hear what's going on in Lee County.

The greatest horse show yet produced will be featured at the fair, with some of the best riders and best horses you ever saw. A beauty contest to select the most beautiful and cutest girl in Lee County and perhaps nearby counties, will be a feature, the winner will be given a movie screen test or a trip to Hollywood or New York.

Radio stars from the WSM Grand Ole Opry at Nashville, WNOX of Knoxville, and WBT, Charlotte, are being scheduled, plus screen stars of note.

Watch for announcements when programs are more complete, and you will get the whole program long before the fair is ready and will plan to see every day of it.

July Pre-Induction Call From Local Board No. 1

60 Registrants to Report For Their Pre-induction Physical Examination

Selective Service Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va., has notified the following registrants, sixty in number, that they have been selected to fill the July pre-induction call from that Board:

Gale Sherman Johnson, Ocoonita; Evan Junior Cox, Jonesville; Lloyd Burley Sprinkle, Ben Hur; Jessie Willard Gilbert, Route 1, Rose Hill; Grover Cleveland Lyttle, Route 4, Jonesville; Shelburne Utah Mullins, Ocoonita; Samuel Creed Willis, Route 1, Blackwater; Johnny B. Edds, Rose Hill; Geo. Singleton Dean, Route 1, Rose Hill; Richard Walter Middleton, Route 2, Jonesville; Clay Clounce, Gibson Station; Otis Eugene Fisher, Ben Hur; Morgan Neal Ray, Rose Hill; Homer Lee Ellis, Jonesville; Charlie Dowell Parsons, Route 4, Jonesville; Derman Davis, Ocoonita; Carl Kelly Collins, Route 4, Jonesville; William Nathaniel Byington, Pennington Gap; Loyd Earnest Parks, Jonesville; Henry Don Terry Route 4, Jonesville.

Fleemon Witt, Ocoonita; Joe Tye Senters, Gibson Station; Walter Earl Matlock, Baltimore, Md.; Buford Randall Gibbons, Rose Hill; Chester Henry Rogers, Ben Hur; Morgan Lee Fleenor, Ocoonita; Elmer George Ingle, Ocoonita; Olin Lee Wilder, Route 1, Jonesville; John Bruce Kincer, Route 3, Jonesville; Omar Moore, Blackwater; Alfred Clifton Miles, Route 1, Rose Hill; Henry Barnes, Gibson Station, Earnest Ray Ely, Route 4, Jonesville; Lemon Lemons, Route 1, Rose Hill; Johnie Cottrell, Rose Hill; Sewell Fuston Young, Monroe, Mich.; Johnie Edward Taylor, Gibson Station; Edward Franklin Cheek, Gibson Station; Lee Pendergraft, Route 4, Jonesville; Lester Lee Moore, Route 2, Blackwater.

Birgus Moody Hensley, Route 2, Jonesville; Estle Davidson, Blackwater; Harold Hedrick, Route 1, Jonesville; Freemon Newton, Rose Hill; Orie James Fleenor, Ocoonita; Joel Lee Vicars, Route 1, Fairview; Earl Ray Fletcher, Flint, Mich.; Archie Dewey Delph, Route 4, Jonesville; Harvey Junior Cavins, Ewing; Willard Harold Marcum; Route 2, Jonesville; Joseph Hubert Cheek, Gibson Station; Claude Alfred Seals, Route 1, Ewing; Ralph Junior Moore, Route 2, Blackwater; Sam Edward Stapleton, Route 1, Jonesville; Cam Junior Harber, Hubbard Springs; David Young, Ewing; Ralph Edward Rowlett, Gibson Station; Henry Bailey, Ewing; Earl Vandeventor Jones, Jonesville; George Calloway Payne, Rose Hill.

News From
POOR VALLEY

Mrs. Ora Collinsworth and daughter, of Atlanta, Ga., have returned home after spending a week with Mrs. Collinsworth parents, Rev. and Mrs. James Ely.

Mrs. Mary Parsons spent the week-end with her daughter, Mrs. Georgia Edens, and family, of Dry Branch.

We're having excellent weather for fishing and swimming, without mentioning sunburn, especially if you're trying to acquire that tan too fast.

Misses Ferne and Jean Parsons, of Bristol, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Parsons.

Mrs. Enra Brown and son, Keith, of Key West, Fla., are spending their vacation with relatives here.

Mr. "Cricket" Sturgill has been employed by Mr. Hiram Parsons to help farm this summer.

Mrs. Hazel Ely was shopping in St. Charles one day last week.

Mrs. Estella Ely and Mrs. Bernice Doss were shopping in Jonesville recently.

Misses Louise and Delphine Johnson were visiting Misses Allie and Jaunita McFarland, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ely were dinner guests of their son, Curtis, and Mrs. Ely, Sunday. Guests also included his brothers, Sam and Manley Ely.

Mr. and Mrs. William Doss were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Willis, of Pennington Gap, Route 2, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McFarland and family and Pvt. Kermit Ed McFarland and family spent Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Gibson, and Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ely.

Misses Barbara Doris Ely and Patsy Ann Gibson spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Millard Gibson, of Dry Branch.

Mrs. Estella Ely and Miss Delpine Johnson attended services at Valley View, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ely visited Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Gibson last week.

Sam Ely and George Garrison made a business trip to Kingsport last week.

The following were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McFarland, Saturday evening. Mrs. Rosa Calton and son, Charles, of Ely's Creek; Mrs. Martha Flynn, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ely, of Kingsport, Tenn.; Mrs. Ruby Moore and family, Mrs. Lula Miles and family, Mrs. Estelia Ely and family, Mrs. Lura Mae Gibson, Mrs. Hazel Ely, and Mrs. Ora Belcher and son.

The fundamental idea of the Red Cross was first set forth in a booklet by Henri Dunant at Geneva in 1862.

NOTICE

Persons having claims against the estate of George Kempton Hyten (commonly known as Kemp Hyten or Hyden), deceased, are hereby required to present same to Walter R. Pennington, Administrator of said Estate, and all persons indebted to said estate are required to settle the same at once.

Walter R. Pennington, Administrator of the Estate of George Kempton Hyten. Address: Roller Building, Pennington Gap, Virginia.
Adv. No. 24-4t.

Weekly Roundup Of OPA Price and Rationing News

RATION CALENDAR

Processed Foods: Blue Stamps T2, U2, V2, W2, X2, now valid . . . Expire July 31; Y2,Z2, A1, B1, C1, now valid . . . expire August 31; D1, E1, F1, G1, H1, now valid . . . expires September 30; J1, K1, L1, M1, N1, now valid . . . expire October 31.

Meats and Fats: Red Stamps K2, L2, M2, N2, P2, now valid . . . expire July 31; Q2, R2, S2, T2, U2, now valid . . . expire August 31; V2, W2, X2, Y2, Z2, now valid . . . expire September 30; A1, B1, C1, D1, E1, now valid . . . expire October 31.

Sugar. Sugar Stamp No. 36, good for 5 pounds . . . expires August 31.

Shoes: Airplane Stamps Nos. 1, 2 and 3 now good.

Gasoline: A-16 coupons valid through September 21. Mileage rationing record must be presented when applying for all passenger car gasoline rations.

New Points to Spend

Validation last Sunday of five more red stamps and five more blue stamps had added a total of 100 points to your food buying budget, since the new stamp retains the established 10-point value.

New Blue Stamps are J-1 Through N-1; new Red Stamps are A-1 through E-1. All ten stamps may be used any time from now through the month of October, OPA's announcement said. There are always four sets of both the red and blue stamps valid, said OPA, the lifetime of each set being four months. The first set is always retired as the fifth becomes good.

In announcing the new stamps, OPA urged all ration book holders to write the expiration date on the back of each stamp, for easy reference.

Meat Looking Brighter

After two months' experience with its new meat control authority, OPA has found the meat distribution picture is definitely improving.

"Surveys made in fourteen key cities of the Southeast show that more meat is definitely reaching the retail stores," on OPA spokesman said. "It isn't as much as we'd like to see, but shows a decided change for the better, with still more improvement expected in the coming weeks."

Reasons for the betterment in meat distribution, he explained are OPA's quota regulations on slaughtering, controlled distribution and OPA's heightened prosecution of black market operators in meat.

Deadline Extended

Farmers who had not applied for OPA permits to slaughter meat for sale by last Saturday, June 30, will be granted an indefinite postponement of the deadline date, the OPA District Office announced today.

Despite the postponement, however, OPA urged all farmers who plan to slaughter and sell any amount of meat during the next year to apply for permits at their local War Price and Rationing Boards as early as possible, so that appropriate quota bases for slaughtering can be set.

DISTRICT WAR FUND CHAIRMAN ACCEPTS QUOTA

W. Tayloe Murphy, of Richmond, president of the Virginia War Fund (left), has announced that C. S. Carter, of Bristol, has again accepted the campaign chairmanship for the Ninth Congressional District in the annual War Fund Campaign, slated for October this year. Mr. Carter (center) also has accepted the responsibility for his district of raising $127,489, a quota assigned last week at the State War Fund annual meeting in Richmond. Counties in the district include. Lee, Smyth, Wise, Scott, Dickenson Tazewell, Buchanan, Russell, Washington, Bland, Giles, Pulaski.

Conferring with Mr. Murphy and Mr. Carter is W. Sterling King, of Richmond, State Chairman of the USO, which receives approximately 50 per cent of the War Fund money to carry on its program. Other agencies that receive their complete financial support from the Fund include: United Seamen's Service, War Prisoner Aid, Philippine War Relief, Belgian War Relief Society, United China Relief, American Relief for Czechoslovakia, America Denmark Relief, American Relief for France, Greek War Relief Association, American Relief for Holland, American Relief for Italy, United Lithuanian Relief Fund, Friends of Luxembourg, American Relief for Norway, Polish War Relief, Russian War Relief, United Yugoslav Relief, American Field Service, Refugee Relief Trustees, and U. S. Committee for the Care of European Children.

Virginia's quota this year is $1,800,988.60. Governor Darden continues as honorary chairman.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 26th day of June, 1945.

Bill Bowman ..... Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Viola Bowman ..... Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a "Mensa et Thoro" on the gorunds of desertion for a period of less than two years, and to obtain the care, custody and control of George Bowman, aged four years, and Frank Bowman, aged three years, children born to the aforesaid marriage, and for general relief in the premises.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Viola Bowman, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address is Ervin, Tennessee, it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p. q. R. C. Shannon.
Adv. No. 26-4t.

The Office of the Secretary of War says that "approximately eight tons of lumber are required to establish one U. S. soldier on a beachhead, and one ton is needed each month to keep him there."

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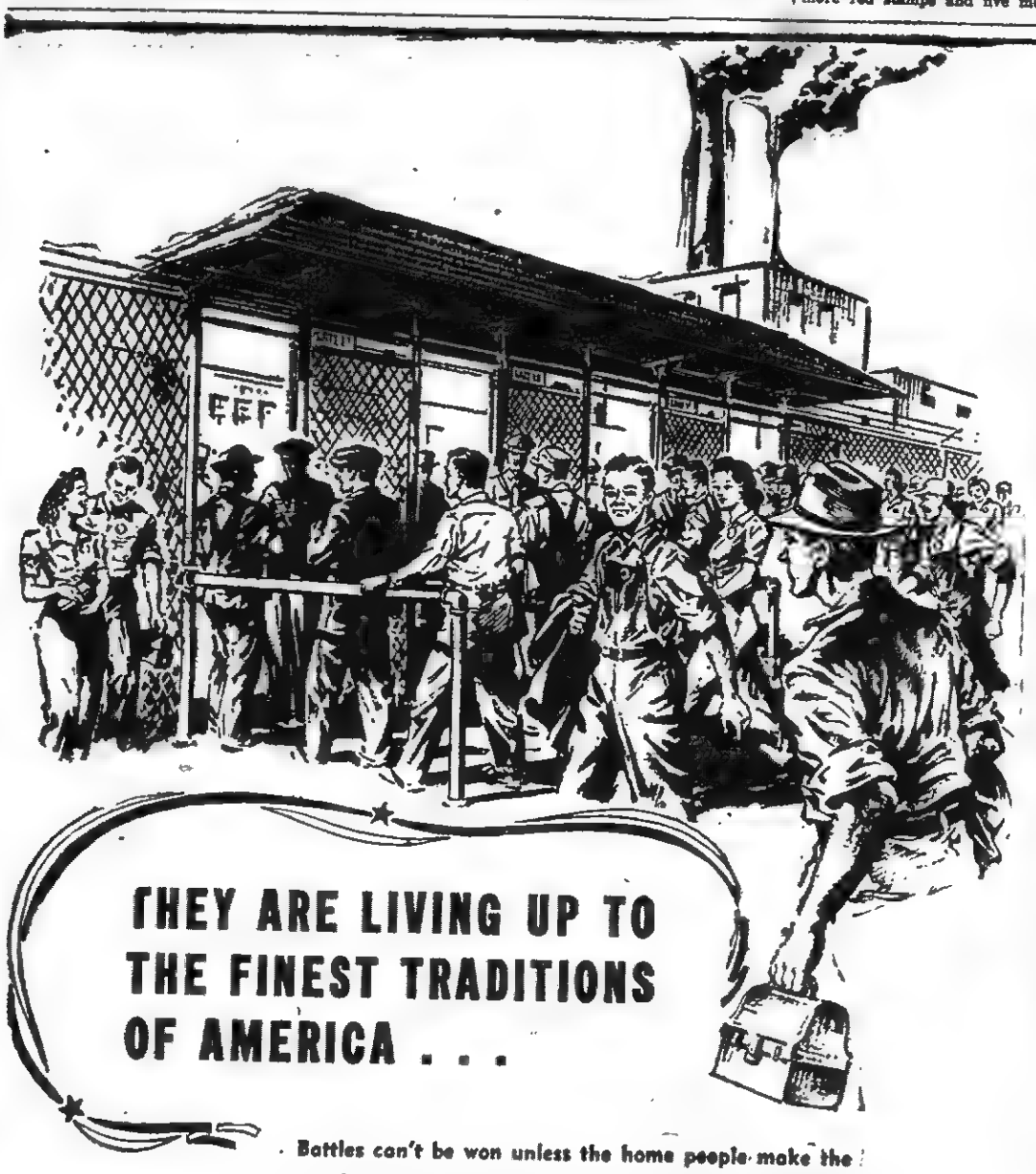

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There is still a big job ahead in winning the war against Japan and patriotic workers, everywhere, will be needed until that job is done. When our new unit goes into production about August 1, turning out more trench mortar powder along with that now being produced, additional jobs will be open to both men and women. Several thousand additional workers will be needed by the end of the year, as construction is completed.

When that time comes, you who do not have war jobs will be needed to help the patriotic workers now at Radford make the powder our boys must have to win. Good pay, good working conditions.

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With Our Service Men

Pvt. Hall Back In States

Pvt. Oscar Hall, 25, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Hall, of Jonesville, has returned from service outside the continental United States and is now being processed through the Army Ground and Service Forces Redistribution Station in Miami Beach, where his next assignment will be determined.

Pvt. Hall served 35 months as a rifleman in the European theater of operations. While there he was awarded the European campaign ribbon with one battle star.

Staff Sgt. Ledford Disarms Germans

Staff Sgt. James B. Ledford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hayes G. Ledford, of oJnesville, is responsible for the disarming of all captured German weapons. Sgt. Ledford has been assigned to the engineering section of a Ninth Air Force Service Command unit engaged in rendering impotent the German aeronautical industry.

He arrived in the European theater of operations in March, 1943. He graduated from Jonesville High School in '37, and before entering the service in December, 1941, he was employed by the Pocahontas Fuel Co.

Cpl. Arthur E. Montgomery

Cpl. Montgomery, who is the husband of Mrs. Margie Montgomery, of Rose Hill, is a member of an organization recently commended by Fifth Air Force's Major General Ennis C. Whitehead for skillful defense of an advanced air base against infiltrating Japanese troops in the Philippines.

The letter of commendation said: "Although your primary training and mission is not direct ground combat with the enemy, officers and men demonstrated unquestioned qualities of leadership and fighting spirit that will result in the utter extermination of the Japanese."

Cpl. Montgomery is an automotive equipment operator with a unit of the Fifth Air Force Service Command which supplies, maintains and repairs Fifth Air Force fighters and bombers.

Paul C. Levacy

Paul Cecil Levacy, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Silas Patton Levacy, Route 4, Jonesville, is receiving his initial Naval indoctrination at the U. S. Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill.

His recruit training consists of instruction in seamanship, military drill and general Naval procedure. During this period a series of aptitude tests will be taken by the recruit to determine whether he will be assigned to a Naval Service School, to a shore station or to immediate duty at sea. Wh en his recruit training is completed, the seaman will receive a period of leave.

Sgt. Bess In Training

Sgt. James E. Bess, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Bess, Route 1, Keokee, is now stationed at MacDill Field, Tampa, Fla., where he is receiving combat training as an engineer on a B-29 Super-Fortress.

MacDill Army Air Field is part of the Third Air Force, which trains heavy bomber crews in the United States.

Rose Hill Soldier Receives Award

IRTC, Camp Wheeler, Ga.—For having successfully completed the combat course of training as prescribed by the War Department, Pvt. Beryl H. Owens, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Owens, of Rose Hill, Va., was recently awarded the Expert Infantryman Badge by order of Major General T. G. Hearn, commanding general of this Infantry Aeplacement Training Center.

A graduate of Thomas Walker High School, Ewing, Va., Pvt. Owens was inducted into the Army last February and is now completing his infantry training cycle with Co. D, Ninth Battalion, here.

The deepest hole in the world is a Texas oil well recently drilled to a depth of 15,279 feet, or nearly three miles.

Small briquets are used to absorb the salt from sea water and thus provide life boat survivors with drinking water.

News From DRY BRANCH

Pfc. Charles Cox, of the U. S. Marines, is spending a ten-day furlough with home folks

Misses Ruby Hyden and Juanita Astrop, Mrs. Vernell Edens and Edith Astrop, Messrs. Danny Cox, Billy and Kent Astrop spent a very pleasant day fishing, boating and swimming on Powell River last Wednesday. The fish just wouldn't bite, so they would have been minus any lunch if they hadn't already brought a basket along.

Miss Louise Vaugh attended services at Valley View Church Saturday night.

Messrs. Billy Astrop and Arthur Edens made a business trip to Seminary, Wednesday morning.

Miss Ruby Hyden, of Woodway, and Mrs. Virginia Merchant, of Big Hill, were guests of Mrs. Edith Astrop during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Shilton Edens spent the week-en d with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hyden, of Woodway.

Mrs. Georgia Edens, Mrs. Virginia Merchant, Mrs. Edith Astrop and daughter, Juanita, made a business trip to Harlan, Ky., Friday.

Pfc. Charles Cox and Mr. Holley Astrop spent Sunday night in Leatherwood, Ky. Mr. Astrop has been employed there to saw lumber and mining timbers and has recently moved his equipment and men there.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:
In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 26th day of June, 1945.
Oma Napier Martin..Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Clifford Martin .....Defendant
The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on the ground of desertion and abandonment for the statutory period. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Clifford Martin, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address is Harlan, Kentucky, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.
It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.
Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p. q. L. M. Robinette.
Adv. No. 26-4t.

News From BENEDICT

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Crisp and children, of Texas, are here visiting Mrs. Crisp's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Laws, and family.

Mrs. Bessie Hall, of East Stone Gap, visited here last week with her sister, Mrs. Olen Johnson, and family.

Ruth Hilton, of Pennington, visited friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Blevins visited relatives at Calvin, Thursday.

Mrs. John Farley, of Jonesville, visited friends and relatives here last week.

Miss Jean Johnson is visiting relatives in East Stone Gap this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Johnson were in Big Stone Gap visiting with relatives last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Scarborough and family spent last week visiting Mrs. Scarborough's parents at Oliver Springs, Tenn.

Maynard Thompson, of Toms Creek, was here last week visiting among friends.

Rev. Bascom Dickson, of Wise, filled his regular appointment at Benedict Church last Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Birge and family visited relatives at Harriman, Tenn., last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Blevins and family spent last Sunday with friends at Glamorgan, in Wise County.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie McPherson and family spent last week with relatives at Harirman, Tenn.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:
In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 7th day of June, 1945.
Ernest Clyde Collins
..... Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Cecelia Allen Collins....Defendant
The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce on grounds of desertion for more than 2 years. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Cecelia Allen Collins, is nonresident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address is 107 Cogswell Ave., Indian Head, Maryland, it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.
It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.
Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p. q. G. A. Kauffman.
Adv. No. 24-4t.

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—in—
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—also—
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ATLANTIC CITY
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Wednesday and Thursday, July 11 - 12
Marriage Is A Private Affair
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Friday and Saturday, July 13 - 14
DOUBLE FEATURE
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SOCIAL - PERSONAL

Shower For Mrs. Johns

Mrs. Geraldine Carter entertained at her apartment home on Friday afternoon, June 29, for Mrs. Virginia Hall Johns, wife of Tech. Sgt. Mike Johns, stationed in California.

The rooms, beautifully decorated with cut flowers, were filled with guests who enjoyed to the fullest extent the entertainment and refreshments prepared by Mrs. Carter, and the display of lovely gifts for Mrs. Johns and the baby-to-be.

Mrs. E. C. Laningham is back home after a visit with her mother, Mrs. Alice Wilkerson, who has been seriously ill at Stanford, Ky.

Mrs. Lillian Laningham Rowe and little daughter, Janet, are here from Nashville to spend some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Laningham.

Pvt. Billy Shelburne, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Shelburne, of Pennington Gap, arrived Tuesday, June 26, from Seattle, Wash., on furlough. He will report to Harvard Field, Neb., on Sunday, July 15.

Deacons To Be Given Dinner

Even church deacons reap their reward in due season—sometimes. Rev. W. H. Parrott, pastor of Admant Baptist Church, and Mrs. Parrott will entertain his Board of Deacons, with their wives, at dinner Monday evening, July 9, at their parsonage home.

The guests will be: Mr. and Mrs. Ben Harbor, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Harbor, Mr. and Mrs. Wright Kirk, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Parks, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Kirk.

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Local Board No. 2 Lists July Calls For Services

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Pennington Gap; Marion Marshall Garber, St. Charles; Paul Lester Clark, Duffield; John Paul Newton, St. Charles; Vasseel Garrett, Keokee; Clyde Crawford Spangler, St. Charles; Thomas N. Mullins, Jr., Pennington Gap; Charles Lindberg Woodard, St. Charles; Willard George Laws, Benedict; Leonard Edward Allison, Route 1, Dryden; Grigsby Kelly, Woodway; John Henry Owsley, Bonny Blue; Clyde Wayne Bishop, Pennington Gap.

Otis Lee Rowland, St. Charles; Ranual Paul Clark, Keokee; John Hobert Bailey, Jr., Dryden; John William Plaster, Duffield; Ray Bledsoe Ulysses, Route 1, Duffield; Henry C. Kelly, Route 1, Keokee; Buford Lewis, Leona Mines; Charles W. Wynn, Bonny Blue.

Second Pre-induction Call.

Claude Hubert Lawson, Pennington Gap; John Bascom Pennington, Calvin; Oscar Allen Stewart, Newport News, Va.; Millard Livingston, Calvin; Ernest Homer Hall, Bonny Blue; Edgar Woodrow Baltimore, St. Charles; Joe Edward Farley, Pennington Gap; Earl Clark, Route 1, Pennington Gap; Jess Willard Martin, Bonny Blue; Troy James Sexton, Appalachia; Palmer Lee Parsons, Leona Mines; Charles Buford Lewis, Leona Mines; Gifford Eugene Robbins, Route 1, Norton, Va.; William James Phillips, PenningtonGap; Milburn Bascom Bailey, Newport News, Va.; Fred James Stapleton, Pennington Gap; Glen Stapleton, Route 1, Pennington Gap; Jack Childs, Bonny Blue; Roy Franklin Rose, St. Charles; James Bascom Hartsock, Leona Mines.

Truman Allen Martin, Leona Mines; Carl Benford Wright, Leona Mines; Hobert James Crusenberry, Leona Mines; Cascal F. Baker, Route 1, Pennington Gap; Eugene J. McElyea, Leona Mines; Sam Hughes, St. Charles; Charlie Hale, St. Charles; Elmer Allen Thomas, St. Charles; Elmer Henry Cox, St. Charles; Ed King, Route 1, Keokee; Oscar Burley Ball, Route 2, Pennington Gap; Eugene Gray Stout, Harve De Grace, Md; Delmas Willard Stewart, St. Charles; Charles Taylor, St. Charles; Roy Moscoe Ringley, Leona Mines; Henry Lewis Perkins, Pennington Gap; William Brownloe Parrott, Bonny Blue; Ebson Luther Stevens, Bonny Blue; Cline Perry, Pennington Gap; Arthur Bernice Brock, Bonny Blue.

Claude Evart Mullins, Bonny Blue; Charles William Wade, Leona Mines; Hugh Victor Rhea, Route 1, Pennington Gap; Eugene Clifton Robinette, Pennington Gap; Robert Lee Redwine, St. Charles; Charlie Tillman Lawson, Bonny Blue; Jess Dixon, St. Charles; Luther Kyle Hawkins, Inman; Kellogg Condy Zion, Roda; Ellis Samuel Rogers, Route 1, Pennington Gap; Earnest Glenn Willis, Pennington Gap; Palmer Haze Rivers, Route 1, Keokee; Eugene Bailey Livingston, St. Charles; Preston Howard Allen, Route 1, St. Charles; Dixie Cecil Shepard, Route 1, Pennington Gap; Loyd Smith, Keokee; Roy Shelby Corbin, St. Charles; Pat Lambdin, Benedict; Coy E. Robbins, Route 1, Keokee; Luster Jones, St. Charles.

Carl Capps, Route 1, Keokee; Buck James, St. Charles; Lesondous King, St. Charles; Delmas Bradley Witt, Leona Mines; Loyd Winston Herron, St. Charles; William Foster Mullins, Lancing, Tenn.; Fred Marion Hylton, Leona; Sam Bostic, Big Stone Gap; Charley Bedford Williams, Leona Mines; Roy Crusenberry, St. Charles; James William Woods, Bonny Blue; Roy Clarence Blair, Keokee; Carl Edward Lay, St. Charles; William Lawrence Snodgrass, Stirrat, W. Va.; Charles Elvin Pope, Leona Mines.

Induction Call:

Daniel Paul Spurlock, Route 1, Jonesville; Arnold Lee Bishop, St. Charles; Joe Gordon Gibbons, Pennington Gap; William Hortel Hawkins, Inman; Everett West, Route 1, Pennington Gap; Harold Eugene Swing, Benedict; Clarence William Hedgecoth, St. Charles; John Richard Kirk; Route 1, Pennington Gap; Albert J. R. Hughes, Route 1, Pennington Gap; James Clarence Robbins, Keokee; Roscoe Clell Johnston, Route 2, Pennington Gap; William Henry Cress, St. Charles; Elmer Eugene Short, Calvin; Charles Wade, Route 2, Big Stone Gap; William Worley Dinsmore, Keokee; William Howard Rogers, Route 1, Big Stone Gap.

OPA Presents The Truth About Canning Sugar

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quota of 70% of last year issuance. Two of the States in the fourth region suffered a drought last season and as a result issued on the average of 5 pounds and 7½ pounds per applicant. This year those States have bumper crops. By a recent amendment to the sugar regulation, the Regional Administrator was given the authority to distribute his quota of 70% in any equitable way he saw fit. Since the two States that suffered a drought could not can their crops on 70% of 5 pounds and 7½ pounds, the administrator, under the amendment, divided his regional quota into 14 parts—there being 14 districts in the fourth region. This reduced this district's quota from 70% of last year's issuance to 50.4%. The last mentioned act gave us the second cut.

The Board at Jonesville, while the 70% quota was applicable, issued canning sugar on the basis of 15 pounds per applicant. After the district's quota was cut to 50.4% the Jonesville Board ran out of coupons before it had served all of its patrons. It was in no part the fault of the Jonesville Board that such fact exists. Ot was trying to serve as many people as possible as soon as possible and was acting entirely within the regulation and under instructions by the Roanoke District Office. The net result is that a large number of the citizens of this county received 15 pounds per person and due to the two cuts mentioned above, a large number of citizens of this county will receive no sugar for canning unless it can count on the wholehearted, conscientious cooperation of the fair-minded citizens of this county in dividing sugar stamps that have already been issued.

"In an effort to get sugar users equalize things and to get some sugar to those people who at present have no hope to get any canning sugar, the Board earnestly requests all persons who have any coupons that they will not actually need for sugar for canning, preserving, etc., to return as many stamps as possible to the Board. By making this sacrifice you will not only make a definite contribution to the war effort in this crisis, you will also earn the gratitude of your less fortunate neighbors—and the OPA. To those persons who make this sacrifice the Board will express its gratitude by name in our local paper."

Methodist Church

Sunday morning, July 8th: Church School at 9:30, Clyde M. Kirk, Supt. Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon theme: "The Indispensible". Special music.

Evening: Young people's groups meet at 6:30. Sermon at 7.30, by the Rev. Roy E. Early, District Superintendent of Big Stone Gap District. Rev. Early will use for his topic "Corporate Faith".

Again the people are invited to take advantage of the free bus service and come to Sunday School and church services Sunday morning.

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Young People's Camp begins at Jonesville Camp Ground on Monday, July 9, continuing for one week. Intermediate Week begins July 16. Announcement of Children's Workers Camp to follow later.

Charlie D. Mehaffey, Pastor.

FOR SALE

Household Furniture. Good Knox Cook Stove, one Iron Bed Stead with springs; two dressers, and other furniture. See Mrs. J W. Anderson, West Pennington Gap. Adv. No 27-2t pd.

Lee Garden Club Will Meet Wednesday, July 11

Lee County Garden Club will meet Wednesday afternoon, July 11, at the home of Mrs. Browning Wynn, of Jonesville, with Mrs. Joe Wolfe, Mrs. M. E. Flanary and Mrs. Claude McClure as joint hostesses. Topic for the afternoon: "Prevention of Forest Fires". Program leader, Mrs. J. V. Graham.

First Christian Church

Sunday, July 8: Bible School at 10:00 a. m., H. O. Hines, Supt. Worship with communion at 10:45. Sermon by Rev. A. E. Robertson, of Gibson Station, Va., who is supplying for the pastor while he is taking so much needed health treatments.

Christian Endeavors meet at 6:30 p. m., Miss Dorothy Minton, leader.

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Let us assemble for worship that we might be prepared for Christian service.

First Baptist Church

Sunday morning, July 8: Sunday School at 9:30, A. T. Burchette, Supt. Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon topic. "Important Business.

Evening: Training Unions meet at 6:30. Baptism and Lord's Supper at 7:30.

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

P. R. Stubbs, Pastor.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our friends of Pennington and Ocoonita for their kindness at the death of our wife and mother, Edna Grable. We also wish to express our appreciation for the beautiful floral offerings.

George Grable and Family
Melvin Ingle and Family.

St. Charles PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. George Brummitt and family went to Big Stone Gap for the Fourth. After enjoying the celebrations, including the swimming pool, they motored to Appalachia, where they visited with Mr. Aba Carp, returned to Big Stone Gap for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Steelman, thence back to St. Charles.

Mrs. G. B. Shoun visited her father, Bud Music, at Dryden, who has been quite ill for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hagy, Jr., are here from Knoxville on vacation.

Mrs. Oswald Hall, of Big Stone Gap, spent last week-end with Mrs. Dillard Ball.

Mrs. Clyde Terry and family, of Cincinnati, are here visiting her mother, Mrs. O. E. Hilton.

Dr. G. B. Shoun made a business trip to Middlesboro, Ky., Tuesday.

Cpl. Wm. Pace is here from Texas visiting with his mother, Mrs. J. M. Pace.

Mrs. J. P. Evans, of Camden, N. J., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Hill.

Mrs. Enos Doss is visiting in Pennington with her mother, Mrs. E. A. Whitteaker.

Mrs. G. B. Shoun was shopping in Bristol last week.

Lt. and Mrs. W. C. Jones left yesterday for a visit with his parents in Iowa, after which they will go to Miami, Beach, Fla., where Lt. Jones will be reassigned to duty. He was recently liberated from a war prison camp in Germany, after a 15-months confinement.

Allen Grey Seymour, SF 3-C., arrived here Tuesday for a visit with his mother, Mrs. Henrietta Seymour, and his sister, Mrs. C. H. Redmon, and family. Seaman Seymour has been on duty in the South Pacific

Mrs. Redmon also has as her guest Seaman Seymour's fiance, Miss Willie Nazelrod, of Washington, D. C. Other visitors who will arrive at the Redmon home this week are: Mr. and Mrs. Ben Seymour and family, Mrs. Beatrice Baker anr family, and Billy Morris Atkins, of Baltimore; and Mrs. Paul Gross, of Chicago.

Amoed Davis, Seaman 2-C., stationed at Norfolk, Va., is at home on a ten-day furlough. Seaman Davis is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Davis, and the husband of Mrs. Bertha Davis, of this place.

Card of Thanks

Sincerest thanks to our friends for the many acts of kindness and sympathy shown us in the death of our husband and father, T. H. Pugh.

We gratefully appreciate every favor shown us, including the beautiful floral offerings, the use of cars, and those participating in the services.

Mrs. T. H. Pugh and Family.

John Pearcy

John Pearcy, a former citizen of Pennington and member of Pennington Lodge, I.O.O.F., died at his home in Middlesboro, Ky., June 26. Mr. Pearcy is survived by his wife and a son, residing in Middlesboro.

TOWN TALK

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together they boarded a bus for home. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Housley, Sr., formerly of Pennington Gap, and now of Fountain City, Tenn.

That Pesky Cow!

Mrs. Olen Osborne, who lives at Rose Hill, thinks that one of our most needed inventions is something to keep a cow's tail from switching during the milking period Mrs. Osborne says that her glasses were jerked off the other evening by this aggravating habit of the cow, and that she grabbed frantically for them several times before the glasses finally fell off into the grass.

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The only way we will upset this Jap strategy is to become acutely aware of certain jolting facts:

Do you know that Japan, the "master-race" of 70,000,000 now controls nearly a half-billion people—*nearly a quarter of the world's population?*

Do you know that Japan right now has sufficient materials and food to carry on for many years at the present rate of attrition?

Do you know that the Japs are making planes as fast as we can knock them down? One of our returned Navy fliers just recently said he chased a "Judy" (they're not fighting the old type Zeros any more!) for forty miles . . . and the Jap simply pulled away from one of our fastest planes!

Do you realize that it's 14,000 miles from France to Tokyo . . . that we can't wait for the leftover arms from Europe to beat Japan . . . that the Jap Military is counting on this very barrier of distance to cool our ardor for war?

Do you realize that we have never taken one of her stolen islands without having to account for every last man on it—that our first two years of fighting yielded tens of thousands dead Japs but only a few thousand prisoners?

These are cold facts. Let's look at them coldly, honestly.

If we haven't enough ships, we must build them. But a citizenry complacent in the idea that one of the world's strongest empires is a pushover doesn't build them fast enough.

If we haven't enough guns, planes and tanks, we must make them. But that means *staying on our war jobs until our war jobs are finished.*

The question is not "Can we beat Japan?" It's "When?" "How?" And at what cost in lives?

The answer is up to every last one of us

It will end as soon as 130,000,000 Americans and their allies, fighting and working together, make it end.

How you can help

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Pvt. Charles E. Redwine in U. S. Army Hospital

Pvt. Charles E. Redwine, of Route 1, Pennington Gap, Va., who served eight months overseas with the 168th Infantry, Company E, in Africa, Malta and Italy, is now at Newton D. Baker General Hospital, Martinsburg, W. Va., for treatment.

Prior to his leaving for overseas duty, Pvt. Redwine received his training at Camp Robinson, Ark. He wears the Purple Heart and Combat Infantryman Badge, with battle stars.

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News From
KEOKEE

A tent has been erected and an old-time camp meeting is in progress in the Raw Hide section.

Miss Juanita Knight, who is employed at Oak Ridge, Tenn., visited home folk here over the week-end.

Mrs. Ada Smith and children, of Benham, Ky., visited relatives in the Raw Hide section during the past week.

The home and store owned by Ed Tims and located in the Mohawk section, were completely destroyed by fire recently.

Mary L. Maxfield, of Wyoming, spent a short visit recently with her cousin, Geraldine Maxfield.

Mrs. O. K. Lucas and small daughter visited the Brad Mullins family over the week-end.

Miss Lois Brown is away on visits to relatives at various places.

Miss Vergie Smith has returned home after a visit in Kingsport, Tenn.

Russell Barker, of Portsmouth, is spending the summer with his grandfather, W. S. Palmer, and other relatives.

Sgt. Victor Craft and wife, the former Retha Morris, were visiting relatives and friends here recently. Sgt. Craft has been given honorable discharge from the U. S. Army.

Mrs. John Stidham and baby visiter her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Stanley, over the week-end.

Sgt. Robbins Merits Discharge From Army

Sgt. Raines M. Robbins, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Robbins, of Ben Hur, has returned home after nearly six years' service in the U. S. Army, two and a half years of this time being spent in Europe. He has a discharge under the point system, and brings home with him the Purple Heart and Good Conduct Medal.

Sgt. Robbins expresses his delight at being back home with friends again.

Adding one teaspoon poultry seasoning to the dry ingredients of a standard muffin recipe gives them a peppy flavor that is excellent with cooked shrimp in curry-seasoned white sauce.

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News From
MILLER'S CHAPEL

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Johnson and family and Mr. Dainer Clawson were visiting in Tennessee, Sunday.

Mack Shelton, Lawrence Garrett, Carl Sexton and Fred Terry were visiting in Ben Hur, Sunday.

Miss Juanita Bledsoe spent Saturday night with Jean Terry, of Ben Hur.

Misses Lena and Della Haynes and Opal Flanagan were visiting Mrs. Joe Garertt, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Flanagan and daughter, Opal, spent Saturday night with Mrs. Flanagan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tyde Haynes.

Mr. R. S. Garrett has been ill for the past few weeks.

M. B. Johnson, Thelma and Zelma Johnson were in Harlan, Ky., on business, Saturday.

Joe Garrett and daughter were visiting his father, Mr. Bill Garrett, Sunday.

Miss Joyce Davis is visiting with her grandparents here.

Mrs. Grace Bledsoe, who recently underwent a serious operation, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Williams and children, who have been visiting here, left Monday for their home at Portsmouth, Va.

Mrs. Willie Garrett visited Mrs. Grace Bledsoe, Sunday.

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Paraguayan Visits L.M.U.

GILDO INFRAN

For several days recently, Gildo Infran, of Paraguay, was a visitor at Lincoln Memorial University, chiefly observing what the University is doing to assist young people of modest means to finance themselves through earnings and loans.

Mr. Infran received his Master of Science degree at Texas A. and M. on May 29. He was formerly Director of Agricultural Education in Paraguay and has been promised a high post in the Paraguayan Ministry on his return home this summer. He has done special study at Washington and at the University of Texas. He visited educational institutions in Alabama, Georgia, Tennessee, Kentucky, New York and Iowa.

News From
MILLER'S CHAPEL

Miss Vivian Spivey, of Kingsport, Tenn., spent several days here with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Margaret Poteet and Reeda Fern Goins spent last week with her granddaughter, Mrs. Charlie Allen, of Dunbar.

Mr and Mrs. Rhea Hall were visiting his sister, Mrs. Mack Quillen, and Mr. Quillen, of Big Stone Gap.

Guy Harvel is seriously ill at his home.

Mrs. Mack Quillen, of Big Stone Gap, spent a few days recently with her mother, Mrs. Kate Hall.

Miss Zulla Quesenberry was a dinner guest of Miss Melba Shelton, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hurt, of Sandy Ridge, were dinner guests of her sister, Mrs. Kate Hall, Sunday.

Mrs. Richard Shelton was visiting in Pennington, Monday.

Mr. Lace Combs is seriously ill at his home.

Miss Betty Shelton is improving nicely after suffering a broken arm.

Miss Joyce Davis is spending several weeks with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Davis.

Mr and Mrs. Foster Hess, of Dryden, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Davis.

Egypt was considered part of Asia until Ptolemy made the Isthmus of Suez and the Red Sea the boundary between Africa and Asia.

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In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 11th day of June, 1945.

Fred J. Conatser.....Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Motie Maddle Conatser
..... Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce A Vinculo Matriminii. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Motie Maddle Conatser, is non-resident of the State of Virgina, and her last known address is Monterey, Tennessee, c-o Lee Maddle, it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newsppaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p. q. Guy A. Kauffman.
Adv. No. 24-4t.

Va. Highway Commission To Increase Employment

The Virginia State Highway Commission, following the war, will employ more people than ever before in its history, R. P. Ellison, executive assistant to the Commission, states in the current "Commonwealth" magazine of the Virginia State Chamber of Commerce. The Commision has developed plans for an immediate postwar construction program providing for the expenditure of $31,000,000 annually during the first three years following the relaxation of wartime restrictions. Construction or improvement of 540 miles of highway is planned.

The program includes regrading and widening of 230 miles of highway, relocation and widening of 180 miles of road, and the building of 130 miles of highways on new locations and of the most modern design.

A study of head colds shows women have more colds than men and people who sit at work have more colds than those who walk around.

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News From
OCOONITA

Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Statzer and children, Fred and Ruth, of Big Stone Gap, spent the week-end here with Mr. Statzer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Statzer.

Faye Hammonds was a visitor in Jonesville, Friday.

Rev. Kester Greene, of Pennington Gap, was visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Fleenor, Saturday.

Gale Johnson, Mrs. Edward Emmette and Miss Ruby Hammonds were visiting in Jonesville, Tuesday.

Miss Bernice Johnson returned to her work at Oak Ridge Thursday, after spending three weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Caner Johnson.

Marion Pochodzay, who for the last two years has been serving with the U. S. Army overseas, has completed a 30-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Pochodzay, and has returned to Fort Meade, Md., for reassignment.

Mrs. Myrtle Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Ingle were on the sick list last week.

Physical chemistry has found a way to dispel raindrops which fall on the pilot's turret and tend to obscure his vision.

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To Whom It May Concern

By:

W. I. Jones

"Pay Day"

Not long ago, the life of a middle-aged man was snuffed out by his enemies. He was brought up in a good home, had a good education, married well and had a nice home. People thought he was doing well. But he made his money in sinful pursuits. A rival gang decided to "blot him out" and they did. Nobody knows how many young lives he had wrecked, and the obituary did not mention that he had merely come to pay day.

For one reason or another pay day always comes. Sometimes there is delay but never a failure. The good citizen is paid in currency of esteem, by his fellows. The young man who wastes his time, his energies and his health is often paid in failure, sickness and despair. The invalid who, in spite of his handicaps, serves his fellows, is paid in courage and strength of character. The college student who wastes time and refuses to study will be paid with a poor record that will plague his footsteps in years to come. Those who strive to excell, to master their subjects will be paid in the currency of self-respect, of Knowledge and power to grow.

These are laws as old as the universe. They were not laid down by preachers or college professors. There is no greater truth than "Whatsoever a man soweth that shall he also reap". Like many other wise sayings, this is true because it is in the Bible, and it is in the Bible because it is true.

GETS GOOD FOOD

The following letter was written by Pfc. James Minor, somewhere in Germany, to his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Minor, of Jonesville, and handed us for publication by his grandfather, W. S. Martin, of Jonesville:

Germany, May 31.

Dear Mother, Dad and "Pa":

I will answer the letters received from you. I was sure glad to hear from you all. I have just finished eating dinner. We had a very nice dinner today —meat loaf, mashed potatoes, beans, peas, peaches, home-made bread and apple butter. We sure have some good cooks, especially a good baker. He bakes us a lot of bread and it is really good; and he also makes good cakes. That is all he has to do.

Since I landed in England I have covered a lot of territory. We landed in Liverpool, October 1st. From there we went by truck to Lymington, England, and stayed there until we came to France. While I was there I was in London, Southhampton, and several small towns. We left England December 7 and landed in France on the 9th. I was in Paris, which is sure a swell place. When we left France we came to Belgium, then moved on into Holland. From Holland we came into Germany, and I am now 125 miles from Berlin. That was as close as we got.

Well, I will close for this time. Write me soon.

Your son,

James.

Important Development In Growing Of Tobacco Revealed

Blacksburg, Va. — A development, which in its economic aspects, conceivably might be one of the most important to thousands of small workers in the Piedmont and mountain areas since the domestic bright and burley tobaccos first were developed 80 to 100 years ago has been announced by the Virginia Agricultural Experiment Station here.

The announcement told of the successful culture — after five years of study—of high quality Turkish tobacco in this country, a feat hitherto regarded by many as impossible. The announcement was made simultaneously with Duke University and the agricultural experiment stations in North and South Carolina.

These agencies have cooperated in a study lasting more than five years to perfect methods for producing Turkish tobacco in the United States.

Best Quality

This summer the diminutive aromatic leaf is being grown under the supervision of Duke and state experiment stations researchers on some 55 small farms in three States to determine experimentally whether a high quality product can be grown profitably to the farmers.

The Turkish plant, say researchers at the experiment station at Virginia Tech, thrives and produces best quality on comparatively poor soil and fortunately does not overlap areas devoted to the growing of domestic leaf.

With the possibility of extensive growing now on the horizon, one of the major problems confronting those studying the development of the Turkish leaf is the large amount of hand labor involved in extensice cultivation. Since the more numerous leaves on the Turkish plant are but a tenth the size of domestic tobacco leaes and require considerable handling, continuation of the research program this summer and subsequent seasons will include attempts to solve the labor-cost problem.

Attempts Failed

For several decades it has been contended that Turkish tobacco would thrive only in certain areas bordering the Mediterranean and Black Sea and numerous attempts to produce it successfully in other areas has failed. Dr. F. R. Darkis, of the Duke University Department of Chemistry, has been in charge of the Turkish tobacco experimental laboratory and field research, a task which involved the responsibility of coordinating the project between the participating agencies and individuals.

Dr. F. A. Wole, of the Duke Department of Botany, has been in charge of the breeding and genetic experiments and the program as a whole has been under the general direction of Dr. Paul Gross, chairman of the Department of Chemistry. The investigations have been carried out as a cooperatie project between Duke and the agricultural agencies of the States of North Carolina, Virginia and South Carolina.

In Virginia, the work was carried on at the Chatham experiment station under the direction of E. M. Mathews, who long had been interested in the possibility of producing Turkish tobacco in this country and who has made trial plantings there before the inception of the present program. Also aiding in the work in Virginia was Luber Spasoff, a Bulgarian, who has had experience in growing the tobacco in Europe.

The subsequent development of the work in Virginia was made possible by the support of Dr. A. W. Drinkard, Jr., director of the Virginia Agricultural Experiment Station, and Dr. T. B. Hutcheson, agronomist of the Virginia experiment station.

News From JONESVILLE

Mrs. G. W. Ball, Cor.

Route Four

A program will be presented Friday night at York at the closing of the Vacation Bible School, which is being conducted by Mrs. Rambo, of Rose Hill, and assistants. Everybody invited.

Rev. Perkins met his appointment at York at 10.00 a.m., and at the Camp Ground at 11:00 a. m., Sunday.

Miss Opal Ray, of Rogersville, who is employed in Jonesville, visited our Sunday School.

Mr. and Mrs Matt Cooney were guests of relatives here recently.

The Cracker Poteet family are now enjoying their pretty new home

Silas McCracken and small brother, Bill, of St. Charles, were guests of their sister, Mrs. J. W. Roberts and family here last week.

D B. Byington continues ill in the Evans Hospital at Middlesboro, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Williams and family, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cephus Roop, and other relatives here, will be leaving soon for Portsmouth, Va.

W. J. Roberts is beginning work on his new home. John Davis is also planning to build a new barn and stone house soon.

A single oyster may spawn 500,000,000 eggs in a season.

News From BIG HILL

Quite a few persons enjoyed a picnic on Powell River, Sunday.

Miss Alzada Tankersley is spending a week with her parents at Imboden, Va.

Mrs. Virginia Merchant was shopping in Harlan, Ky., Friday. She was accompanied by Mrs. Edith Astrop and daughter, Juanita, and Mrs. Elmer Edens.

Mr. Lefer Belcher, of Dry Branch, was visiting Mrs. Stella Belcher and children Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Burton were dinner guests of Mrs. Zona Gunn, of Woodway, Sunday.

Mrs. Gertrude Carter and Miss "Toots" Tankersley, of Imboden, Va., were visitors of Mrs. Blaine Bailey recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Everette Long, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ramey, of St. Charles, spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ramey.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Kokoskia and son, Floyd, are visiting his father, Mr. Andy Kokoskia, of this community. His wife resided in Pensacola, Fla., until he was discharged from the Navy.

Misses Jeanette and Marie Gilbert spent Sunday with friends at Dry Branch.

O.M. 1-C. Oscar Craft is spending his leave with his wife and family here. He is now stationed at Memphis, Tenn.

Mrs. Golden Davidson, of Cincinnati, Ohio, is spending her vacation here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Belcher.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Raye have had as their guest their little granddaughter, of Leatherwood, Ky.

News From MILLER'S CHAPEL

Mrs. Rhea Hall entertained with a birthday dinner in honor of her brother, Pfc. Carl Kirk, who has been stationed at Fort Knox, Ky. Also another brother, Pfc. Edgar Kirk, who was present. Pfc. Edgar Kirk has been overseas for some time, and is now at home for a 30-day furlough with his mother. Pfc. Carl will report to a post in Maryland. Those present included Mrs. Carl Kirk and children, Mrs. Addie Kirk, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Shackleford, of Benedict.

Miss Zulla Quesenberry entertained with a party in honor of Gleese Williams, who will leave for military service soon. Those present were: Reeda and Bernice Quesenberry, Melba Shelton, Hagan and James Williams, Henry Devalt, Omer and Bradley Miles, L. P. Napier, Houston Robbins, Lawrence Baker, Mack Shelton, Daner Clawson, Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Allen. All reported a nice time.

Mrs. Nannie Garrett, of Ben Hur, spent Monday night with Mrs. Kate Hall.

Misses Betty Jean and Melba Shelton were visiting relatives in Pennington, Monday.

Jean Shelton has been on the sick list for several days.

Miss Reeda Quesenberry was visiting her cousin, Melba Shelton, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Jim Shackleford, of Benedict, was visiting Mrs. Richard Shelton, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Jennie Harvel, of Walens Creek, spent a few days recently with her son, Bob Harvel, Mrs. Harvel and children.

Misses Ella Mae and Georgia Hyden were visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Benham, of Jonesville, Sunday night.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 3rd day of July, 1945.

George Ellis Burchett
..... Complainant

vs. Order of Publication

Amanda Sizemore Burchett
..... Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce A Vincule Matrimonii upon grounds of adultery. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Amanda Sizemore Burchett, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address is Wallens Creek, Kentucky, it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:

D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.

By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.

p. q. Guy A. Kauffman.

Adv. No. 27-4t.

Order Of Circuit Court Of Lee County, Virginia

In the Circuit Court of Lee County, Virginia, in Recess at Appalachia, Virginia, on the 2nd day of May, 1945.

This matter came on this day to be heard upon the petition of Happy David Winn Griffith for the purpose of changing his name as hereinafter shown; and was argued by counsel.

And it appearing unto the Court from the petition that Happy David Winn Griffith was christened in infancy as Harry David Griffith and that thereafter in the State of Tennessee, his name was changed by order of the Court to Happy David Winn Griffith, and that now it is the desire of the petitioner to again change his name to Happynear Duepointt Greatwinn.

And it appearing further unto the Court that the petitioner is thirty-seven years of age and has lived in Lee County since he was two years of age, and in addition to the said petition motion has been made to change said name as aforesaid, the Court doth therefore change the name of the petitioner, Happy David Winn Griffith to Happynear Duepointt Greatwinn; by which said latter name he shall hereafter be known; and it is so adjudged, ordered and decreed.

GEORGE MORTON, Judge.

To D. C. Sewell, Jr., Clerk:

Enter this decree on the 2nd day of May, 1945.

George Morton, Judge

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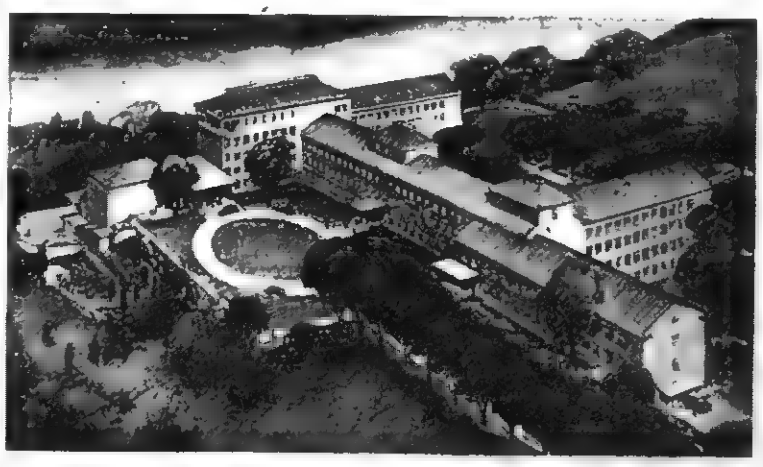

New 8-million-dollar G-E Research Laboratory will be built five miles east of Schenectady, New York, on the Mohawk River. The geographic location offers special advantages for television, high voltage x-ray, and radar research. Buildings with 300,000 square feet of floor space will accommodate an expanded postwar research staff of about 800. Research rooms will be a scientist's paradise of equipment for experiments in chemistry, physics, [illegible], electronics. It is hoped that construction can start in six months.

Hear the G-E radio programs: *The G-E All-girl Orchestra*, Sunday 10 p. m. EWT, NBC—*The World Today* news, Monday through Friday 6:45 p. m. EWT, CBS—*The G-E House Party*, Monday through Friday 4:30 p. m. EWT, CBS.

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Social and Personal

Back Home

J. Marion Smith, of Woodway, has returned from going places and seeing people. Mr. Smith visited with members of his family residing in Washington, D. C. While there he visited Senator Byrd and Congressman Flannagan in their offices; also viewed the Eisenhower parade, and was within a few yards of the famous general.

Mr. Smith was accompanied home by his daughter, Mrs. B. W. Fling, and three daughters, of Silver Springs, Md.

Don't fail to see "This Man's Navy", coming to Lee Theatre on Thursday and Friday, July 19 - 20.

Holds Position At Knoxville General Hospital

Mrs. Anna Newman Chandler completed her laboratory technician course at Knoxville General Hospital on June 1, and accepted a position there. She is the daughter of Sheriff and Mrs. J. W. Newman.

Returns to Church

Edsel F. Pugh left yesterday to resume his pastorate of Fort Trial Christian Church near Martinsville, Va., after spending a few days at his home here, due to the death of his father, T. H. Pugh.

Edsel has just arrived in New York City, where he had gone to attend the executive committee meeting of the United Christian Youth Movement, when word reached him of his father's sudden death. He left immediately for home. He was to have attended the meeting as delegate of the United Christian Youth Council of Virginia, of which he is president.

Pvt. Arnold Smith, of the U. S. Marine Corps, stationed at Camp Lejeune, N. C., has recently spent a seven-day furlough visiting relatives and friends on Stone Creek.

Visit At Clintwood

The following were visiting at Clintwood, Sunday, with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Yates: Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Ely, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ely and two sons, Ronnie and Larry, Mrs. Creed Ely and Mrs. Roverne Ely. They were accompanied home by Master Erman Yates, of Clintwood.

Out-of-Town Attendants At Pugh Funeral

Among those coming from a distance to attend the T. H. Pugh funeral last Friday were:

Mrs. Guy Pugh, St. Paul, Va.; Mrs. J. W. Hill, Elizabethton, Tenn.; Mrs. Kelly Hopkins and son, Appalachia, Va.; Mrs. Maude Stout and Sampson Sage, Stickleyville, Va.; Rev. and Mrs. Joseph Strother and Mrs. H. P. Shipley, Johnson City, Tenn.; Cecil Duff, Elizabethton; Mrs. Sam Slemp, Olinger; Rev. Festus Wolfe, Big Stone Gap; Jack Harvell and Charles Watkins, Forest City, N. C.; Mrs. Maggie Bailey, Ewing, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Morley, Ewing Emory Mitchell, of Wise, Va., a cousin of Mr. Pugh, did not get here for the funeral but visited with the family over the week-end.

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Liberated P.O.W. Visits On Stone Creek

Pvt. Vernon Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith, was liberated from a German prison camp April 26th, and is now spending a 70-day furlough with friends and relatives on Stone Creek. He will report to Miami Beach, Fla., August 26th, and later to Fort Bragg, N. C.

Earning Her A.B.

Miss Ida Stacy, member of the Pennington High School faculty, is at Madison College, working on her A.B. degree.

Mrs. E. S. Vaughan and children have returned from a visit with relatives at Richmond, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Quinley and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Loreed Napier on Stone Creek, Sunday

Miss Velma Hickam and sister, Betty, of Richmond, Va., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M Fry, and also with other relatives here. They are former residents of Pennington.

Mr and Mrs C L Briley and son, Pat, have returned to their home in Detroit, Mich, after spending their two weeks' vacation with Mrs Briley's parents, Mr and Mrs. A. M Myers Kay and Ann Graham, daughters of Mrs Briley, have gone to Detroit to make their home.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Lipps and three children, Joyce, Jimmy K., and Nancy, are here for a two-weeks vacation with Mrs. Lipps' father, M. D. Kelly, and family. The Lipps reside in Noblesville, Indiana.

Little Marie Queener, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Queener, of St. Charles, has just returned from a week's visit in Kingsport with her aunt and grandfather. Marie says she had the time of her life there.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Ely had as dinner guests Saturday, Ben J. F. Aker, of Radford, Va., and Ray Shuler, of Big Stone Gap.

Mrs. Mildred Elswick has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Music, of Dryden. After a few days her husband joined her, and now both have returned to their home near Langley Field, Va.

Alfred Green At Pearl Harbor

A news release from Public Relations Office states that Alfred H. Green, of St. Charles, has been assigned to an important war job at the Pearl Harbor Navy Yard, where he recently arrived to help maintain the ships of the Pacific Fleet.

Mrs. Laura Coffman and daughter, Ruth, have returned to their home at Greeneville, Tenn., after a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. J P. Hammonds.

Mr and Mrs Melvin G Willey, of Baltimore, are here for a few days' visit with Mrs. Willey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Stacy They are enroute to their home after a visit with his parents at Lincoln, Neb

The Willey have also been vacationing in New York, Chicago, and other cities. Mrs. Willey was formerly Miss Virginia Stacy.

Pvt. Earl Goins is here from Swannanoa, N. C., where he has been confined to Moore General Hospital. Earl says he's beginning to feel fine again.

Mrs Charles E. Pearce returned to her home at Jacksonville, Fla, the first of the week, after a several days' visit here due to the illness of her mother, Mrs. R. G. Bolin. Mrs. Bolin is convalescing after a major operation at Dr. Botts' Hospital in Norton, and returned to her home here Tuesday.

Mrs James Flanary, formerly of Pennington Gap, is visiting relatives here, with headquarters at the home of Mrs Mattie Flanary and Miss Ella Flanary, at Woodway Mrs Flanary comes direct here from Barbourville, Ky, where she has been visiting her daughters, and has also spent a year with her son in Oregon.

Relatives Attending Hall Funeral

Out-of-town relatives attending the E. C. Hall funeral at the First Baptist Church here Tuesday were:

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Walker, Corbin, Ky.; Mrs. Dollie Carter, Betty and Anne Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Logan and daughter, Patricia, Greeneville, Tenn.; Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Gilley and children, Oak Ridge, Tenn.; Mrs. Walker Winfrey and daughter, Madge, Concord, Tenn.; Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Nelms and daughter, Shirley, Appalachia; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Quinley, Oak Ridge, Tenn.; Etna Hall and family, Big Stone Gap; Mrs. Grace Hall Baker, Lexington, Ky.; Mrs. Charmey Hall Agee, Mrs. Hobart Cawood, Middlesboro, Ky.; Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Skeen and daughter, Emily Lou, Clintwood, Va.; and Miss Colleen Hall, Hamilton, Ohio. Many out-of-town friends also attended.

Local Men In Hospitals

C. C. Fugate, patient in the Medical College Hospital at Richmond, Va., is reported to have undergone a second operation Saturday, and is getting along well.

The condition of J. E. Langham, patient at Union Memorial Hospital, Baltimore, remains unchanged, reports today stated. However, he plans to be home at an early date.

"The Lewis Boys"

Cam J. Lewis gives us the following information concerning his sons in service:

Pfc. Ben Cam Lewis is stationed in Bohemia and Southern Czechoslovakia, with the Third Army, 26th Division, under Gen. Patton.

Seaman 2-C. James B. "Jimmy" Lewis, sailed Thursday morning, July 5, on the minesweeper "Implicit", via Panama, for Pearl Harbor. He will probably be away 18 months, Mr. Lewis says.

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TOWN TALK

About This, That, And The Other

"We do not what we ought;
What we ought not, we do;
And lean upon the thought
That chance will bring us through."

Another Big Catch

We wrote in our column last week about some fellows going to Tennessee to bring back a big ten-pound catfish for dinner.

Some West Virginians can go us one better. They came all the way from up there to get with Everett Rose, from Woodway, and fish a little while. Result, a nineteen-pound cat and some smaller fish. Everett Noe, of Kimball, W. Pa., landed the whopper, and besides himself and Mr. Rose, others of the party were John Rose, of Kimball, W. Va., and Arden Carroll, of Welch, W. Va.

A Coming "Champ"

J. D. "Jimmy" Myers, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Myers, of St. Charles, only recently went to Bainbridge, Md., to take his boot training for service in the U. S. Navy. He's getting along fine, he writes, and says he thinks he will like a Naval career.

But that's not all the story—Jimmy has something of the making of a boxing champion in him, and in spare time he's training for this career also. Recently he fought four bouts, won one with a knockout, and the rest on points. He lost the regimental bout on July 1. He stated in a letter back home that he boxed ten rounds, but his opponent being just a little "the better man", he (Jimmy) came out with a cut over one eye and his hand as big as a gallon bucket. However, he says he'll try it again.

We've Been Mistaken

We've been using Claude Benfield's name as "Chief of Police of Pennington Gap and Deputy Sheriff of Lee County". Mr. Benfield tells us this is in error. He says he is deputy sheriff for Lee County with headquarters at Pennington Gap; that he answers calls from over the county, including Pennington Gap, and investigates any violations that might occur, but is not chief of police for our town.

Truck Driver Jinxed

Holly Astrop, who resides in the Dry Branch community, says he can do his bit for his country right here at home operating a truck; because, he says, as fast as he can hire a driver the Service gets him. First on his list is Elmer Edens, called for pre-induction but didn't pass; those inducted are: Charles Moore, Army; Charles Cox, Marines; Roy Davis, Navy; J. W. Cox, Army; Ralph Cox, Navy.

So boys, if you want in the service, just drive that truck.

The Clothes Came Home

But not "the very next day." Recently Miss Nola Myers attended a Youth Training Conference at Athens, Tenn. Upon her return home, the suitcase containing her clothes failed to arrive at the same time she did. Inquiry was made and the usual investigation process was gone through by the bus authorities, but to no avail, and Miss Myers finally decided that the clothes were either "lost, strayed or stolen". However, last Sunday, after more than a month's delay, she was notified by telephone to call at the bus terminal office. There was her suitcase just as she had packed it, nylons and all.

Miss Myers and her clothes had just taken separate routes.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Weather Bureau report for the week ending July 8th, 1945, for Lee County, furnished by Cam J. Lewis, official observer:

Date	Temperature		Rainfall
1945	Highest	Lowest	Inches
2	88	63	.00
3	82	56	.00
4	83	59	.00
5	86	66	3.43
6	84	69	.24
7	85	66	.00
8	84	63	.00

Candidate For Governor

WM. M. TUCK

Lt. Governor Wm. M. Tuck, candidate for Governor of Virginia, subject to the Democratic Primary August 7, was in Lee county on Wednesday and Thursday of this week in the interest of his candidacy. He was accompanied by Ira Harding, Commissioner of Revenue of Halifax County.

Lt. Governor Tuck is a lawyer, farmer and legislator. He was born on a farm in Halifax County, Va., September 28, 1896; was educated in Halifax County public schools, Chatham Training School, William and Mary College and Washington and Lee University; married Eva Lovelace Dillard; World War I veteran, U. S. Marines; member of Baptist Church, various fraternal and civic organizations; chairman Democratic Executive Committee for Halifax County, 1928-1931; Democratic elector-at-large, 1936; District Democratic elector, 1940; member of House of Delegates, 1924 to 1932; member of State Senate from 1932 to 1941; elected Lieutenant Governor of Virginia in November, 1941.

New Navy Recruiter For Lee County Named

Chief John A. Baden, Petty Officer in charge, announces that Nicholas Mack, Petty Officer Second Class, is the new Navy recruiter for Lee County.

Specialist Mack will be at the Courthouse in Jonesville on Monday mornings, and Colliers Furniture Store in Pennington Gap on Monday afternoons. All men interested in radar training, or 17-year-olds interested in enlisting in the U. S. Navy, can obtain full information.

Specialist Mack further states that the Navy now has openings for 20,000 more young ladies for the WAVES. Applications and full information can be obtained right here at home.

Card of Thanks

Sincerest thanks to my friends for the kindness and sympathy shown me in the death of my husband, E. C. Hall. I also wish to express my appreciation for the beautiful floral offerings and the use of cars.

Mrs. Katherine Nelms Hall.

Somewhere In Pacific

PFC. WM. E. TRITT

Pfc. Wm. E. (Billy) Tritt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. P. Tritt, of Woodway, was inducted into Army service in December, 1943, and is now serving in the Pacific area. He has been in several major battles. Pfc. Tritt was a student of Pennington High School at the time he entered the service.

19 Marriage Licenses In Lee For Last 4 Months

Only nineteen marriage licenses have been issued in Lee County during the past four months, the records in the Courthouse at Jonesville show. June takes the lead, with a total of nine. Beginning with March, licenses were issued to the following:

March: J. C. Pennington, 18, and Odie Fern Porter, 18, both of Pennington Gap; Freeman Hodgecoth, 28, and Anna Lenora Carter, both of St. Charles; Wilber Bledsoe, 19, and Cleona Hays, 19, of Leona Mines.

April: Clarence Seabolt, 21, Hagan, and Gladys Yeary, 17, Pennington Gap; Warren H. Kirk, 19, and Eudena Stapleton, 21, both of Pennington Gap.

May: Worley Holmes, 21, and Lillie Hoover, 18, both of Keokee; Tilson Webb, 34, and Cora Lee Catron, 23, both of St. Charles; Wm. Paul Johnston, 32, Pennington Gap, and Lura Wells, 22, Kingsport, Tenn.; Everette Fleenor, 47, Ocoonita, and Flossie Phipps, 37, Dryden; Howard Lewis, 24, and Lillie Gibson, 18, both of Pennington Gap.

June: Nat Eldridge, 35, Ewing, and Ruby Maddle, 24, Rose Hill; Willie E. Burkhart, 28, Leona Mines, and Lorene Gibson, 24, Pennington Gap; Paul Benfield, 24, Ben Hur, and Thelma Smith, 20, Keokee; Wm. Church, 47, and Ida Moe King, 32, both of St. Charles; Kelly Collier, 49, and Golden Oakley, 30, both of St. Charles; Henry Lambert, 27, and Tilda Bailey, 24, both of Pennington Gap; James C. Carter, 27, and Thelma L. Rigsby, 21, both of Pennington Gap.

Twice Wounded, But Is Back Home Again, Well

Pfc. Clarence M. Everidge is at home with his mother, Mrs. Lorena Everidge, to spend a 30-day furlough.

Pfc. Everidge received his basic training at Camp Stewart, Ga., and Camp Van Dorn, Miss., after which he served 12 months as rifleman. He was sent overseas in August, 1944, was wounded on December 6, 1944, and was confined to a hospital for 58 days. He returned to active duty and on February 23, 1945, was again wounded, and stayed in the hospital for 50 days.

He was awarded the Purple Heart, one Oak Leaf Cluster, and the European Theater of Operations ribbon with three battle stars.

Before entering the service he was employed on the Interstate Railroad at Andover, Va.

Methodist Church

Sunday morning, July 15th: Church School at 9:30, Clyde M. Kirk, Supt. Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon text: "Lord, I Believe—Help Thou My Unbelief." Special music—"I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say," by the choir, assisted by Mrs. James Tipton as soloist.

Evening. Young people's groups meet at 6:30 o'clock. At 7:30 reports will be given by those attending the Pastors' School at Sullins, and the Young Adult Conference at Emory and Henry. Speakers: Albert Mehaffey, Elise Rhea, Pearl Cornette, Hannah Sprinkle, June Lewis, Mrs. Mehaffey.

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening led by Mrs. Ed Stout.

Charlie D. Mehaffey, Pastor.

Dwelling On Stone Creek Burned Sunday

A two-story log house, located on Stone Creek just north of "Little Belgium" school house, was destroyed by fire about 1:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon, July 8, together will all the furniture and other contents.

The house, constructed of hewn logs, was owned by Frank Dean and occupied by Arthur Jones and family. Mr. Jones is mine foreman at Kentucky-Darby.

Included in the loss was around $600.00 in currency, government bonds and checks belonging to Mrs. Clifford Irvin, Mr. and Mrs. Jones' daughter, whose husband is in the service; also about $100.00 in currency belonging to Miss Dorothy Jones, employed in the office at Kentucky Darby.

The loss is said to be total, with no insurance.

Pennington Wins First Game; Tops Dunbar 7-6

Marks Comrade's Grave

ROY RUTHERFORD, S. 1-C.

Seaman Rutherford has just completed a thirty-day furlough, plus a 15-day extension, which he spent with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Rutherford, of St. Charles, and left Tuesday for his new assignment at Nashville, Tenn.

Seaman Rutherford enlisted in the Naval Seabees July 2, 1942, receiving his basic training in Norfolk, Va., and from there went to Gulfport, Miss., for advanced training. From Gulfport he went to California, and on April 1, 1943, sailed for overseas, where he served for more than 26 months in the Pacific area. He wears a Veteran of Foreign War ribbon, a Citation ribbon, and Asiatic ribbon with two bronze stars. He states that he has seen plenty of action, had many thrilling experiences, and wouldn't take anything in the world for what he has learned about war, the world and people. His younger and only brother, Harold, was killed in action in the invasion of France, June 7, 1944, the second day of the invasion.

Seaman Rutherford brought back with him some pictures of his former schoolmate and buddy, Pfc. Perry Carter, Jr., of the U. S. Marine Corps, killed in action on July 22, 1944. He put a marker at Carter's grave, engraved a wreath on it, decorated the grave, then made pictures of it to bring back to Carter's wife and parents. Pfc. Carter was buried in a cemetery on Guam.

First Baptist Church

Sunday morning, July 15th: Sunday School at 9:30, A. T. Burchette, Supt. Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon topic: "Do You Care?"

A nursery will be opened Sunday morning to care for small children while their parents are attending services.

Evening: Training Unions will meet at 6:30 o'clock. Preaching at 7:30. Evening topic: "Heaven." Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30.

P. R. Stubbs, Pastor.

Second Half Of Season Will Open With Games Scheduled For Sunday

The "Big Six" clubs of the Lonesome Pine League completed their first half schedules the past week-end, with Cumberland holding first place bracket by a mere one-half game. They start their second round of ten more games Sunday, with lots of action promised the record crowds that have followed very attentively throughout the rugged first half.

The closing rounds of the first half gave Pennington their first win Sunday, Dunbar being the victim by a close 7-6 margin at Pennington Gap. Cumberland won over Jonesville at Cumberland, 3 to 2. St. Charles defeated Oreton at Andover 15 to 5. Jonesville has placed a protest against Cumberland over an umpire's decision, which is permitted in the by-laws and rules of the league when an umpire goes haywire on a call that means the difference in the game.

The Lonesome Pine League all-stars versus the Kingsport Cherokees of the Appalachian League, scheduled for July 13 at Kingsport, has been re-set for a week later. President Gene Livingston is informing all L.P. managers by letter.

Games this week will take Pennington Gap to St. Charles. This game may be reversed to Pennington because of a show date of a movie star and radio stars in person at the Pennington Gap park the following week-end. Oreton goes to Jonesville, Dunbar Goes to Cumberland.

THE OFFICIAL STANDING

	W	L	Pct.
Cumberland	8	2	.800
St. Charles	7	2	.777
Jonesville	5	4	.555
Dunbar	5	5	.500
Oreton	3	7	.300
Pennington	1	9	.100

Pennington Lumber Co. Shop Destroyed By Fire

The machine shop addition of the A. T. Pennington Lumber Company was destroyed by fire of unknown origin about 3:30 o'clock this morning.

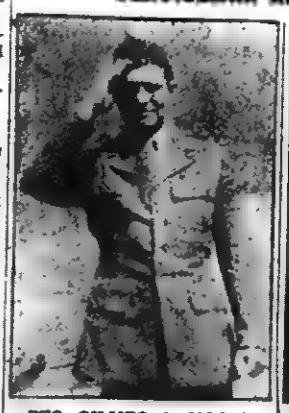
The flames had gotten such headway before being discovered that firemen were unable to save the building, but prevented the blaze from spreading into the main lumber shed, separated a short distance from the shop, and it was announced this morning that the usual operation of the company would be continued.

Along with the building, valuable machinery was destroyed, and also some stored lumber. The loss is estimated at $5,000, with no insurance.

Intermediates To Camp

The Mehaffey family will be at Jonesville Camp Ground this coming week, from Monday through Saturday, with the Intermediate Group of the Methodist Church School.

SERVICEMAN AND YOUNG SON



PFC. GILMER A. MOORE

JAMES EDMOND MOORE

Pfc. Gilmer A. Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Moore, of Keokee, Va., has been overseas 21 months, and has been serving with the 101st Airborne Division in Germany.

Pfc. Moore has a twin brother, Cpl. Axley G. Moore, who has been serving in Germany, and another brother, Cpl. Roma L. Moore, stationed at Fort Knox, Ky.

James Edmond Moore, son of Pfc. and Mrs. Gilmer A. Moore, is now 22 months old, and was only ten days old when he saw his father. He hopes to be meeting "daddy" soon.

Candidate For Governor

MOSS A. PLUNKETT

Moss A. Plunkett, candidate for Governor of Virginia, subject to the Democratic Primary, August 7, accompanied by E. P. Robinson, State Representative, Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, of Richmond, were visiting in Pennington Gap and Lee County on Tuesday of this week, just one day ahead of the visit to the county of his opponent, Lt. Gov. Wm. M. Tuck.

Mr. Plunkett was born in Franklin County, Va., 57 years ago; educated in public schools of Roanoke and at the University of Virginia; has practiced law in Roanoke 35 years. He served as an infantry lieutenant in France in World War I.

Mr. Plunkett has never held any elective public office, but has always been in the forefront of civic activities. He served four years as vice chairman and four years as chairman of the Roanoke County School Board. He also served two years as chairman of the Legislative Committee of the Virginia School Trustees Association. He has been a strong advocate of removal of the poll tax as a prerequisite to voting in Virginia and other Southern States.

Mr. Plunkett is an active member of the First Baptist Church of Roanoke, a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, War Dads, and the Rotary Club.

Singing Convention Will Be Held Sunday

An all-day Lee County Singing Convention will be held Sunday, July 15, at Valley View Church on Dry Branch. Dinner on the ground. Everybody invited. Olen Parsons is president of the Convention.

Welterweight Boxing Champ At Middlesboro

The first world's champion ever to appear in Eastern Kentucky is Freddie (Red) Cochrane, welterweight champion of the world, who will fight an unannounced opponent in a 10-round boxing bout at Bradner Stadium in Middlesboro, Friday night, July 20.

The fight is being sponsored jointly by the Elks, the Lions and the American Legion, and is being promoted by Alva Ball, of Middlesboro, and George Cazana, noted boxing promoter of Knoxville, for the benefit of the War Memorial Fund.

Local Boards Back To Former Work Schedules

Selective Service Boards Nos. 1, of Jonesville, and 2, of Pennington Gap, are now operating on their former 44-hour work week, instead of the 48-hour week recently practiced.

Offices will be open for eight hours each day, five days in the week, and four hours each Saturday.

Lone Branch Church

Revival and Vacation Bible School will begin Monday, July 16, at Lone Branch, with Rev. S. D. Knisley, of Wartburg, Tenn. in charge.

All boys and girls from beginners through the intermediates are invited to attend. School will open at 9:30 a. m., and preaching at 8:00 p. m. for two weeks. "Come, let us exalt the Lord together."

E. C. Knisely, Pastor.

Misses Joan and Athlene King, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Smith King, formerly of Pennington Gap and now of Washington, D. C., are visiting among relatives and friends here this week.

Powell Glass, Noted Newspaperman, Dead

Powell Glass, 58, general manager and associate publisher of the Lynchburg News and Lynchburg Daily Advance, and who served for the past year as president of the Virginia Press Association, died at the Elizabeth Hospital in Richmond, Sunday, July 8.

Mr. Glass was a member of a family identified with Lynchburg newspapers for more than 75 years. He had advanced through various assignments from reporter to managing editor to the position of associate publisher and general manager.

In 1902 he completed his degree as Bachelor of Arts at Washington and Lee University, and started as reporter with the Lynchburg newspapers, later serving as state editor in 1910, and managing editor in 1912. Always his chief interest was that of bettering the newspaper service in the community and in the State.

While serving as managing editor of the Lynchburg papers in 1917, he was granted a leave of absence to enlist in the Army when the U. S. entered World War I. He served in France as a major of the 1st Battalion, 317th Infantry. At the time of the Armistice he was assigned to the Office of Public Relations on the staff of the American Commission to negotiate peace, and later retired from active duty as lieutenant colonel.

Mr. Glass was the son of Senator Carter Glass, who has served as president of the Virginia Press Association, in the halls of Congress and as Secretary of the Treasury under President Wilson, later returning to the U. S. Senate.

DEMOCRATIC PARTY PRECINCT MEETINGS CALLED FOR JULY 21

Convention Will Be Held At Jonesville Courthouse On Saturday, August 4

H. E. Gibson, chairman, Lee County Democratic Committee, announced Precinct Meetings to be held Saturday, July 21, at the different precincts in the county, for the purpose of selecting delegates and alternates to the Democratic Convention which will be held at Jonesville Courthouse on Saturday, August 4, at 1:30 P. M. (CWT).

The purpose of this convention, as announced by Mr. Gibson, is to select a candidate for member of the House of Delegates.

First Christian Church

Sunday morning, July 15th: Bible School at 10:00 a. m., H. O. Hines, Supt. Worship with communion at 10:45: sermon by the pastor.

Evening: Christian Endeavors meet at 6:30. Worship, with sermon by the pastor at 7:30.

Choir rehearsal on Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock. Prayer meeting at 7:30.

May we "neglect not the assembling ourselves together."

W. B. Moore, Minister.

VISITS WITH HOMEFOLK

S. 1-C. CLYDE LIKE

Clyde Like, Seaman first class, recently spent an eight-day furlough with his parents, friends and relatives at Bonny Blue, and has returned to his base in Norfolk, Va.

Before going to Norfolk he took boot training at Bainbridge, Md. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Like, of Bonny Blue, and entered service December 18, 1944.

With Our Service Men

Becomes Lieutenant

Aviation Cadet Earl Buford Flanary, son of Mrs. Vida L. Flanary, Rose Hill, Va., was promoted to rank of second lieutenant July 4, in the Army Air Forces, after completing bombardier training at the Carlsbad (New Mexico) Army Air Field.

Lt. Flanary is now one of the most highly trained men in the Army Air Forces. As an officer in the Army Air Forces ready for active duty, his destination is not disclosed.

His wife is the former Vivian Hobbs, of Rose Hill. He is a former student of Lincoln Memorial University, at Harrogate Tenn.

With The "Boomerangs"

Serving with the First Tactical Air Force Marauder "Boomerang Group" in France, Cpl. Cabell F. Gaujot, of Pennington Gap, recently saw the "Boomerangs" fly their 500th mission in a series of six major campaigns which have seen the Marauders' targets move from Africa to Germany.

In continuous combat operations for 23 months, the "Boomerangs" have destroyed 267 enemy planes, more than any other Marauder group, and have dropped more than 15,000 tons of bombs on enemy targets.

Cpl. Gaujot is the husband of the former Maryella Gibson, and brother of Mrs. G. B. Setzler and Mrs. J. H. Dellinger, of Pennington Gap.

Destination, Pacific

Marx D. Pochodzay, 17, seaman second class, USNR, Jonesville, Va., is now at the Atlantic Fleet's Amphibious Training Base at Little Creek, Va., training for duty aboard an LSM.

Pochodzay and his shipmates soon will join one of the crews leaving Little Creek for the Pacific. He was a student of Pennington High School before entering the Navy in November, 1944.

Among the USS "Pinkney" Heroes

Lt. (jg) Emmet T. Rasnic, of Jonesville, Va., was among the officers and crewmen of the USS "Pinkney", a Navy transport for wounded, who rescued most of their patients and brought their ship safely into port after she was left smashed and burning by a Jap suicide plane attack off Okinawa.

Lt. Rasnic's ship is now being repaired in the General Engineering and Dry Dock Co.'s Oakland (Calif.) yards.

Joined Marine Guards

Pfc. Elmer A. Eckles, son of Mr. and Mrs. John I. Eckles, of St. Charles, Va., veteran of four South Pacific campaigns, has joined the Marine guard at the Naval Air Station at Bocha Chica, Fla.

A rifleman with the First Marine Division, 23-year-old Eckles participated in Guadalcanal, Cape Gloucester, Talasca and Peleliu campaigns. He made assault landings in all four operations. In his four Pacific offensives, which totaled eleven months of front line duty, Eckles fought the Japs in twelve battles—five on Guadalcanal, four at Cape Gloucester, one at Talasca and two as Peleliu. His last combat duty was on Bloody Nose Ridge at Peleliu.

Eckles enlisted in January, 1942. He is a former student of St. Charles High School.

Cruising In The Pacific

Everette L. Moore, 19, seaman second class, USNR, Pennington Gap, Va. is assigned to a gunnery division aboard a heavy cruiser is the Pacific.

Since Moore entered service in April of 1944, he has taken part in the invasion of Southern France, and in actions against the Japanese in the Pacific.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jessee M. Moore, live in Pennington Gap. His brother, Howard, 20, is serving aboard a destroyer in the Pacific.

Is Senior Petty Officer

Robert N. Ball, Storekeeper 1-C., whose wife lives in Knoxville, Tenn., is senior petty officer of supply and commissary aboard a destroyer escort of the Atlantic Fleet.

Ball was graduated from Jonesville High School, and attended Hiwassee College at Madisonville, Tenn. Before he entered the Navy he was assitsant chief paymaster for the Tennessee Valley Authority at Appalachia Dam, N. C.

He has three brothers in the Army: Capt. J. K. Ball, a chaplain, First Lt. O. F. Ball, Signal Corps; and Second Lt. C. E. Ball, Army Air Forces.

News From BURKHART'S CHAPEL

Rev. C. R. McPherson filled his regular appointment here Sunday.

Arnold Parsons is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Parsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Bailey and son, J. R., and Pfc. Henry Woodard have returned from a visit with relatives at Detroit, Mich.

Misses Blanche Pennington and Fredda Parsons visited relatives at Pennington last week-end.

Miss Jimmie Madden is visiting relatives at Kingsport, Tenn.

Misses Betty Gay and Charlene Penley visited relatives at Darby last week.

Mrs. Madge Milton and children, of Pennington, and Mrs. Bessie Bailey and daughter, Sandra Pat, of Monarch, spent the week-end with their sister, Mrs. Rebecca Pennington, and family.

Mrs. Jane Woodard is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Evon Cloud, and family, at Wharton, Ky.

Mrs. Mollie Wallen and granddaughter, Lela Mae Pennington, visited Mrs Minnie Stapleton, of Slab Town, over the week-end

Silas Rivers, Cleveland, Ohio, is visiting relatives here.

Mr and Mrs Ralph Parsons and children, Mr and Mrs B H Parsons, of Robbins Chapel, and Olin Parsons of Stone Creek, attended the singing here Sunday night

News From SLAB TOWN

Misses Hazel and Ruth Carter, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Carter, spent Sunday with Misses Lorene and Mildred Woodard, of Ridge Creek.

Miss Nevada Stapleton, who has been employed in Tennessee, spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Stapleton, returning to her work Friday.

Miss Edith Calton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samp Calton, of Robbins Chapel, was visiting among friends here Sunday.

Mrs. Amy Calton, who has been ill at her rome at Robbins Chapel, had as her guests Sunday the following: Mrs. Melue Robbins, Minnie Stapleton, Kate, Loruga and Billy Jack Stapleton, Mrs. Joe Wallen and granddaughter, Lola Mae Pennington, of Oak Ridge, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Bromel Barnett and daughter, of Penn Lee, are visiting friends here this week.

Little Shirley Jean Brown, daughter of Pfc. and Mrs. Millard Brown, has been ill for the past few days. Her father is serving in the South Pacific.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelse Robbins, of Ridge Creek, visited friends here Sunday.

News From HAGAN

Miss Bonnie Langley, who is employed at Baltimore, Md., is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Langley, nad family.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanders Grable and children spent Sunday with Mrs. Grable's parents, Mr. and Gill Hensley.

Pfc. Dewey Langley, son of Mr and Mrs. Steve Langley, and Miss Aston Beatty were married recently.

Rev. George Vanhuss was the guest of Mr and Mrs. John Ely and family Sunday.

Miss Bonnie Langley spent Sunday with Betty Ingle.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Irvin spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Steve Langley.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ramey have announced the marriage of their daughter, Iseta, to James McConnell, of the U. S. Army.

Mr. and Mrs. Cellie Thomas and family and Mrs. Apsy Ely were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Polly at Rose Hill, Sunday.

NFRA To Handle Land Loans More Expeditiously

Frank E. Stewart, secretary-treasurer of the Lee County National Farm Loan Association, said today that under the new legislation recently enacted by Congress it will be possible for the Association to handle Land Bank loans more expeditiously.

Under the now law, Land Bank loans made be made up to 65% of the appraised normal agricultural value of the land, plus 20% of the value of the buildings on the farm. This change, according to Mr. Stewart, will increase the lending power of the Land Bank, thus permitting the Association to better serve the farmers in this county.

Mr. Stewart further stated that Land Bank Commissioner loans will continue to be available, at least for the next year, to help those farmers who will need a loan for more than 65% of the normal farm value, such loans being limited to 75% of the normal value.

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Nevertheless, we are busy now planning how to provide a telephone for every farm family that wants one. Telephone research is developing new ideas that will help—how to send telephone messages over electric power lines—stronger wire that takes fewer poles—radiotelephones.

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VIRGINIA:
In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 3rd day of July, 1945.
George Ellis Burchett
..... Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Amanda Sizemore Burchett
..... Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce A Vinculo Matrimonii upon grounds of adultery. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Amanda Sizemore Burchett, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address is Wallens Creek, Kentucky, it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
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News From
MILLER'S CHAPEL

(For week of July 5.)

Mr. Charlie Clawson was visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Clawson, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Bledsoe and son, Garland Rhea, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Bledsoe, of Jonesville, Sunday.

Mrs. Charlie Clawson remains ill at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams attended the singing convention at Black Mountain, Ky., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Terry and children, Miss Mae Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Fee and daughter, and Conn Hubert Terry, of Dayton, Ohio, spent the Fourth of July here with their parents and relatives.

Junior Bledsoe is on the sick list this week.

Mr. Bill Williams and family gave a birthday dinner Sunday in honor of his wife, who was celebrating her 57th birthday. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Fisher and children, Cecil, Clara, Helen and Irene; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Williams and children, Estelleen, Charles and Billy; Mr. and Mrs. Pete Williams and children, Jean, Jimmy and Dorothy, of Portsmouth, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. Babe Williams and children, White, Hoat, Charlotte, Reed and Myrna; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Clawson, Mr. and Mrs. Van Anderson and children, Jewell and Charles Lee; Flora Gleese and Sherman Williams, Mrs. Alice Eagle, Mrs. Mary Heaven and children, Joe, Peggy and Henry Devault. Mrs. Williams received many nice gifts and all present reported a nice time.

Mrs. Howard Bledsoe has returned home Lee General Hospital, where she underwent a serious operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Williams and children, Jean, Jimmy and Dorothy, left Monday for their home in Portsmouth, Va. They were accompanied home by his sister, Miss Flora Williams, who will spend several weeks with them.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Johnson and children, Sally Bea, Delores, Paul, Thelma and Zelma; Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Johnson were visiting Mr. Johnson's brother, Mr. W. D. Johnson, and family, of Kyles Ford, Tenn., Sunday.

Miss Ella Mae Hyden was suddenly stricken ill Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Clawson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Terry gave a farewell party Saturday night in honor of Gleese Williams, who has been called and passed his examination for the Army.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Roop and children were visiting Mrs. Roop's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Terry, Sunday.

Mrs. Hughie Saddler and Mrs. Jack Gamas were visiting Mrs. Charlie Clawson, Saturday night.

Miss Billy Williams is spending a few days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Williams.

Mrs. Henry Hyden was visiting in Benedict, Wednesday.

Mr and Mrs. Jack Thomas and son, David; Mrs. Mary Saddler and daughter, Janet, spent Saturday night with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Davis.

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DR. C. G. FRYE
Optometrist
110 BROAD ST.
Kingsport, Tennessee.

News From
DRY BRANCH
By Edith Astrop

Pfc. Charles Cox, of the U. S. Marines, has completed his furlough with friends and relatives here and has returned to camp at El Centro, Calif.

Misses Ruby and Geneva Hyden, Pauline Shell, Juanita Astrop, Margaret Bailey; Messrs. Major Bailey and Kent Astrop and Mrs. Edith Astrop celebrated the Fourth on Powell River, swimming and boating. The water was just fine, but their stay was cut short by the approaching storm. Luckily they reached home safely just before a heavy downpour of rain.

Misses April and Sandra Meredith, of Pennington, are planning a trip to New York City during the summer months.

Mr. Billy Astrop and Pfc. Cox and Mr. Arthur Edens attended the Fourth of July celebration at Big Stone Gap.

Both young and old are enjoying playing softball on the school campus on Dry Branch this year. Who knows—among them may be a big league player in the making.

Mr. E. E. Myers made a business trip to Poor Valley and vicinity Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chilton Edens spent a very pleasant week-end with Mrs. Edens' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hyden, of Woodway.

Mrs. Georgia Edens was visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary Parsons, and her sister, Mrs. Ora Belcher, Friday, being accompanied home by them the same afternoon, not forgetting to mention her twin brother, George, who has arrived bearing an honorable discharge from the U. S. Army. Conclusion: The fried chicken served for supper was de-licious!

Pfc. Charles Cox, Billy Astrop, George Parsons, Miss Margaret Bailey, Mrs. Virginia Merchant and Mrs. Vernell Edens were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Holley Astrop, Saturday.

Messrs. Corbitt, Billy and Kent Astrop, Pfc. Charles and Danny Cox and Buddy Peters spent several hours fishing on Powell River during the past week.

Mr. Paul Early has accepted a position and is working in Leatherwood, Ky., at present.

Pfc. Charles Cox, Margaret Bailey and Virginia Merchant spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Holly Astrop and family.

News From
FRIENDSHIP

Mrs. D. L. Willis has returned from a visit with her son, T. J. Willis, seaman second class, who is in Naval training at Norfolk, Va. Mrs. Willis has three other sons in service: Pvt. Cecil Willis, with the Ordnance, attending school in Atlanta, Ga.; Beryl, RDM 3-C., now serving somewhere with the Pacific Fleet; and Pfc. Curtis C., with the 24th Victory Division in the Philippines, and who has recently been awarded the Combat Infantryman Badge.

Mrs. J. H. Carroll has returned from a visit with her daughter, Irene, who is employed at Newport News, Va.

Mrs. Charles Cook and daughter are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Weston.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Willis and Mrs. Frank Willis visited Pvt. Frank Willis in Georgia over the week-end.

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—with—
DENNIS MORGAN—DANA CLARK—RAYMOND MASSEY — ANDREA KING

State No. 508

REPORT OF CONDITION OF
Peoples Bank of Ewing

Of Ewing in the State of Virginia, at the close of business on June 30, 1945. Made to the State Corporation Commission.

ASSETS		
Loans and discounts (including $41.60 overdrafts)		$ 143,745.36
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed		555,300.00
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection		366,653.50
Bank premises owned	$1,800.00	
Furniture and fixtures	1,000.00	2,800.00
TOTAL ASSETS		$1,068,498.86
LIABILITIES		
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations		$ 767,173.87
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		102,542.82
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)		88,977.69
Deposits of States and political subdivisions		49,197.23
TOTAL DEPOSITS	$1,007,891.61	
TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below)		$1,007,891.61
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS		
Capital*		$ 25,000.00
Surplus		25,000.00
Undivided profits		10,607.23
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS		$ 60,607.23
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS		$1,068,498.86

*This bank's capital consists of:
Common stock with total par value of $25,000.00.

MEMORANDA

Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):	
(a) U. S. Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities	$ 300,000.00
(e) TOTAL	$ 300,000.00
Secured and preferred liabilities:	
(a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law	$ 138,174.92
(e) TOTAL	$ 138,174.92
(a) On date of report the required legal reserve against deposits of this bank was	$ 93,606.98
(b) Assets reported above which were eligible as legal reserve amounted to	366,653.50

We, T. B. Fugate, president, and H. T. Ritchie, cashier, of the above-named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

T. B. FUGATE, President
H. T. RITCHIE, Cashier.

Correct — Attest
H. C. T. DEAN H. T. RITCHIE
C. D. FUGATE S. A. YEARY
T. B. FUGATE Directors.

State of Virginia, County of Lee, ss:

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 5th day of July, 1945, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank. My commission expires, September 7, 1945.

J. N. PARKEY, Notary Public.

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LOST

Chain with three keys, in down town Pennington Reward. Return to this office
Adv. No 28-1t pd

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 26th day of June, 1945.

Oma Napier Martin Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Clifford Martin .....Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on the ground of desertion and abandonment for the statutory period. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Clifford Martin, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address is Harlan, Kentucky, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p. q. L. M. Robinette.
Adv. No. 26-4t.

Order Of Circuit Court Of Lee County, Virginia

In the Circuit Court of Lee County, Virginia, in Recess at Appalachia, Virginia, on the 2nd day of May, 1945.

This matter came on this day to be heard upon the petition of Happy David Winn Griffith for the purpose of changing his name as hereinafter shown; and was argued by counsel.

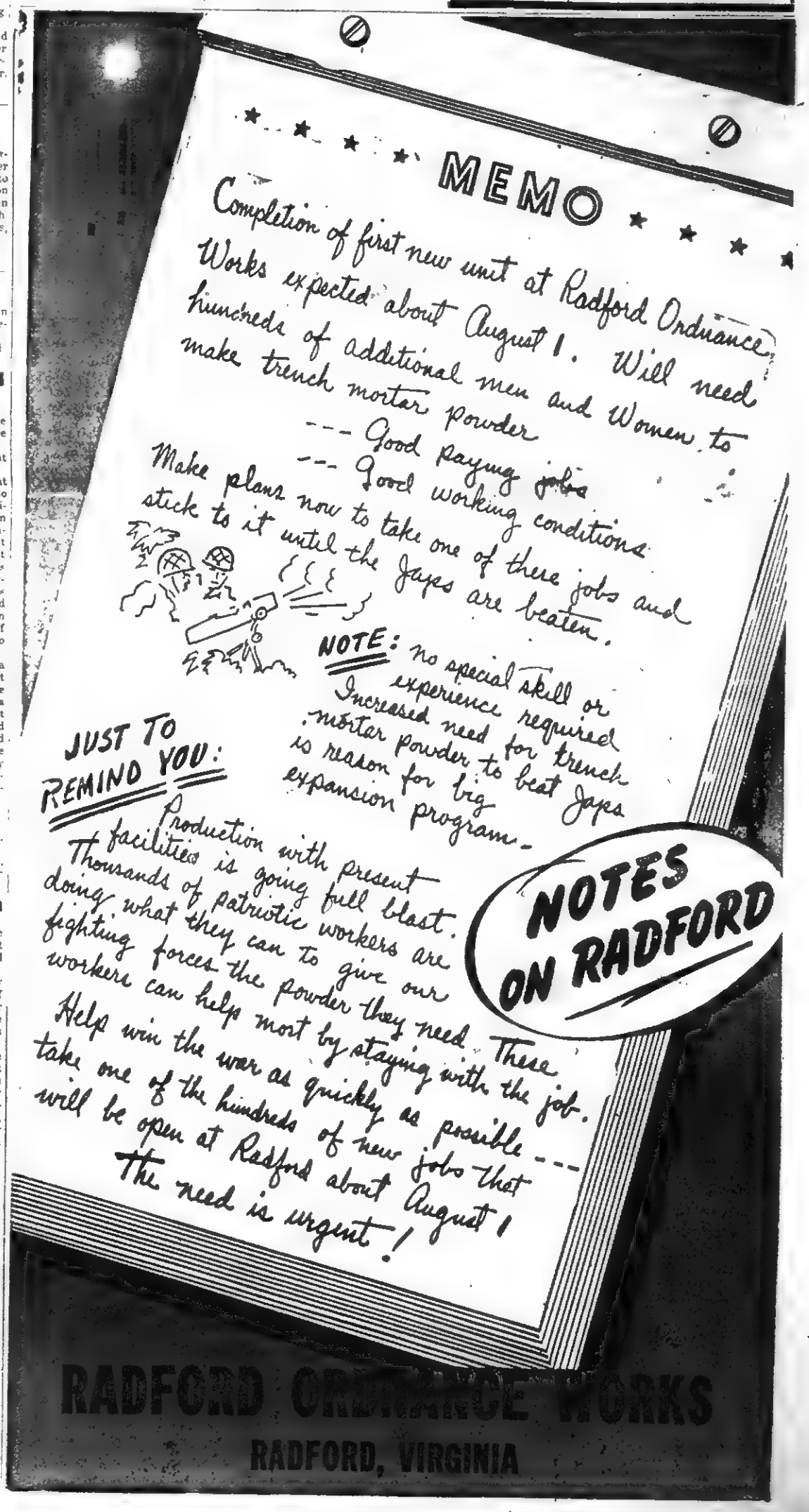
And it appearing unto the Court from the petition that Happy David Winn Griffith was christened in infancy as Harry David Griffith and that thereafter in the State of Tennessee, his name was changed by order of the Court to Happy David Winn Griffith, and that now it is the desire of the petitioner to again change his name to Happynear Duepointt Greatwinn.

And it appearing further unto the Court that the petitioner is thirty-seven years of age and has lived in Lee County since he was two years of age, and in addition to the said petition motion has been made to change said name as aforesaid, the Court doth therefore change the name of the petitioner, Happy David Winn Griffith to Happynear Duepointt Greatwinn; by which said latter name he shall hereafter be known; and it is so adjudged, ordered and decreed.

GEORGE MORTON, Judge.

To D. C. Sewell, Jr., Clerk:
Enter this decree on the 2nd day of May, 1945.
George Morton, Judge

A Copy Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
Adv No. 27-1t.



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St. Charles PERSONALS

JOY OSBORNE, Cor.

Cpl. Roy Miner, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Miner, is at home after service in the European Theater of War. Cpl. Miner was a prisoner of war in Germany.

L. P. Hampton is at home with his parents and friends, after serving in the U. S. Army overseas. L. P. served in England, Belgium, France and Germany, with the First and Ninth Armies. While in England he married an English girl at Plymouth. She will join him here later. Hampton has received his discharge, having 118 points, and after a rest at home he will find work in a defense plant, he says.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hagy, Jr., are at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hagy, Sr., until August. They have been residing in Knoxville, Tenn., to be near their work.

Robert Hagy, of the U. S. Navy, is at home on a 30-day furlough after service in the Pacific.

Cpl. W. C. Kelly, of the U. S. Army, is visiting friends here while on furlough. His parents now reside in Knoxville, Tenn. Bob, his brother, is here with him

Pvt. Denver Hicks is at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Hicks, for 30 days. Pvt. Hicks arrived in the States last month with the "Blackhawk" Division after service in Europe. Pvt. Hicks will go to the Pacific when he returns to camp.

Pvt. and Mrs. Paul Harbor, of Jonesville, spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wacks. Pvt. Harbor is at home for 30 days after two years' service overseas.

Miss Barbara Hicks was honored with a birthday party at her home Friday night, July 6. Those attending were: Reesie Mae Harbor, Martha Harbor, Reva Rowland, Marie Gibson, Alice Large, Darnel Hicks, Jimmy Smith, Johnny Shanks, Sonny Rowland, Betty Hicks, Carlin Hicks, Lloyd Hicks, Shirley Hicks, and Glinda Hicks. All report a nice time.

Cpl. Ralph Lefevers will return to his base one day this week after a 20-day furlough with his mother, his sister, Mrs. Robert Parsons, and other relatives and friends. Cpl. Lefevers will help transport boys home from overseas by plane when he returns to his post.

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Stewart Announces Name Change For Credit Assn.

Appalachia Production Credit Association, Big Stone Gap, Va., has changed its name to Farmers Production Credit Association of Big Stone Gap, Va., it was announced this week by Frank E. Stewart, secretary-treasurer of the association. The group was formed in Appalachia in 1934, but for several years has had its main offices in Big Stone Gap, with a field office in Jonesville open each Wednesday. The new name is believed to be more informative of the type of farm production short-term loans made by the association to farmers in this area.

In a condensed financial statement made as of June 30, 1945, the association's assets amounted to $194,008.28, with debts of $92,940.75, and capital stock and net worth of $101,067.53. Loans closed by this association during period January 1, 1945, through June 30, 1945, amounted to $48,533.00, showing a gain of $12,034.00 over loans closed in the same period for 1944.

Miss Marie Hobbs, who is spending her vacation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Vandeventer, plans to assist in a Daily Vacation Bible School at Friendship Church next week.

Laningham, Released From Service, Weds

Robert Laningham, son of Mrs. C. H. Howard, formerly of Pennington Gap, and now of Kingsport, Tenn., and Miss Elsie Huff, Pennington Gap, Route 2, were sweethearts a long time ago, and decided when the war was over, and Robert back from war, they would be married.

But they didn't have to wait for the war to end. After serving six years in the Pacific area, Robert earned his honorable discharge under the point system—and now the couple are married. The ceremony was performed at Harlan, Ky., July 2.

They will make their home in Kingsport, Tenn., where Mr. Laningham holds a position in the engineering department of Tennessee Eastman.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion R. Kirk, of Baltimore, Md., formerly of St. Charles, announce the birth of a son, Arnold Davidson, on July 3rd.

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Wednesday and Thursday, July 18 - 19
FLEET'S IN
And Late News
Friday and Saturday, July 20 - 21
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—starring—
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Nice, new six-room dwelling and 20 acres of good land; water in the house, gravity. Two miles west of Pennington Gap. Good price for quick sale.
80 Acres, all good land, on Highway No. 58; nice 5-room house, new tobacco barn, all crops; two miles south of Woodway. No better land anywhere. Possession at once.
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320 Acres, all level; two large barns, nice six-room farm home and three tenant houses; 200 acres in cultivation; 120 acres of first-class bluegrass land. Sold over $15,000.00 worth of livestock and grain off of this farm last year. All of it can be cultivated with machinery. All crops go to the purchaser. Already threshed 4,000 bushels of barley this year.
THREE NICE DWELLINGS IN PENNINGTON GAP FOR QUICK SALE
40-Acre Farm, 5-room house, good orchard, good spring; 30 acres level, five acres river bottom land. Very low price for quick sale. 3 miles from Dryden.
One nice building lot, 60 x 140, in front of J. O. Gibson's residence; good price for quick sale.
Six nice building lots in Barlow subdivision, just south of the Hospital.
One nice, 7-acre tract, just slightly rolling; beautiful location to build—real good land, in the Barlow subdivision, on top of Skaggs' Hill.
WRITE OR CALL ME BY PHONE AT MY OFFICE IN THE MONTE VISTA HOTEL AT BIG STONE GAP. IF YOU HAVE REAL ESTATE TO SELL OR PURCHASE, PUT IT IN MY HANDS AND. . . .
. . . .Kiss It Good-bye! . . .
T. C. Barlow

Jonesville PERSONALS

Seaman Robert Neely, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Neely, is at home on furlough. The Neelys live in the Fleanor Town community.

Mrs. Lucian Humphreys today received a telegram from her son, Sgt. Pascal Humphreys, stating that he has arrived in New York from overseas, and expects to be home soon on furlough.

Mrs. Clyde Cridlin and little son, Clyde, Jr., are spending a vacation with Judge and Mrs. George P. Cridlin. Lt. Clyde Cridlin is stationed in New York.

Capt. T. S. Ely has been reassigned as surgeon in a hospital at Fort Benning, Ga.

Lt. Glenn Farmer, who has been spending some time with his parents since his liberation from a German war prison, has just received his promotion to first lieutenant. Lt. Farmer was shot down over Germany and was held prisoner over a year until liberated by American forces.

Pfc. Frank Poteet, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Poteet, is home on furlough.

Dr. T. B. Ely, who has been confined to his home for some time with illness, shows some improvement.

Cpl. Geo. F. Watson and his wife, Clara Watson, are visiting his parents in Detroit, Mich. Cpl. Watson was taken prisoner of war by the Germans December 11, 1944, but was released by American troops and is now at home on furlough.

Justice of the Peace Frank Garrett, who recently suffered a palalytic stroke, remains ill at his home.

Miss Marie McNiel, clerk of Selective Service Board No. 1, returned June 30 from a vacation trip to Birmingham, Ala.

Mrs. Pearl Ewing and Miss Grace Davis, teachers in Jonesville High School, are at the University of Virginia, attending summer school.

The Jonesville Boy Scout Troop, with their Scoutmaster, Ernest Wells, went camping on Powell River on Friday of last week.

How women *and* girls *may* get wanted relief *from functional periodic pain*

Cardui, many women say, has brought relief from the cramp-like agony and nervous strain of functional periodic distress. Taken like a tonic, it should stimulate appetite, aid digestion,* thus help build resistance for the "time" to come. Started 3 days before "your time", it should help relieve pain due to purely functional periodic causes. Try it!

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Jonesville Serviceman Marries English Girl

Miss Dorothy Turner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Turner, of Broome, Suffolk, England, and Corporal Wilson C. Myers, of Jonesville, were married June 11, 1945, at Tudor Hall, in Norwich, England, by Rev. W. A. Goose. Only a few close friends and the parents of the bride witnessed the ceremony. Pvt. Lewis Flynn, of South Carolina, was best man.

The bride wore a blue Maygashel suit and blue hat with white accessories, and her corsage was of white carnations.

A reception at the home of the bride's parents followed the ceremony Several boys from the States were guests at the reception ,after which the couple left for a short honeymoon in Gt. Yarmoth

Cpl Myers and his bride are planning to return to the United States as soon as circumstances will permit.

Sale Application Forms To Sell Used Cars Are Obtainable at Jonesville

Application forms for "Authorization to Sell" used cars, used trucks and used motorcycles at warranted prices can now be obtained at the War Price and Rationing Board, Jonesville, Va.

Each seller wishing to charge warranted prices on and after August 1, 1945, should obtain an application for an "Authorization to Sell At Warranted Prices" from his War Price and Rationing Board. On this application he must record information about his repair and service facilities. The application must be mailed to the District OPA office before August 1, 1945.

Sellers who establish the facts of adequate repair and service facilities will be mailed "Authorizations to Sell At Warranted Prices". No warranted price sales can be made on or after August 1, 1945, unless this authorization is displayed at the seller's place of business.

On and after August 1, 1945, buyers should look for this authorization before they pay warranted prices.

All other authorizations to charge warranted prices, including special authorizations issued to dealers in the past, become null and void August 1, 1945.

Dealers denied authorizations by the District OPA office may appeal to the Regional Administrator, and if denied by him, may appear to the Price Administrator.

Qualification Conditions

To receive new authorization from OPA to charge warranted prices for used vehicles, a dealer must meet the following conditions:

1. He must be generally engaged in the business of acquiring for sale, selling, and repairing and reconditioning used vehicles.

2. He must have a place of business for the display and sale of used vehicles.

3. He must have a shop and equipment which are in general adequate to place used vehicles in good operating condition for sale on a warranted basis, and also for making repairs which might be required under the warranty; or, if he does not own a repair shop, he must have working arrangements, evidenced by contracts, with service suppliers who have adequate repair facilities.

4. He must make application to OPA for a dealer authorization on OPA Form 694-2163, which now is available at all local War Price and Rationing Boards.

5. The application for a dealer authorization must be approved by the local OPA district director. With the dealer authorization, the seller will be assigned a number, and in all warranted sales he must enter this number upon certificate of transfer.

6. The dealer authorization received from OPA must be posted in a conspicuous place in the dealer's place of business.

WANTED TO BUY

Clean Cotton Rags; no overalls or woolen pants—6 cents per lb. The Powell Valley News.

NOTICE

To Whom It May Concern:

I am not responsible for any debts made by anyone except myself. Signed:
D. H. LIVESAY,
841 Park Ave.,
Baltimore, Md.

Adv. No. 28-4t pd.

Certification of Divorce

This is to certify that Mr. Happyneer D. Greatwinn, of Route 4, Jonesville, Va., was granted a divorce from Miss Golden Barker, of St. Charles, Va., on the 2nd day of May, 1945, by the Circuit Court of Lee County, Va. Decree recorded in the Clerk's Office of Lee County in Chancery Order Book No. 17, at page 90.

Adv. No. 28-4t pd.

LOST

Lost on bus between Big Stone Gap and Pennington Gap, 1 box containing one dress, yellow with flowers in skirt. Box labeled "Vogue Shop" Fredericksburg, Va. Liberal reward. Return to Mrs. Roy Alsup, Box 423, Pennington Gap, Va.

Adv. No. 28-1t pd.

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A Large Shipment Of
SHOES---DRESSES---MEN'S
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35c---75c---$1.00 and $1.25

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LAURA
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SILVER CITY KID
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Wed. July 18-1:30 p.m.

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"GATE CITY" — Properly named as the gateway to the great Appalachian Coal Fields in one direction, and the mammoth industrial section of Kingsport, Tenn., in the other, with a network of highways leading in every direction, and background of argriculture and bluegrass grazing lands unexcelled. Only 7 miles to Kingsport, the outstanding industrial city of the South, now employing multiplied thousands of men and women, with an estimated 6,000 employees from Gate City and Scott County alone.

BUS STATION now being constructed on this property to accommodate 3,000 passengers daily from North, East, South and West. "Money grows where traffic goes." These lots are ideal for Hotel, Auto Dealers, Hardware, General Merchandise, Office Buildings—in fact, for any line of business, and also some of the most attractive residential lots in town. The future of Gate City demands an immediate expansion of the business and residential section, and this sale presents you an opportunity never before enjoyed.

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Democratic Precinct Meetings

ARE HEREBY CALLED FOR

Saturday, July 21

3:00 p. m., Central War Time

Meetings to be at the different precincts in the county, for the purpose of selecting delegates and alternates to the

CONVENTION

—To Be Held At—

Jonesville Court House, Sat., August 4

At 1:30 p. m. [c. w. t.]

FOR THE PURPOSE OF NOMINATING A CANDIDATE FOR MEMBER OF HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

Delegaion based on votes cast for A. P. Hamblen, present member House of Delegates, in the November, 1943, Election. One delegate and one alternate for each 25 votes cast in that election. The number of Delegates and Alternates from each Precinct are as follows:

KEOKEE	5	SOUTH JONESVILLE	12
ROBBINS CHAPEL	5	NORTH JONESVILLE	23
SEMINARY	5	HUNTERS GAP	3
DRYDEN	6	BLACKWATER	14
ST. CHARLES	22	MORGANS STORE	18
EAST PENNINGTON	9	BISHOPS STORE	4
WEST PENNINGTON	9	BALES MILL	10
MANESS	4	BALES FORGE	3
HURST STORE	7	DIXIE	15
STICKLEYVILLE	5	ROSE HILL	9

Lee County Democratic Committee

H. E. GIBSON, Chairman N. G. NEFF, Secretary.

News From
POOR VALLEY

Miss Allie McFarland is spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Rosie Calton, on Ely's Creek.

Pvt. George Parsons arrived home Thursday with an honorable discharge from the U. S. Army. He also brought along his campaign ribbons for European, African and American theaters of war, one bronze star for a major battle on the Rhine, and a Good Conduct Medal.

Mr. Carl Earley and family, of Detroit, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Earley the past week.

Mrs. Armine Gilbert, Mrs. Gladys Huff and Henry Parsons were shopping in Pennington, Saturday.

Mrs. Mae Johnson and son, Charlie, and Mrs. Sherman Howard were shopping in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brown and family and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Brown were visiting relatives Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carroll were visiting relatives on Dry Branch the past wek.

Miss Helen Howard attended the celebration at Big Stone Gap on July Fourth.

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News From
BENEDICT

Clarence Lawson, of the U. S. Navy, is home on furlough, visiting his wife and children; also his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawson.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Daniels and children spent last week-end with relatives at Black Star, Ky.

Mrs. Robert Fortner and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Mack McReynolds in Kentucky last week.

Fred Laws visited relatives in Middlesboro last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ables, of Tennessee, spent the week-end here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Jolly and family.

Pfc. Frank Theiss, of the U. S. Army, was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Holman and family here last week.

Pvt. Oscar Hall, of the U. S. Army, visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Yates here last week-end.

Frank Lambert visted in Harlan, Ky., Saturday.

Mrs. Curtis Ewing and children visited friends at Puckett's Creek, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Thompson and family, of Dunbar, visited here last week with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Thompson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Scarborough and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Worley Dean, on Stone Creek, Sunday.

FOR SALE

Household Furniture. Good Knox Cook Stove, one Iron Bed Stead with springs; two dressers, and other furniture. See Mrs. J. W. Anderson, West Pennington Gap. Adv. No. 27-2t pd.

News From
KEOKEE

Mrs. Lee Barker Went to Bristol on business Friday. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. J. J. Clarkston.

Misses Betty Byrd and Polly Bryant, of Forbes, N. C., were Thursday night guests of Miss Margaret Asher.

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Arnette have as their guest their grandson, Gerald Palmer, of Clinton, Tenn.

Earl Burns, of Derby, is visiting his aunt and other relatives here.

Mrs. L. E. Barker and children, Junior and Keith, enjoyed the show at Appalachia, Friday.

Miss Lillie Stanley is visiting her sister, Mrs. Grace Stidham, at Big Stone Gap.

Miss Bernice Shuler spent the past week at Exeter with her brother, Steve, and wife.

Miss Juanita Knight has returned to Morristown, Tenn., after spending the week-end with homefolk here.

Sam Wells and family, of West Virginia, were visiting relatives and friends here last week.

Little Miss Loretta Bush, of Derby, is visiting her grandmother and other relatives here.

Miss Lillian Townsend left for Morristown, Tenn., Monday. She is employed at Oak Ridge.

News From
WALLENS CREEK

Mary Lou Russell, Cor.

Miss Flora Lockhart visited her sister, Mrs. Mamie Maness, Sunday.

Several from here attended the Fouth of July celebration at Big Stone Gap.

Sam Russell, U.S.N.T.S., has just completed his boot training and is expected home August 1, for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Russell, at Blackwater.

Crockett Russell, Son of Mr. H. P. Russell, spent the past week-end with his grandmother, Mrs. Mary Russell, of Blackwater.

Messrs. R. C. Watson, Roe Parkey and Martin Warner spent Sunday at Kyles Ford, Tenn.

News From
ROLLER'S CHAPEL

By Irene Berge

(For week of July 5.)

The recent revival closed the 26th of June, with 35 conversions, sixteen of whom were baptized Sunday, July 1. The pastor, Rev. Tickel, and Evangelist Doty, of Kingsport, Tenn., conducted the services.

Pfc. Milliard Cox has returned from Germany and arrived at the Chapel one night during the revival. To him, it must have been worth the sacrifice of war, to have his homecoming climaxed with such a reception as he received.

It was for religious freedom and the ideals of the American home and way of life he had fought, and here were all these sacred things of "back home" crystalized into a single moment of joy, gratitude and patriotic loyalty which is typical of the spirit that will keep the laurels of victory green through the years to come.

It was a great moment, and though the stage for every returning hero may not be set for so demonstrative a reception, the less spectacular ones are just as great for GI and "folks".

Pfc. Herman Childress, back from German imprisonment; Pfc. Burleson Sword, from the South Pacific, now stationed in Iowa; Sgt. Cecil Cox, from Germany; and Pfc. Clifford Carroll are with homefolk here.

Recent visitors with relatives in this community were: Mrs. Lilly McCabe, Pennington, and Frank Sword, Toms Creek.

Ray Roop and family are here for a week from Whitmire, S. C.

Bible School at Rollers, conducted by the missionary girls for children, began Monday and will continue through Friday, July 6th.

Miss Virginia Dare Blankin is visiting in Kingsport, Tenn., at the home of her sister, Mrs. Mary Reynolds.

Misses Maggie Sword and Mary Lockheart spent the week-end with homefolk.

The neighborhood bathing pool, the "ole swimmin' hole" of Wallens Creek, at Blankin bridge, is where many answer the call of the thermometer, these hot afternoons.

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FIVE LOTS IN KELLY ADdition, west of overpass in Cane Creek bottoms. Facing highway; level. Price $650.00, cash or terms.

SIX LOTS ON KENTUCKY Road near main highway in East Pennington Gap, Va. Price $750.00, cash or terms.

FOURTEEN ACRES, WELL located on good road 2 miles south of Pennington Gap, in Stewart and Waddell Town. Contains good large barn, and plenty of other outhouses; good apple orchard. Beautiful place to build nice home and have plenty to eat. Price $2,500. Terms: $1,500 down, balance easy.

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF

State No. 164

Lee Bank & Trust Co.

Of Pennington Gap in the State of Virginia, at the close of business on June 30, 1945. Made to the State Corporation Commission.

ASSETS	
Loans and Discounts (including $0.00 overdrafts)	$ 191,670.52
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	1,448,699.08
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	105,234.65
Other bonds, notes, debentures	18,050.00
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection	904,684.77
Bank premises owned $0.00, furniture and fixtures	2,610.00
Real estate owned other than bank premises	3,900.00
Other assets	40.50
TOTAL ASSETS	$2,674,889.52
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	$1,645,953.38
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	531,170.52
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	192,546.27
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	95,725.65
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	37,213.03
TOTAL DEPOSITS $2,502,608.75	
Other liabilities	919.59
TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below)	2,503,528.34
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital*	$ 96,000.00
Surplus	25,000.00
Undivided profits	14,857.71
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred capital)	35,503.47
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	$ 171,361.18
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	$2,674,889.52

*This bank's capital sonsist of:
First preferred stock with total par value of $46,000; total retirable value $46,000. Common stock with total par value of $50,000.

MEMORANDA	
Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):	
(a) U. S. Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities	$ 383,512.71
(b) Other assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities (including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold under repurchase agreement)	28,000.00
(c) TOTAL	$ 411,512.71
Secured and preferred liabilities:	
(a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law	$ 180,776.01
(c) TOTAL	$ 180,776.01
(a) On date of report the required legal reserve against deposits of this bank was	213,078.93
(b) Assets reported above which were eligible as legal reserve amounted to	904,684.77

We, M. E. Flanary, president, and W. D. Harr, cashier, of the above named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

M. E. FLANARY, President
W. D. HARR, Cashier.

Correct—Attest.

S. J. SHELBURNE — M. E. FLANARY
D. C. SEWELL, JR. — THOS. M. KING
B. T. YOUNG — W. D. HARR, Directors

State of Virginia, County of Lee, ss:

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 5th day of July, 1945, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank. My commission expires January 20, 1947.

FRED L. QUINLEY, Notory Public.

Lonesome Pine All-Stars Play Kingsport

Appalachian League Team to Test All-Stars Friday Night, July 13

The Lonesome Pine League of Southwestern Virginia and Eastery Kentucky, one of the fastest semi pro circuits in the hill country of the Southwest, will try their skill against the Appalachian professional circuit next week.

An all-star picked team from the six Lonesome Pine clubs will play the Kingsport Cherokees, Appalachian League leaders, at Kingsport Stadium, Friday night, July 13.

Four players will be the average number chosen from each of the Lonesome Pine clubs, which include St. Charles, Pennington Gap, Jonesville, Oreton, Dunbar and Cumberland, Ky.

Manager Hobe Brummitt, of Kingsport, says he is anxious to see the Lonesome Piners in action and that he will very likely find a job for perhaps several of the boys in big time ball if they can deliver at Kingsport as they have been delivering in their home circuit.

Much interest is being manifested in the forthcoming affair and many fans will make the trips from all the Lonesome Pine towns to Kingsport to see the game.

"King Tut" Stapleton's St. Charles Miners journeyed to Cumberland, Ky., for a July 4th double exhibition with the league-leading Cumberland Mountaineers. The Miners, fresh from a shutout win over Oreton last Sunday, did a duplicate of the affair and shut out Cumberland in the first game of the double bill 13 to 0. This was the money game, the winner taking 60% of the big grandstand gate. The second game was won by Cumberland 3 to 2.

Red Skiles pitched the first encounter for St. Charles, allowing the Mountaineers but four scattered hits. St. Charles pounded Darnell, Palco and Galloway for 13 hits and 13 runs.

Skeik Collins and Conn Holman led the timber attack for St. Charles with three hits each, Shelbourne, Stallard and Skiles collected two each.

In the second encounter, Robbins started on the mound for St. Charles and was relieved in the fourth by Scott, who finished the game pitching hitless ball. Galloway went the route for Cumberland.

Collins, Foster and Pennington led the Miners' hitting with two hits each, while Galloway collected two for Cumberland.

The first game was broadcast play by-play over WHLN of Harlan.

Memorial Services To Be Held For Pfc. Coffman

Memorial services will be held at Beacon Light Baptist Church, at Monarch, on Sunday, July 29, at 2:00 o'clock p. m., honoring the memory of Pfc. Earl E. Coffman, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Coffman, of Pennington Gap, who died on September 30, 1944, of wounds received in action in France.

Pfc. Coffman was home on furlough a year ago, and while here attended memorial services held for his only brother, Pvt. Paul K. Coffman, who also died in his country's service in Italy, June 1, 1944.

The memorial service will be in charge of Rev. J. A. McVey.

Paul and Earl were Mr. Coffman's only sons. Mrs. Coffman has a son by a former marriage, Staff Sgt. Hubert Roberts, serving somewhere in Italy.

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National Clothing Drive Chairman Expresses Thanks To Sponsors

The following letter from Henry J. Kaiser, national chairman, United National Clothing Collection, Inc., for War Relief, and addressed to chairmen of local organizations who sponsored this drive throughout the country, follows.

The drive in Pennington Gap was sponsored by the Pennington Lions Club, with Dr. G. B. Setz-

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ler as chairman of this committee. The drive in Jonesville was sponsored by the Jonesville Woman's Club, with Mrs. Ruth Wygal and Mrs. Vesta Sewell in charge. The letters follows:

Dear Fellow Citizen:

On behalf of the suffering people of the war-devastated countries of the world, I want to express to you my deep gratitude for your splendid achievement in making the United National Clothing Collection an outstanding success. To you, your committee, and all the groups and individuals who worked with you, and to the citizens who gave so generously, I extend sincere and grateful thanks. Your own understanding of the great need for clothing, as expressed in the work you have done, indicates that you already realize the gratitude with which your gift will be received.

We wish that every local chairman could be here and share with us the heart warming experience of reading the reports from thousands of American communities. We know that each report represents the hard work and devotion of many people. Volunteer workers in the collection are ands, donors in the millions; all America has put its heart in this great cause.

It is my pleasure, as your chairman, to report to you that thanks to your fine work we have achieved our goal. More than 150,000,000 pounds of good usable clothing have been received, and more is being received daily. You will be proud to know that on May 28 the S.S. Gripsholm was loaded with a cargo of our clothing—the first of many such shipments.

You will receive within the next two or three weeks a copy of my report to President Truman.

Again, may I thank you and congratulate you and your committee on the gratifying success of your community's participation.

Sincerely yours,
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Boone Trail D.A.R. Entertains State Regent

The Boone Trail Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, Big Stone Gap, Va., and the Major George Gibson Family Chapter, of Gibson Station, Va., entertained with a luncheon at the Community Club House in Big Stone Gap, honoring their State Regent, Mrs. William V. Tynes, of Norfolk, and their State Registrar, Mrs. S. Bruce Jones, of Bristol, Va., on June 29th.

The club house was beautifully decorated with cut flowers. Both Mrs. Tynes and Mrs. Jones wore blue sheer dresses with lovely corsages presented by the Regents of the two chapters.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Malcolm Smith, Regent of Boone Trail Chapter, who asked for the singing of America and the Flag Salute, led by Mrs. Clarence Wharton, of Palmetto, Fla. Invocation was given by Mrs. R. B. Alsover, chaplain of Boone Trail.

A bountiful luncheon was served by the Community League, of which Mrs. G. F. McCormick is president.

The presiding regent then introduced Mrs. Oscar Smith, regent of the Major George Gibson Chapter, who in turn presented Mrs. Tynes, who gave a very interesting and informative talk on the work of the National Society, emphasizing the War Project Fund, which is to purchase X-ray units for hospital ships and radio facilities for veterans' hospitals; and the State Project—the building of a boys' dormitory at Blue Ridge School. All members were urged to contribute liberally to these projects.

Mrs. Smith then presented Mrs. Jones, who spoke briefly of the work of the Registrar.

Closing the program with an account of Junior American Citizens Clubs, Mrs. Oscar Smith, vice chairman in Virginia, urged both chapters to cooperate in the training of youth for good citizenship through J.A.C. Clubs.

Those in attendance were Mesdames William V. Tynes, S. Bruce Jones, Malcolm Smith, Oscar Smith, M. R. McCorkle, Olivia Morrison Orr, R. B. Alsover, J. P. Wolfe, Sr., Ross Stickley, C. L. Grabeel, J. L. McCormick, F. E. Handy, T. B. Fugate, J. J. Hyatt, H. J. Horne, F. B. Kline, Clarence Wharton, Joe Smiddy, Roy Fuller, Carl Knight, H. A. Alexander, Rose Low, M. E. Fish, M. H. Graber, Wm. Rogers, Effie Smith, Valerie Saunders, Bartie Gibson, Mary Stickley, Milo Summers, Frances Long, Mabel McCullough, W. H. Lipps, Sue Hoskins, I. T. and O. B. Gilly.

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Lieutenant and Son Visit in Jonesville

Lt. and Mrs. Charles O. (Jack) Jones, Sr., and son, Jackie, Jr., visited Lt. Jones' parents, [redacted] and Mrs. Olin Jones, of Jonesville, this week.

Lt. Jones is a graduate of Jonesville High School. Before entering the service December 22, 1943, he was employed as a mechanic at the State Highway shop at Salem, Va. He took his basic training at a Tank Destroyer Replacement Training Center at Camp Hood, Texas. After leaving there he went to the Armored School at Fort Knox, Ky., where he has been stationed for the past 17 weeks, and received his commission as second lieutenant June 23, 1945.

He is now reporting for duty at Camp Hood, Texas. Mrs. Jones and Jackie will reside with him while he is stationed there.

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF

Powell Valley National Bank

Of Jonesville, in the State of Virginia, at the close of business on June 30, 1945, published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS		
Loans and discounts (including $0.00 overdrafts)		$ 203,54[illegible].16
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed		1,001,821.66
Obligations of States and political subdivisions		19,911.68
Corporate stocks (including stock of Federal Reserve bank)		1,550.00
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection		384,384.41
Bank premises owned	$3,000.00	
Furniture and fixtures	1,000.00	4,000.00
Real estate owned other than bank premises		1,200.00
TOTAL ASSETS		$1,616,407.91
LIABILITIES		
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations		$1,097,804.80
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		311,396.37
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)		94,433.39
Deposits of States and political subdivisions		39,662.37
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks etc,)		9,607.81
TOTAL DEPOSITS	$1,552,904.74	
TOTAL LIABILITIES		$1,552,904.74
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS		
Capital Stock:		
Common stock, total par $25,000.00		$ 25,000.00
Surplus		25,500.00
Undivided profits		11,503.17
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred stock)		1,500.00
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS		$ 63,503.17
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS		$1,616,407.91
MEMORANDA		
Pledged assets (and securties loaned) (book value):		
(a) U. S. Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities		$ 310,000.00
e) TOTAL		$ 310,000.00
Secured liabilities:		
(a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law		$ 131,091.93
(d) TOTAL		$ 131,091.93

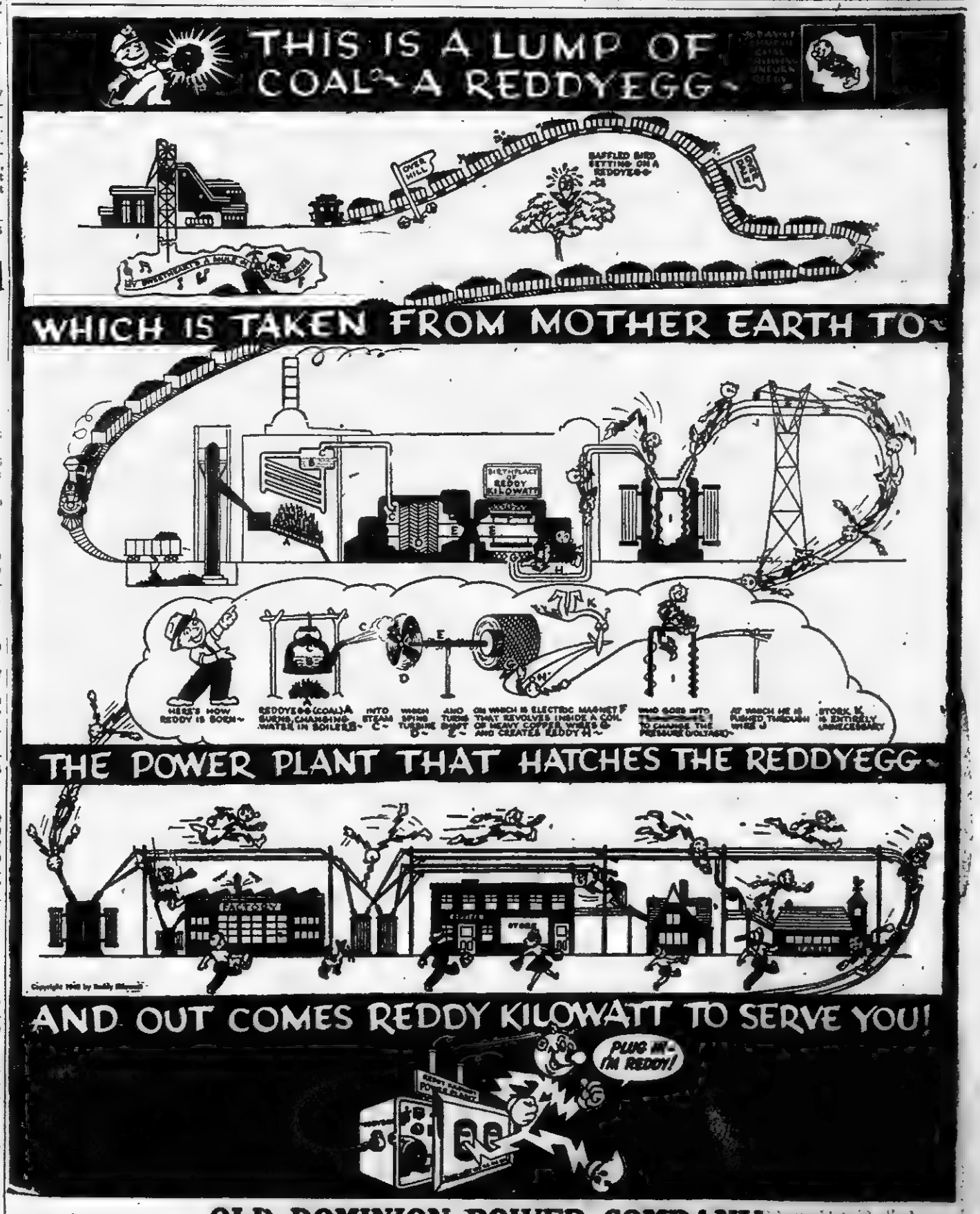
State of Virginia County of Lee, ss:

I, Ruth L. Wynn, assitant cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

RUTH L. WYNN, Assistant Cashier.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 9th day of July, 1945.
R. P. HINES, Notary Public.
My commission expires March 23, 1948.

Correct—Attest:
R. C. McCLURE
D. C. McCLURE
W. L. DAVIDSON
Directors



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Social and Personal

You'll be sorry if you miss seeing "God Is My Co-pilot", showing at Lee Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, Aug. 6 - 7.

Mrs. Edward Parsons has returned from Gulfport, Miss., where she has been visiting her husband, Staff Sgt. Edward Parsons, who is stationed there.

She is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Burchett, of Woodway. After a short visit here with relatives and friends she and her daughter, Zelma Kay, will return to Gulfport, Miss., where they will make their home to be with her husband.

Mrs. Paul McArthur and Jenelle Howard were in Harlan, Ky., last Saturday.

Mrs. C. C. Carr returned Monday from a visit with relatives in North Carolina.

June Bledsoe and Jenelle Howard are spent Tuesday night with friends at L. M. U.

Mrs. Jake Howard and son, Billy Gordon, returned home Monday, after spending their vacation with Mrs. Howard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Gibson, and other relatives in Dayton, Ohio.

Doyle Huff returned to Canton, Ohio, this week after several days' visit with his cousin, Irene Williams.

John Hughes was called to Manchester, Ky., this week, due to the death of his brother.

June Bledsoe spent part of last week with Jenelle Howard.

Sgt. Sam Cooney, of the Army Air Corps, visited relatives here last week. Sgt. Cooney is a former resident of Pennington. His family moved to Dayton, Ohio, a few years ago.

You'll be sorry if you miss seeing "God Is My Co-pilot", showing at Lee Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, Aug. 6 - 7.

J. E. Laningham Back Home

J. E. Laningham is back home from Union Memorial Hospital, in Baltimore, where he spent several days as a patient, undergoing medical treatment. Jim says he is getting along "fairly well", but in all probability will take further treatment at an early date.

Miss Golden Parsons, of Rose Hill, has returned home, after spending a few days at University Hospital, at Charlottesville, Va. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hubbard, of Big Stone Gap. Before returning home they visited the Hubbards' son, and friends in Alexandria.

Rev. and Mrs. P. R. Stubbs and two children, Margaret and Roderick, will leave Tuesday, July 17, for a vacation visit with homefolk in Eastern Virginia. While away they will attend a meetin gof Rappahannock Baptist Association at Upper Essex Baptist Church, where Rev. Stubbs served as pastor for ten years. They will return to Pennington about August 7.

Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Meador and son, Fred; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Vaughan and children, Betty and Billy, of Knoxville, Tenn., spent last week-end with relatives at Jonesville. They enjoyed a picnic dinner Sunday at the former fairgrounds at Jonesville, after which they returned home, accompanied by Glenna and Billy Burgan. Billy is at home on furlough, at the expiration of which he will return to Ft. Meade, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Lipps and family, of Noblesville, Ind., were guests Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Joris B. Catron, of Woodway.

Billy Lynn Richards, who recently underwent an eye operation at Johnson City, has returned home.

Mrs. B. M. Deloach, of Kingston, Tenn., was the guest Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Forrester Haynes, at Woodway.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Blevins and children, of Canebrake, W. Va. ,are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McElyea.

You'll be sorry if you miss seeing "God Is My Co-pilot", showing at Lee Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, Aug. 6 - 7.

Mrs. Durand Kelly and two children, Billy and Tommy, returned Sunday from Norfolk, where they have been visiting with Mr. Kelly, who is serving as SK (D) 2-C., U. S. Navy. Seaman Kelly made the trip home with his family, returning next day.

"Timberwolf" In Town

Pfc. Hubert Hammonds, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hammonds, is at home on furlough, to be here about 30 days, he says. Hubert is a member of the Timberwolf Division. He participated in German campaigns and was awarded the Combat Infantryman Badge.

Lt. (jg) E. T. Rasnic, who has been on furlough in the county for the past three weeks, left Tuesday morning by air to report back to his ship at Oakland, Calif. This was his first furlough after serving 26 months in the Pacific area.

Rev. Charles Ely, of Salem, Va., arrived here the first of the week to visit with his sister, Miss Amanda Ely.

Mr. and Mrs. Etna V. Hall, of Big Stone Gap, are happy to have with them again their son, Pvt. Lonton N. Hall. He has been a prisoner of war in Germany since October, and was liberated with the fall of Munich. After 60 days of a much needed rest, he will return to Miami Beach, Fla., at the Redistribution Center. Pvt. Hall is the brother of V. C. Hall ,of Pennington Gap.

Tech. Sgt. Mike Johns, Jr., has returned to his post after a two weeks' visit with his wife, the former Miss Virginia Hall.

Mrs. V. C. Hall was called to Middlesboro last week on account of the death of her brother, Hubert Branscomb. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Ernest Hoskins, and Mr. Hoskins, and daughter, Georgia Lee, of Greensboro, N. C.

Miss Sue Smalley has returned home after a week's visit with friends in Leakville, S. C. While there she attended the wedding of her teacher and sorority sponsor at Radford State College, Miss Beverly Holmes, to Dr. Benjamin Dailey, of Cumberland, Md. The wedding took place on June 30 in the Baptist Church at Leakville. On her way home Miss Smalley visited a girl friend, Miss Mary Ann Jones, at Ridgeway, Va.

Jimmy and Julian King, twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. Julian King, of Kingsport, are visiting at the home of Rev. and Mrs. C. D. Mehaffey this week.

Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Parrott entertained the Board of Deacons of Admant Baptist Church, together with their wives, for supper at their parsonage home on Stone Creek, Monday evening, July 9. Invited guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Worley Dean, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Harbor, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Harbor, Mr. and Mrs. Wright Kirk, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Parks, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Kirl.

Mrs. James E. Gibson, of Corbin, Ky., is at home on account of the illness of her mother, Mrs. Clyde McElyea. Also the McElyeas had as week-end visitors Mr. and Mrs. Paul Morefield, of Leona Mines.

Miss Mary Helen Fry is visiting with her sister, Mrs. R. G. Whitesell, and family, at Columbus, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn L. Ridenour, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., were here last week visiting his mother, Mrs. Ressie White, and other realtives.

Clyde Lunsford, seaman first class, wife and daughters, Loy and Blair, here from Camp Peary, Va., are visiting Mrs. Lunsford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Fry.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Harber and children, of Jefferson City, Tenn., are here visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Harber, and other relatives.

Reports from Harry and Ted Fry, two of our town "boys", are: Ted (Pvt.) is in the hospital at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., suffering from arthritis; Harry (Air Cadet) has recently been stationed at San Angelo, Texas. They are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Fry.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Arnold, of Rainxlle W. Va., are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Arnold, Pennington Gap, R.F.D.

Mrs. Ressie White was in North Carolina on a shopping tour this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Lundy are on a vacation trip this week to points in Kentucky.

Mrs. Bays Leaves Pennington

Mrs. Lillie Bays and daughter, Imogene, left Wednesday for Franklin and Norfolk, Va. They will visit for awhile with her daughter, Mrs. Lee Royster, and other relatives, after which they will go to Durham, N. C., to make their home. Mrs. Bays has been a resident of Pennington for a number of years, and has many friends who regret her leaving.

Mrs. K. E. Golder and son, Kenny, Jr., of Pittsburgh, Pa., are spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Lorena Everidge, and brother, Clarence M. Everidge Mrs. Golder was formerly Dorothea Everidge.

Mrs. Grace Burgan and Dorothy are visiting in North Carolina this week.

Undergoes Operation

"Sonny Boy", the small son of Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Osobrne, of Rose Hill, underwent an operation for appendicitis at Lee General Hospital Tuesday morning. His condition this morning was reported favorable

Lewis Boys At Home

Out on Route 1, the McKinley Lewis family are enjoying furlough visits from their two sons, the first time the boys have been together in a long, long time.

Marvin D., who ranks as F-WT, U. S. Marines, comes direct from Italy, while Smith is just back from a long stretch of service with the U. S. Army in the Burma-China-India theater.

Pvt. Roy B. Grace, Jr., has completed a ten-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Grace and family.

Reunion of Parsons Family

Although 90 years of age, Mrs. Fannie Parsons, who resides in the Dry Branch community, was able to enjoy a family reunion at her home recently, which included a bountiful dinner and a drive in the afternoon into the mountainous areas of Kentucky to view the beautiful scenery.

Mrs. Parsons is the mother of Mayor E. E. Parsons, of Pennington Gap, who, with Mrs. Parsons, attended the reunion. Other guests were:

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hutton, of Waterloo, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Orear, Chattanooga, Tenn.; Mr. and Mrs. George Stewart, of Pennington Gap; Miss Lizzie Parsons, of Dry Branch; Mrs. Seth Hobbs, of Norfolk, Va.; Mrs. Vincent Gilley, of Texas; Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Parsons, of Middlesboro, Ky.

Billy Carroll, Earl Goins and Vincent Kelly are among the large number of service boys at home on furlough this week.

Delano Dew, son of Mrs. Alice Dew, has been spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Myers in West Pennington. Delano says he and Mr. Myers enjoyed some fishing trips together.

RECENT BRIDE, GROOM

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wise

Mr. and Mrs. Wise were married at 6:00 p. m., June 23, in the parsonage of the First Baptist Church, with the Rev. P. R. Stubbs officiating.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Wise and the bride a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hall, both of Pennington Gap.

NAZELROD — SEYMOUR

Miss Willie Nazelrod, of Washington, D. C., and Allan Grey Seymour, SF 3-C., were married Sunday, July 8, at Pineville, Ky.

The bride wore a dress of lavendar silk with white accessories, and a corsage of pink carnations. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nazelrod, Washington, D.C.

The couple met at the home of the groom's sister, Mrs. C. H. Redmon, where he is visiting on furlough from service in the South Pacific. Mr. and Mrs. Redmon accompanied them to Pineville and witnessed the wedding. The bride and groom are now on a honeymoon trip to points in the East.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Reasor, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Tomaszewski and Mrs. Roy Alsup were visiting Mrs. Clyde Arnold, at Kingsport, Tenn., Monday.

Mrs. Wm. Tomaszewski, formerly Miss Georgia Arnold, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Arnold.

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Mr. Perle Stewart has turned over to me for sale his Beautiful Log Cabin, with four rooms, large wood fireplace, stone chimney, hardwood floors; good spring water; has electricity, two acres bottom land, 14 acres more covered with $600.00 worth of good timber and millions of cubic feet of sandstone building rock, all handy to highway, and at the low price of only $1,800. Terms, $700.00 down, balance 6, 12 and 18 months.

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TOWN TALK

About This, That, And The Other

Methuselah

Methuselah ate what he found on his plate
And never, as people do now,
Did he note the amount of the calory count;
He ate it because it was chow.

He wasn't disturbed as at dinner he sat
Devouring a roast or a pie,
To think it was lacking in granular fat
Or a couple of vitamins shy.

He cheerfully chewed each species of food
Unmindful of troubles or fears
Lest his health might be hurt by some fancy dessert,
And he lived over nine hundred years.

The Awfullest Woman

The awfullest woman is not the woman who gets drunk, steps out on her husband, gets the low-down on everybody she can and broadcasts it far and wide—but here she is, in black and white: She's the woman who carries a baby in her arms through the sun's blazing rays, without so much as a cover on it's head

Oftentimes she carries the baby lain-back in her arms with it's face turned upward, and never notices that the little fellow is winking and blinking at the light, trying to shield it's eyes with it's hands. Yes, we see just such sights, especialy about the bus terminal.

Don't Poison Dogs

In the appeal of Deputy Sheriff Claude Benfield,

Officer Benfield states that several dogs in this vicinity have died from poisoning recently, some of them highly valued as pets and as hunting dogs, and a reward of $50.00 is offered for any information leading to the identification of the person or persons administering the poison.

Benfield states that if any dogs are giving undue trouble in the community, and the matter referred to him or to Game Warden Jim Hines, proper steps will be taken to correct the disturbance.

Benedict Paints Up

The mining camp of Benedict is looking mighty pretty, with a number of the houses newly

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DOWN on the FARM

By: J. A. WOLFE

Having attained a somewhat degree of success over a previous failure with alfalfa as a demonstration, Mr. Carter has permitted me to write this column, and since it is somewhat easier to fall than it is to succeed, I want to warn any new growers that it is imperative to have the proper practice for this particular region; therefore, consultation with your County Agent, who is a fine authority on this particular subject, is of prime importance. If you fail, the cost of your experience will be virtually the same as a bumper production; while if you succeed, the cost of production is somewhat cheaper than freight or transportation charges alone from the natural alfalfa producing regions, or at least the first three cuttings I have made have been produced at a cost of around $5.00 per ton for hay in the stack, while hay of similar quality sold for $48.00 last feeding season.

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WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Weather Bureau report for the week ending July 15, 1945, for Lee County, furnished by Cam J. Lewis, official observer:

Date	Temperature		Rainfall
	Highest	Lowest	Inches
9	87	56	.00
10	85	63	.22
11	80	57	.23
12	78	52	.00
13	81	56	.06
14	90	64	.00
15	85	64	.86

Lee Exceeds 7th War Loan Quota $167,738

Quotas Exceeded On All Series Of War Bonds

According to final reports submitted by T. B. Fugate, Lee County War Finance Chairman, the county went over the top in the Seventh War Loan campaign by a margin of $167,738 on all Bonds sold.

The quota for combined sale of bonds was $415,000, and the amount sold $582,738. The bond quotas and sales of each series are divided as follows:

"E" Bond quota, $290,000, sales, $295,018; other bonds to individuals, quota, $75,000, sales $147,700; Corporation, $50,000, sales $140,020.

With all his optimism, Chairman Fugate was really surprised at this excellent result, especially as the last report showed the sales far short of the goals.

"It was a fine piece of work on the part of area chairmen, their committees and workers, and the patriotic citizens who purchased the bonds to make this drive a success and maintain the county's unbroken record of more than meeting its quotas in all previous bond drives," Mr Fugate remarked, adding that he extends his thanks and appreciation to all

INDUCTION CALL FOR JULY, LOCAL BOARD 1

Selective Service Board No 1, Jonesville, Va., has notified the following men to report for induction to fill their July induction call:

James Howard Bruner, Ewing; Henry Ford Snodgrass, Rose Hill; Charles Emory Dillmon, Ewing; Hollis Gene Daugherty, Jonesville; Ray Roscoe Neeley, Route 2, Jonesville; Elmo Ralph Collier, Route 2, Pennington Gap; Gleese Carson Williams, Jonesville; Wilmer Glenn Parsons, Jonesville.

Miss James Alice Langhan, attending summer school at L. M. U., will be coming home this week-end for a visit, returning Monday.

WOUNDED ON OKINAWA

Pfc. James M. Gilbert

Pfc. James M. Gilbert, serving with the Sixth Marine Division on Okinawa, was wounded in combat on May 17, according to a telegram from the War Department to his father, H. M Gilbert, of Ocoonita.

Pfc. Gilbert entered service in October, 1943, and took his basic training at Parris Island, S. C. Before sailing for overseas service he was stationed at Miami Beach, Fla., Naval Air Station.

Red Cross Meeting Has Been Set For Monday

Dr. G. B. Setzler, chairman, announces the annual meeting of Lee County Chapter, American Red Cross, to be held at Pennington High School on Monday, July 23, at 7:30 p. m.

Activities of the past year will be discussed, and plans made for to coming year. Dr. Setzler urges all members of the Red Cross to attend this meeting.

Miss Audrey Jean Oaks, employed at Baltimore, Md., is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orbin Oaks.

Candidate For Lt. Gov.

Charles R. Fenwick

Lt. Col. Charles R. Fenwick, candidate for Lieutenant Governor of Virginia, subject to the Democratic Primary, August 7, was a visitor in Pennington Gap and Lee County on Wednesday of this week in the interest of his candidacy

Colonel Fenwick is 44 years old, and a native of East Falls Church, Va. He enlisted in the Army, World War I, at the age of 18. He is a graduate of the University of Virginia Law School, and while there was an active participant in all sports, and received many athletic honors.

He has been an active participant in Democratic politics for several years, and in 1939 was elected to the General Assembly of Virginia. He was also re-elected in 1941 and 1943, the last time while in the armed forces. At present he is a lieutenant colonel in the Judge Advocate General's Department of the Army, and is now on leave.

I.O.O.F. Celebration At Woodway Postponed

To meet the convenience of the Grand Lodge Officer of the Grand Encampment and the Patriot Militant Degree, the Woodway celebration will be postponed to August 19, 1945.

A meeting of all the Grand Lodge officers, Grand Encampment and Patriot Militant, is scheduled for Friday night, August 17th, at Pennington Lodge No. 155, Pennington Gap, Va. This will be a closed meeting to the members of the Encampment and Patriot Militant Degree

Saturday night, August 18th, there will be an open meeting for all members of the Order of Odd Fellows, Rebekahs, Encampment and Patroit Militant, their families and friends

We are expecting all Grand Lodge officers to be with us on the date mentioned above, and this is an invitation to all of them to be with us and enjoy our annual celebration.

Ellis Roberts, D.D.G.M.

WARNING

Complaints continue to come in to us about dogs being killed by poisoning from unknown party or parties.

This is a dangerous practice and must be stopped. The town will pay a liberal reward for any information leading to the identification of persons administering the poison.

If dogs are causing any undue trouble in the community, plese report the matter to me, to Deputy Sheriff Benfield, or to Game Warden Jim Hines.

By: E. E. PARSONS,
Mayor, Pennington Gap

Former School Teacher Gets Army Promotion

Pfc. Joseph C. Wolfe, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Wolfe, Pennington Gap, has recently been promoted to the grade of corporal, according to an announcement by authorities of the Army Air Forces Proving Ground Command at Elgin Field, Fla.

Prior to entering military service on April 15, 1943, Cpl. Wolfe was a teacher in the Lee County public schools.

BOARD 1 LISTS MEN PASSING JULY PRE-INDUCTION EXANS

Selective Service Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va., lists the following registrants who have passed their pre-induction examinations in the July call, and are now awaiting induction:

Edward Franklin Cheek, Gibson Station; Claude Alfred Seals, Route 1, Ewing; Ralph Edward Rowlett, Gibson Station; Lloyd Burley Sprinkle, Ben Hur; Otis E. Fisher, Ben Hur; Morgan Lee Fleenor, Ocoonita; Chester Henry Rogers, Ben Hur; Henry Don Terry, Route 4, Jonesville; Earnest Ray Ely, Route 4, Jonesville; Fleemon Witt, Ocoonita; Quillen Combs, Ewing; Birgus Moody Hensley, Route 2, Jonesville; Estle Davidson, Blackwater; Harold Hedrick, Route 1, Jonesville; Joel Lee Vicars; Route 1, Fairview; Archie Dewey Delph, Route 4, Jonesville; Willard Harold Marcum, Route 2, Jonesville; Jessie Willard Gilbert, Route 1, Rose Hill; Gale Sherman Johnson, Ocoonita; Evan Junior Cox, Jonesville; Grover Cleveland Lyttle, Route 4, Jonesville.

Lamb Sale At Ewing, Tuesday, July 24th

The second lamb sale of the season will be held at the Ewing Stockyards, Tuesday, July 24. All sheepmen should bring their lambs to the yards Tuesday morning. The lambs will be officially graded by C. P. McClaugherty, of the Virginia Division of Markets, into the grades of choice, good, medium and common.

The first lamb sale was held at the Ewing Livestock Co., yards Tuesday, June 19. Prices were very satisfactory, the top being $15.70 per cwt. on choice lambs.

The purebred sheep breeders will sell a number of registered Hampshire rams immediately following the lamb sale. Any sheepman needing a ram should attend this sale.

Mrs. Clyde Arnold and children, of Kingsport, spent this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Arnold, Pennington Gap, R.F.D.

St. Charles Leads L.P.; Cumberland Blanked

Week-end Games Made Change In Standings of Lonesome Pine Loop

"King Tut" Stapleton's St. Charles Miners rambled into top place in the Lonesome Pine League the past week-end, as Bill Baille's Cumberland Mountaineers faltered to second to initiate the opening of the second half schedules.

St. Charles defeated Pennington Gap 16 to 5; Dunbar whitewashed Cumberland 4 to 0; and Jonesville nosed out Oreton 9-8.

Next Sunday, Pennington Gap plays at St. Charles; Jonesville goes to Andover to play Oreton; and Cumberland plays at Dunbar.

The Lonesome Pine League all-star game with the Kingsport Cherokees of the Appalachian League was cancelled Monday on a ruling of the president of the Appalachian loop that exhibition tilts with outsiders were prohibited. The Lonesome Pines will play an all-star tilt with the Cumberland Valley loopers of Southeastern Kentucky instead. Ann all-star game in the Lonesome Pine is also on docket, with the picked team playing the top club for a money purse.

Leeman Field in Pennington Gap was the scene of the 16 to 5 onslaught Sunday which sent the Miners into first place. St Charles banged out 21 hits off three Gap twirlers to race 16 tallies across the pan. Pennington Gap garnered nine hits off two St. Charles twirlers, which counted for five runs.

Collins led the St. Charles slugfest with 4 hits for 6 trips; Robbins collected 3 for 4; Stallard had 3 for 6; while Shelbourne, Foster and Skiles had two each. H. Smith led Pennington Gap with 3 for 4; Reasor had 2 for 4.

Jonesville pulled the long-lost rabbit out of the bag late in the ninth inning, which found them trailing 8 to 2. A rally of base hits, free tickets and an error netted them the necessary 7 runs to gain a 9 to 8 win. After five runs had crossed the pan in the big rally, Manager Horton returned to the plate for his second trip in the inning after having whiffed to open the frame. He slammed a long blow into deep centerfield to score Bowen and Stickley ahead of him, ending the game.

Chance went the route on the mound for Jonesville, allowing nine hits Earl Mabe lasted until the ninth for Oreton, pitching fine ball until the rally sent him out in favor of Junior Mabe, who pitched to Horton. Bowen led Jonesville's hitting with 3 for 4; Roop, Horton and Davidson had two each. Cobb and Moore led Oreton's slugging with 2 each

Sage uncorked a bevy of slow curve balls to whitewash Cumberland 4 to 0 at Cumberland. Dunbar collected 11 hits from Cumberland's moundsmen, while Sage limited the locals to six.

THE OFFICIAL STANDING

St. Charles	8	2	.800
Cumberland	8	3	.727
Jonesville	6	4	.600
Dunbar	6	5	.545
Oreton	3	8	.273
Pennington	1	10	.090

MOVIE STAR COMING TO PENNINGTON SUNDAY

Max Terhune, of Three Mesquiteers and Range Busters

Max "Alibi" Terhune, star of the "Range Buster" series and the "Three Mesquiteers", will appear in person at the baseball park in Pennington Gap, Sunday, at 3:00 p. m., with a bevy of radio stars from WNOX.

"Alibi" will have with him his little friend "Elmer", the doll that always gets Max in a jam. The radio stars will include Wally Fowler, formerly of WSM Grand Ole Opry and now of the Merry-Go-Round; the Carlisle Brothers, and many others.

A big show of fun and frolic that will last more than two hours on the open air stage at the ball park, with a shady grandstand for everybody to enjoy.

Max will be glad to shake hands and sign autographs for his thousands of local admirers, who have laughed at him on the screen.

One Dead, Two Hurt In Week-end Accidents

Wants Friends To Write

PVT. RALPH D. SAGE

Pvt. Ralph D. Sage, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Sage, of Stickleyville, Va., was inducted into Army service August 8, 1944, at Fort Meade, Md., after which he was sent to Fort Bragg, N. C., where he had foot surgery and basic training in Field Artillery.

He completed a course in motor mechanics at Fort Bragg, and was sent from there to Fort Sill, Okla., where he completed a course in full track. He received an 18-day furlough from Fort Sill, then reported to Fort Ord, Calif., for overseas assignment.

He is now on Luzon Island in the Philippines. His address is A.S.N. 33663879, A. P. O. 787, Ord. Light Maintenance Co., c-o P. M., San Francisco, Calif. He wishes all his friends to write him a line.

Three Brothers In Service Visit Home

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Cox, formerly of Pennington Gap, and now of Portsmouth, Va., write us about their happiness at having their three sons in the armed forces all home on furlough recently Their letter follows:

"Warren G. spent 26 months overseas in Africa, Italy and many other places he could not mention. He came home June 11 on a 30-day furlough and on July 10th reported back to duty at Greensboro, N C. In about two months he will get another furlough, after which he expects his honorable discharge.

"Warren, who ranks as sergeant, has spent three years as an airplane machinist. He has several decorations, including 12 battle stars, and 120 points.

Elmer, who is seaman first class, came in on a 30-day furlough after 15 months' service in the Pacific area, during which time he was stationed on 15 different islands. He tells the following 'close call' he had at one place:

"He said that for some time the Japs had been coming out on them at chow time, so at last they decided to start moving. No sooner had they vacated than a bomb struck their tent and tore it to pieces. They had no clothes with them except what they had on, and everything they left in the tent was destroyed. It seems that God must have warned them to get away.

"Elmer returned to San Diego, Calif., where he will attend the Chief Cooks' Commissary School for 14 months. His wife and four-year-old son, Richard Hugh, are with him.

"Hubert, the youngest son, is with the U. S. Marines, stationed at Yorktown, Va. He has made two return trips overseas. Hubert has seen action in the Solomons, the Aleutian Islands, and was in North Africa, Italy and Sicily.

"Hubert's wife and twin sons are with us here in Portsmouth, and the twins are getting along fine."

Dryden Real Estate Sold At Auction Last Saturday

Forty-one acres of land in the town of Dryden, owned by W. S. Beverly, of Big Stone Gap, was sold at auction last Saturday for $12,700. The 25-acre tract and house belonging to C. W. Allen brought $11,000 at the same sale.

Mrs. Charles Quinley is here from Newark, N. J., visiting with her parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Quinley.

Raymond Miner Fatally Injured When Truck Oveturned On Highway

Two highway accidents in this area occurring within two or three hours of each other Saturday night, July 14, caused the death of one person and serious injuries to two others, both of whom are in Lee General Hospital.

Raymond Miner, 37, died in Lee General Hospital early Sunday morning from injuries received when a truck in which he was riding went over an embankment on Highway No. 70, about two miles southwest of Jonesville, early Saturday night.

Also seriously injured in this accident was Roy Childress, 17, of Jonesville, son of Mrs. Parolee Childress. He remains in Lee General Hospital, where this morning his condition was reported as "fair".

The driver of the truck, Millard Cox, an ex-serviceman, said the brakes failed to work when they started down-grade, and that he lost control of the truck. He said there were eleven passengers in the truck, three of whom were women, and that they had started to Tennessee. Miner and Childress were the only two hurt.

About eight o'clock Saturday night, Miss Viola Delp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Delp, who reside in the "Sugar Run" community near Jonesville, suffered serious injuries when her car ran into the side of the concrete bridge spanning Powell River, just this side of Big Stone Gap.

The car was driven by Miss Delp's nephew, John Delp, and they were on their way to Big Stone Gap to visit with his mother, a brother of Miss Delp stated. Miss Delp was brought to Lee General Hospital, where she is reported to be getting along well.

Intermediate Campers Report A Good Time

Miss June Lewis, reporting for the Intermediate campers just colsing a week at Jonesville Camp Ground, states that this has been one of the most successful church camping parties she has ever attended.

SAILOR COMMENDED

ROBERT JACK SALLEY

Robert Jack Salley, seaman first class, of the U. S. Navy, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Salley, of Big Stone Gap, received a commanding officer's commendation for staying at his post in face of great danger during an engagement with the enemy in March.

Salley recently visited his parents for the first time in two years. He is stationed aboard the USS Kimberly. His brother, Bill Salley, is stationed at a Naval Air Station in Hutchinson, Kas.

The letter of commendation from the commanding officer, J. D. Whitfield, follows: "By meritorious performance of your duties as loader of gun mount No. 25 during our engagement with the enemy on the morning of 26 March, 1945, remaining at your station in face of great danger and possible death, you were instrumental in the final destruction of the Japanese Val which crashed out of control before reaching a more vital area of the ship. The commanding officer commends you for gallantry in the performance of your duty, for your coolness and courage as loader of gun mount No. 25 and for your part in maintaining accurate fire as the plane passed closely overhead."

St. Charles PERSONALS

JOY OSBORNE, Cor.

Mrs. Pearl Mullins, owner of Pearl's Beauty Shoppe, visited her husband, Pvt. George Mullins, at Fort Knox, Ky., last week. She was accompanied by her husband's nephew, Thomas Edmonds. Edmonds was recently discharged from the Army in Europe under the point system. He was in several major battles and was wounded three times.

Mrs. Lee Reece had as her guest last week-end her daughter, Mrs. Hal Winfrey, and son, Martin; also Miss Wylene Schultz, all of Concord, Tenn.

Lois Phipps, Evelyn Hall and sisters visited relatives in Dayton and Cincinnati, Ohio, last week.

Sgt. Roy Greene is at home after serving four years overseas.

Daniel Honeycutt, of the U. S. Army, is at home on a 30-day furlough after service in Europe.

Thomas Edmonds, former sergeant in the U. S. Army and now honorably discharged, married an English girl while in the Army, and she will join him in about two months, he says. Edmonds had served in the Army since he was about sixteen years old.

Try mixing tomatoes and celery occasionally.

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Adv. No. 29-2t pd.

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Deaths AND FUNERALS

Mrs. R. E. Litton

Mrs. R. E. Litton, one of Lee County's most beloved citizens, died suddenly at her home near Dryden, June 28th. Her unexpected death was a profound shock to her family and friends. She was 71 years of age and was the widow of the late R. E. Litton, prominent landowner and stock dealer.

Funeral services were held at her home Friday afternoon, with Rev. J. S. Peebles officiating. Interment took place at the Jessee Cemetery, Dryden.

Active pallbearers were Creed Kelly, of Big Stone Gap; M. E. Flanary, W. W. Jessee, C. H. Siemp, J. J. Orr, and M. S. Orr, of Dryden. Flower bearers were neighbors and friends.

Mrs. Litton is survived by her children, Mrs. William Voelcker, of Richmond, Va.; Mrs. George M. Warren, of Bristol, Va.; W. B. Litton, of Dryden; Mrs. W. M. Quesinberry, Kingsport, Tenn.; and Mrs. R. W. Bragg, of Alberta, Va. Eleven grandchildren and one great-grandchild also survive.

Baby McPherson

Lewis Dye McPherson, Jr., two-day-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Dye McPherson, Sr., of Jonesville, died this morning at Lee General Hospital. Funeral and burial services will be held at Jonesville tomorrow.

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Mrs. Sally Ann Hughes

Mrs. Sally Ann Hughes, of St. Charles, died at Lee General Hospital on July 1, at the age of 77. She had been ill for several weeks.

Funeral services were held at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Bob Mink, at Dominion, July 3, at 1:00 p. m., conducted by the Rev. Clinton Green. Burial followed in the Hughes Cemetery on Dry Branch.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Bob Mink, Dominion; Mrs. Estell Carter, St. Charles; and Mrs. Lee Cagley, St. Charles; four sons, Roy, Roam and Cleve Hughes, of St. Charles; and Rufus Hughes, with the U. S. Army somewhere in the Pacific; two brothers, Sonny Stewart, Sandlick, Va., and Vence Stewart, of St. Charles; and one sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Phillips, Keokee, Va.

Blackwater Soldier Completes Hospital Work

After treating 5,675 soldiers who were wounded or became ill during the fighting in Europe, the huge United States Army General Hospital at Landford Camp, Dorset, England, has completed its mission in England.

Among those who helped operate the hospital was Pfc. Ralph O. Robinette, 24, of Route 1, Blackwaetr, Va., a post exchange cashier.

The 125th General Hospital unit, which trained at Camp Elils, Ill., arrived at Liverpool, England, August 1, 1944, aboard the British liner, Mauretania. The following day the unit started preparing for its hospital buildings at Blanford Camp, site of the Army's largest hospital group and on August 21 the first frontline casualties arrived from Europe.

During most of the period of operation, the hospital, commanded by Colonel C. B. Perkins, of Seattle, Wash., specialized in delicate brain and nerve surgery. The last patients left the hospital for the United States on June 1.

Pfc. Robinette is the husband of Lasula E. Robinette, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Robinette, all of Blackwater. He entered the Army in June, 1943.

Cocoa and chocolate come from the tropical cacao tree.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 17th day of July, 1945.

Mary Cecil Estes and E. F. Cecil, doing business under the name firm style of Estes & Cecil ..... Complainants

vs. Order of Publication

Mary Horne, Hugh Hicks Horne, Mary Ellis Horne Woody, Pvt. Jimmie Don Horne, Flora Nettie Tinsley, and George Olen Horne ..... Defendants

The object of this suit is to subject Lot No. 10 in Block No. 8 in the town of Pennington Gap, Va., to the payment of certain debts owing by L. L. Horne, at time of his death, and for funeral expenses.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendants, Hugh Hicks Horne, Mary Ellis Horne Woody, Pvt. Jimmie Don Horne and George Olen Horne are non-residents of the State of Virginia, and their last known address is Hugh Hicks Horne, 299 Leonard Street, Bristol, Tenn.; Mary Ellis Horne Woody, 39 Halsey Drive, Dayton, Ohio; Pvt. Jimmie Don Horne, P A S. N 44120192, Co. A, 14th P N, 4th Regiment, Camp Gordon, Ga.; and George Olen Horne, Corner Haynes St. and 7th Ave., Bristol, Tenn., it is ordered that they appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to each of the defendants at their last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:

D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk

By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.

p. q. L. M. Robinette.

Adv. 29-4t.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 26th day of June, 1945

Oma Napier Martin Complainant

vs. Order of Publication

Clifford Martin Defendant

The object of the suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on the ground of desertion and abandonment for the statutory period. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Clifford Martin, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address is Harlan, Kentucky, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:

D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.

By: CHARLES N HAWS, D.C.

p. q. L. M. Robinette.

Adv. No. 26-4t.

A LOCAL LADY SPIT UP ACID LIQUIDS FOR HOURS AFTER EATING

For hours after every meal, a Pennington Gap lady used to spit up a strong, acidulous liquid mixed with pieces of half-digested food. She says it was awful. At times she would nearly strangle. She had stomach bloat, daily headaches and constant irregular bowel action. Today, this lady eats her meals and enjoys them. And she says the change is due to taking ERB-HELP. No gas, bloat or spitting up after eating. She is also free of headaches now, and bowels are regular, thanks to this Remarkable New Compound. ERB-HELP. Sold by all Drug Herbs; they cleanse bowels, clear gas from stomach, act on sluggish liver and kidneys. Miserable people soon feel different all over. So don't go on suffering! Get ERBB HELP. Sold by all Drug Stores here in Lee County.

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Rev. George J. Creswell Is Awarded D.D. Degree

Rev. George J. Creswell, pastor of the Second Methodist Church in Knoxville, will henceforth be "Dr. Creswell". The honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity was conferred upon him by Maryville College, at Maryville, Tenn., at the June Commencement.

Dr. Creswell is known as the longest term pastor in the Holston Conference, having served the Knoxville post for 25 years. He established himself in the high esteem of the people of Pennington Gap and community when he held a two-weeks' revival here in April.

First Christian Church

Sunday, July 22: Bible School at 10:00 a. m., H. O. Hines, Supt. Worship with communion at 10:45. Sermon subject: "Strength and Courage."

Christian Endeavors meet at 6:30 p. m.

Choir rehearsal Wednesday at 7:00 p. m., followed by mid-week prayer service at 7:30.

Coming events of importance: Powell Valley Youth Rally, July 29, at Mt. Olivet Church, Rose Hill, Va.; Powell Valley Convention, August 18 and 19, at Union Christian Church, Pennington Gap, R. F. D.

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Eight passenger road locomotives, costing $1,400,000, have just been received. On order are 28 aluminum, streamlined, ultra-modern passenger cars, costing about $2,400,000.

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News From
BENEDICT

Mrs. Ellis Lynn and daughters, Leora and Shirley, visited relatives at Harriman, Tenn., last week.

Mrs. Jim Holman and daughter, June, visited in T. J., Ky., last week with Mrs. Lizzie Johnson and family.

Mrs. Geneva Hughes and little daughter, Ginger, of Virginia-Lee, spent last week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sturgill and family.

Thord Hall, of the U. S. Navy, was visiting relatives and friends here last week-end.

Sgt. Joe Livesay, of the U. S. Army, and brother, Henry Livesay, of Jonesville, spent Sunday here with relatives and friends. Sgt. Livesay is just back from Germany, after several months' service. He was also visiting his sister, Mrs. Fred Thompson, and family last week.

Pfc. Darnell Honeycutt, of the U. S. Army, visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bryant here Sunday.

Mrs. Bonnie Sturgill and daughter, Lois Jean, visited relatives at Monarch, Thursday.

Pfc. Silas Cox, of the U. S. Army, is home on furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Cox, and family. Pfc. Cox has just returned from Germany.

Pfc. Homer Kennedy, of the U. S. Army, also from Germany, is at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Kennedy.

News From
HUNTER'S GAP

Mary Lou Russell, Co.

Mrs. Hoozie Collins and brother-in-law, Clyde, spent last Sunday with H. P. Russell and family.

Mrs. Martha Collins and daughter spent Thursday night with Mrs. Henry Edwards.

Junior Russell, Milliam Lawson and L. H. Fisher, all of Blackwater, were visiting H. P. Russell and family recently.

R. C. Watson was in Big Stone Gap on business Saturday.

Mrs. R. C. Watson spent last Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Eliza Seabolt.

Roe Parkey visited Mr. and Mrs. John Seabolt and family, Sunday.

WANTED TO BUY

One medium size Iron Safe and one adding machine. Postmaster, Leona Mines, Va.

Adv. No. 29-3t

New G.&P. Area Manager

John F. Ruppert

John F. Ruppert has been appointed area manager of the Norton area, according to an announcement by J. Robertson, district commercial manager of the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company of Virginia, at Roanoke. Mr. Ruppert succeeds Walter F. O'Brien, who will assume new duties as plant wire chief at Roanoke.

A native of Washington, D. C., Mr Ruppert attended George Washington University in that city and joined the telephone family as a clerk at Washington in 1924. In 1929 he was transferred to Richmond and progressed through assignments of increasing responsibility in the plant department at Richmond until 1942, when he became manager of the company's operations at Pulaski. Mr. Ruppert brings to the Norton assignment a wide experience in various phases of telephone operations. The Norton area comprises 12 exchanges extending from Honaker to Jonesville, with headquarters at Norton.

While in Pulaski, Mr. Ruppert was a member of the Rotary Club and the Chamber of Commerce, and was active in Red Cross and Community Fund Drives and other civic activities.

News From
KLOMEE

Staff Sgt. Arthur Barker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Barker, has returned to the States and is now spending a furlough here with his parents and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Vivian Barnes, of California, are visiting her mother, Mrs. Moran Bush.

Lt. James Gates, who has been serving overseas, is spending a leave with his wife here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wolfe and small daughter, Charlotte, spent the week-end with relatives in Clinchport.

Miss Hazel Arnette has returned home after a two weeks' stay with relatives in Alabama.

Miss Geraldine Maxfield had as her guest last week Miss Helen Maxfield, of Big Stone Gap.

Miss June Clarkston, who is employed at Kingsport, visited homefolk and relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen, of Marion, Va., were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. George King.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Craft and daughters, Lorene and Vivian, and Pvt. and Mrs. George Wilder, Jr., enjoyed a fishing trip on Holston River, Saturday.

Naval Aviation V-5 Program Again Open

The Office of Naval Officer Procurement, 1320 "G" Street, N. W., Washington, D. C., has announced that young men will have another opportunity to apply for the Naval aviation preparatory (V-5) program.

Successful candidates will be enlisted immediately and assigned to inactive duty until November 1, 1945, when they will be called to active duty and ordered to Navy V-12 college units for one, two or three college terms of four months each, depending upon the individual's educational background and the needs of the service. Upon successful completion of the Naval aviation preparatory training they will be transferred to the status of aviation cadet, class V-5, for flight training. Young men who complete the entire course will receive their wings and will be commissioned ensigns in the Naval Air Corps.

Civilian applicants must have reached their seventeenth but not eighteenth birthday at time of enlistment. Former Army Air Corps enlisted reserve personnel must not reach their nineteenth birthday before November 1 to be eligible to apply. All applicants must have graduated or be currently enrolled in the last semester of an accredited high school or secondary school with expectation of graduation on or before October 1, 1945, or be in attendance at an accredited college or university. There is no limitation on the number of college semesters.

Since the number of candidates who may be enlisted for the November 1 quota is limited, interested young men are urged to contact the above named office immediately.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 3rd day of July, 1945.

George Ellis Burchett
..... Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Amanda Sizemore Burchett
..... Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce A Vinculo Matrimonii upon grounds of adultery. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Amanda Sizemore Burchett, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address is Wallens Creek, Kentucky, it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p. q. Guy A. Kauffman.
Adv. No. 27-4t.

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With Our Service Men

In Unit Plaque Citation

The meritorious service Unit Plaque has been awarded to the ordnance battalion of which Technician Grade Five Joseph C. Smiddy is a member. Mrs. Joseph C. Smiddy, Jr., Cpl. Smiddy's wife, resides at Rose Hill, and his parents reside at Jellico, Tenn.

Cited for "superior performance and the achievement and maintenance of a high standard of professional military efficiency", the unit was presented the award by Major General Maxwell J. Murray, South Pacific base commander.

With Red Arrow Division

Pvt. Oscar Woliver, husband of Mrs. Zettie Woliver, of Pennington Gap, has arrived in the Philippines and has been assigned to the famed 32nd (Red Arrow) Infantry Division.

Pvt. Woliver, who will serve in Company F of the Division's crack 128th Infantry Regiment, entered the Army in October, 1944, and left the U. S. for overseas duty in May, 1945.

Chases The Japs

Pfc. James Reynolds, son of Mrs. Flossie Reynolds, of Route 3, Jonesville, Va., serving with the 32nd Infantry Division in Northern Luzon, participated in a cross-country chase and helped annihilate four Japs who had infiltrated the American defense lines on Luzon.

A rifleman in the 32nd Red Arrow Division, Reynolds was performing routine duties in a rear area when he learned of a Jap patrol which was seen in the vicinity. Reynolds and seven comrades immediately set out to search for the enemy.

They hadn't gone very far when they were fired upon. The Yanks dived for cover and took up the fight, forcing the Nips to withdraw. Reynolds and his buddies, intent upon eliminating the intruders, started after the enemy. For the next two hours they followed the Nips closely, crossing waist-deep streams and man-high kunai grass fields.

"It was a long hot chase," they said, "but well worth it. They often stopped to toss grenades at us, but we all came through without a scratch. They weren't so lucky - we killed four."

Reynolds has been in the Army since December, 1942. He holds the Silver Star, the Purple Heart, the Combat Infantryman Badge with three battle stars, the Philippine Liberation ribbon, and the Good Conduct Medal.

Daredevil Parachute Jumpers Signed By Fair

Flying Aliens To Make Spectacular Sky Jumps On Monday, Labor Day

The nation's biggest balloon ascension has been scheduled to come to the Lee County Fair on Labor Day, Monday, September 3. The Flying Aliens, of New York, have been signed to do two jumps from the sky over the fair grounds.

They will go up in parachutes drawn by one of the largest balloons in the nation, which is 72 feet in height, not including the 'chutes and other paraphernalia.

Mr. Allen, "the man 100 years old", will do the first jump from miles up. He doesn't strap himself in the parachute as the rules require—he just steps in across a bar and yells, "Here I go!" When cutting loose so high in the sky he looks like a midget. He falls a long way before his 'chute opens; then he come riding leisurely on down to earth or a mountain top, the balloon following along behind.

His actress daughter, who is sweet sixteen, is planning to make her first jump here. Like an older sister of the family, who is an erpert jumper, she wants to get into the business and thinks Lee County would be a good place to start.

Mr. Allen may also make an extra jump, taking up with him a large cannon from which he is shot while two or three miles up. He sails through the air like a bomb, then suddenly his 'chute opens and he comes back to earth unhurt. The cannon rides back to the ground with the balloon.

Local Girl Winner In Contest At Walter Reed

Seaman 1-C. Lena Skaggs, of Pennington Gap, was one of the three lucky winners in a talent contest which included a musical program at Walter Reed Hospital in Washington, D. C., Sunday June 17.

The program was made up of popular songs, with a little comedy added, and was broadcast over Station WWDC. The contest was sponsored by Mortons, of Washington, for the entertainment of patients at Walter Reed.

Seaman Skaggs is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Skaggs, of Pennington Gap. She enlisted in the WAVES in April, 1944.

Super Gravy!

A dinner guest in a Virginian home was telling his host how to prepare a ham that would be even better than the famous Virginia ham.

"Place the ham in a deep pan," said the guest, "and for one whole day soak it in rye whiskey and then cook just a little while. The second day ad da bottle of Jamaica rum, and cook a while. The second day add a bottle of port wine and on the fourth day a botte of bourbon."

The host turned to his Negro cook, who had been standing by and listening with great interest, and asked:

"Virgie, what do you think of that?"

"Ah don't know 'bout de hahn," she said, "but it sho' do sound like de makin's of mighty good gravy!"

Marriage contracts should be equipped with non-skid chains and shock absorbers to keep them out of court.

CHECK CLEARS COOPERATIVE'S INDEBTEDNESS

General Manager W. G. Wysor

The check for $100,000 which W. G. Wysor, general manager of Southern States Cooperative, is signing completes the payment of all the organization's bank indebtedness, the payment being made two years before it was due. Following the signing, Mr. Wysor exchanged the check with S. M. Thomson, president of the Baltimore Bank for Cooperatives, for the cooperative's note. The ceremony took place at the John Marshall Hotel, Richmond, Va., at a meeting of the directors and a number of the executives of Southern States. This is the first time in its 22-year history that Southern States has been free of long-term indebtedness.

"The cooperative serves 178,000 farmer-members in Virginia, West Virginia, Kentucky, Maryland, and Delaware," Dr. T. K. Wolfe, of Richmond, an official of the organization, said. "These farmers, practically all of them small farmers, have, through an investment of less than $50 on the average, financed and own and operate in their own interest feed mills, fertilizer plants, and seed and farm supply warehouses. By pooling their resources and working together voluntarily these farmers have been able to control quality and cost of farm supplies needed by them in the production of food for America and the world. It is through cooperative action and operating efficiency that they have been able to eliminate indebtedness. This will make for still greater effectiveness and efficiency and make it possible for the organization to improve and expand its program in the interest of members."

Boy Scouts To Camp On High Knob Soon

Pennington Gap Boy Scout Troop and their leader, Claude Grace, are not complaining so much about the hot weather—they're too busy looking forward to a week in the high, dry and cool atmosphere of High Knob, near Norton.

They plan to leave about the 29th, Mr. Grace Said, and will spend a week in camp.

Methodist Church

Sunday morning, July 22nd: Church School at 9:30, Clyde M. Kirk, Supt. Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon by the pastor. Special music: "Come Where the Lillies Bloom", by mixed quartette.

Evening: Young People's Groups meet at 6:30. Evening worship at 7:30. Sermon by pastor.

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Charlie D. Mehaffey, Pastor.

4-H'ers to Check Hazards During 2nd National Farm Safety Week, July 22-29

The 4-H Clubs, largest rural youth organization in the United States, will check accident hazards during the second annual Farm Safety Week, July 22-29.

These rural youth are being urged to place special emphasis during that period upon removing home and farm-work hazards which lead to falls and burns. These causes result in the death of 11,500 farm persons annually.

The boys' and girls' safety achievements during the week will be credited to their record in the National 4-H Farm Safety Activity. Honor awards in that program are provided by General Motors on county, state, sectional and national levels. These awards comprise medals, $25 War Bonds, National 4-H Club Congress honors, and $200 college scholarships.

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—Thomus Jefferson.

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THE SEVENTH CROSS
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THIS MAN'S NAVY
—starring—
WALLACE BEERY

Friday and Saturday, July 27 - 28
DOUBLE FEATURE
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To Whom It May Concern

By:

W. I. Jones

GREATER THAN PARTY

It is time now for every patriotic citizen to give careful study to platforms and personalities. Soon the war will be over. The fighting will cease but there will be problems which every citizen must face. To keep our country headed along tried paths we will have to consider country above party and vote for men who will carry out their party pledges. These are some of the problems which will challenge us for years to come:

1. How many troops will we keep abroad to police Germany and Japan, and for how long?
2. How much in men, weapons and finance will we put into the peace enforcement organization?
3. How far is the Government to go in taking over private business?
4. To what extent will we permit this country to be Russianized?
5. How can we best pay off the biggest public debt in history and not tax people and business to death?
6. Finding a formula that will enable Capital and Labor to get along in peace.
7. "Solving" the agricultural problem.
8. Releasing the country from the prison of pressive, bribery and corruption.

It is too much to expect that all of these will have the right solution, but patriotic consideration will help.

Before marriage it is bill and coo—after marriage mostly bills are due.

Keokee Soldier Plays Baseball In Trinidad

Trinidad, B. W. I. — Private First Class William R. Flannary, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Flannary, of Keokee, Va., in an important position as air passenger clerk at the ATC base here, is also one of the key players on the ATC baseball team, 1945 champs of Trinidad.

Pfc. Flannary, who cut his baseball teeth with the Keokee High nine, did the back-stopping for the Flyers in 23 games. Second heaviest hitter on the club, swatting to the tune of .415 average, he garnered 42 base blows in 101 trips to the plate.

The Flyers, in winning the Island championship, romped off with the remarkable record of 23 victories out of 26 visits to the diamond.

Pfc. Flannary is playing an important part in the Green Project, redeployment of military personnel from Europe to the States. More than 250 C-47 transport planes stationed at Trinidad are moving 29,000 men per month from Natal, Brazil, to Miami, Fla.

Before entering the service Pfc. Flannary occupied his time as an aircraft riveter. He is credited with 20 months overseas and wears the American theater ribbon.

Two more of the Flannary family, Pvt. Ballard and Pvt. Dexter T., are also serving in the Army Air Forces.

When Mr Wood married Miss Cole the fuel problem was solved. They made it hot for each other.

GOLD STAR SOLDIER

Pvt. Carl E. Reasor

Pvt. Carl E. Reasor, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. I. Reasor, Sr., of Pennington Gap, was killed in action on Leyte, October 25th, 1944, according to the message which came from Adjutant General Edward F. Witsell, of the War Department, to his parents today.

Pvt. Reasor was first reported missing October 25, and the telegram stated that a letter would follow explaining the long delay in the information concerning his death.

He was inducted into the Army on March 31, 1943. At that time he was employed in a defense plant at Kingsport. He was a former student of Pennington High School.

Pvt. Reasor is survived by the parents, three sisters, Mrs. Mildred Goins, Peggy Ann and Norma Joe Reasor, at home; four brothers, T. I., Jr., of Knoxville; Billy F., Glenn R., and Scotty, at home.

Pasture Management Increases Yields

Good management of permanent pastures increases the amount of grazing in a field and increases the protein content of the feed, thus resulting in larger total gains of beef or milk per acre.

R. C. Carter, county agent for Lee County, suggests four major points to achieve better pasture yields. First, in the spring pasture should not be grazed until the grasses are about 6 to 8 inches high

Second, do not overgraze the pastures, especially during long dry periods in the summer, as this reduces the total amount of land available for grazinz. Temporary grazing crops, such as soybeans, cowpeas, and Sudan grass may be used during dry periods when the pasture grasses become tough and low in grazing value

Third, keep down weeds by two or three mowings of the pasture during the summer months. Weeds reduce the yield of grasses and compete with them for water during the dry periods.

Fourth, fertilize the pastures to stimulate the growth of legumes and grasses and increase the total amount of grazing. When legumes are included in the permanent pasture seeding mixtures, they help to produce more grass.

Permanent pastures and temporary grazing crops, where the animals gather their own feed, furnish much cheaper feed than ordinary feed crops and they should be included on even the smallest farm.

DOWN ON THE FARM

(Continued from page 1)

First: In this humid climate there is a lack of two leachable minerals—calcium and potash, on which alfalfa virtually lives. Limestone must be applied until the Ph ranges 6 or more for red clover and decidedly higher for alfalfa, while 200 to 300 lbs. per acre of muriate of potash is needed for seeding and a like amount added each season to keep up the stand; 500 pounds 20% phosphate, together with 20 pounds borax per acre is also needed. Liberal applications of barnyard manure reinforced with phosphate will pay liberal returns.

Second: Location and soil type is also of great importance. My demonstration extends over land ranging from abandoned clay by a former owner because it would not produce a profitable crop, to rich loam and sag land that produced 75 to 80 bushels corn. On the clay abandoned by a former owner because it would not produce a profitblae crop, the alfalfa produced 2 tons or more per cutting three or four cuttings per season, while the sags have little or no alfalfa. Seeding with a nurse crop is also dangerous. If you have a light stand of small grain which does not lodge you might succeed, but lodging is sure to ruin your stand.

Third: Seeding with 3 or 4 pounds orchard grass per acre secures better open field curing, while if you cure much alfalfa in this humid climate consult your county agent and install air curing method in your barns Some add a like amount of timothy, but the timothy is soon ruined because of early cutting.

Let me say for the third time, if you want to grow alfalfa, the cheapest known protein on your farm, consult your County Agent.

WINS SCHOLARSHIP

James C. Hearon

James C. Hearon, 18, graduate of Middlesboro High School this year, is the winner of a four-year scholarship at Lincoln Memorial University, given by the Lions Club of Middlesboro, Ky. "Jimmie" is the son of Mrs. Charline Hearon, of West Cumberland Ave., Middlesboro. The scholarship given by the Lions Club is awarded on the basis of character, scholarship, and merit. The student to receive the award was selected by a committee composed of Prof. Case Thomason, Superintendent of Middlesboro Schools; Prof. Raymond Sliney, principal of the Junior High School, and Coach C. W. Bradley, of Lincoln Memorial University. The scholarship consists of $150.00 a year for four years.

Local Boys In The News

In Thursday's issue of the Knoxville News-Sentinel, Cpl. Harold L. Parsons, of Pennington Gap, is pictured aboard a Coast Guard-manned troop transport Cpl. Parsons was returning from Europe, a casualty, being wounded in the ankle, but the big smile in the picture indicated he was improving.

Also, in the July 18 issue of the Bristol Herald-Courier, Staff Sgt. Hubert J. Roberts, of Pennington Gap, is mentioned as one of the 6,083 American troops arriving at Hampton Roads Port of Embarkation, aboard the Mt. Vernon.

Farm Loans Association Will Reduce Loan Fees

The board of directors of the Lee County National Farm Loan Association at Jonesville, recently voted to substantially reduce its fees in connection with loans made through the Federal Land Bank at Baltimore. Mr. F. E. Stewart, secretary-treasurer of the association, stated that the action taken eliminates entirely the application fee heretofore charged when an application is filed and the association's fee in connection with the closing of the loan has been reduced from one percent to one-half of one percent. He also explained that the Federal Land Bank has agreed to eliminate all of its fees in connection with these loans.

"This action by our association," said Mr. Stewart, "is another step in our endeavor to make cooperation long-term farm credit more attractive to the many good farmers in Lee County."

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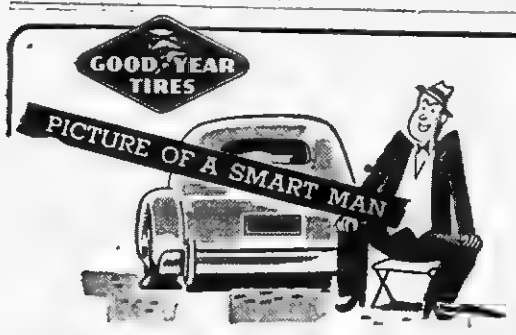

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News From
OAK HILL

(Week of July 12)

Mrs. Lee Gilliam and children, Glen and Ruth, of Norton, Va., and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Wheeler and children, of Kingsport, Tenn., were visiting their aunt, Hannah Newberry, Sunday, July 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Lambert have been called to Baltimore, where their son, Wright, is in a hospital seriously ill.

Mrs. Marvin Gillenwater and son, James, were in Pennington Gap, Friday.

Lt. Tyler Rasnic has returned to California after a 30-day leave with his mother and friends.

Seaman and Mrs. Lloyd Light, of Kingsport, Tenn., were visiting Mrs. Light's mother, Mrs. Lizzie Munsey, Wednesday.

Haburn Davis is at home now, having been discharged under the point system.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hall, of New York, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Newberry, Saturday

Pfc. David Gillenwater writes his mother that he is getting along fine and hopes to be home by December. He is stationed in Southern France with the 15th Army.

Revs. Ray Davis, George Gibson and Tobe Davis delivered some very interesting sermons at Livingstone Chapel, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lambert and family and Mr. and Mrs. Junior Bledsoe were visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Johnson, of Miller's Chapel, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Creekmore, of Poor Valley, attending baptismal services at Livingston's Chapel Sunday.

Mrs. Ed Davis, of Woodway, was visiting her mother, Mrs. Marvin Lambert, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Williams and family, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Jones and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ozro Gibson and family were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Jones, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Vaughan, of Lynchburg, Va., have been guests recently of Charles Munsey, of this place. They also visited Mrs. Mary Spears, of Stickleyville.

Mrs. Mac Aultice, formerly Miss Euna Lambert, Lynchburg, Va., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Lambert, and other relatives here recently.

A large crowd attended preaching and baptismal services at Livingston's Chapel, Sunday afternoon, July 8th.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Lambert have returned from Baltimore, where they were called on account of the serious illness of their son, Wright, who had undergone a major operation. They also visited their other sons, Fred, in Baltimore, and Clarence, of Lynchburg, and a son-in-law, Ray Crawford, of Lynchburg.

News From
OCOONITA

(Week of July 12)

Orville Oaks, of the U. S. Navy, is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Oaks.

Miss Imogene Hinkle underwent a tonsilectomy at Lee General Hospital last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Fleenor, of Mason, Ohio, are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs Basil Hurron and little son, of Charlotte, N. C., spent last week with Mr Hurron's father, Claude Hurron. Basil was given a discharge from the Army under the point system after serving for five years. Thirty-one months of this time was spent overseas.

Mrs. C. S. Fleenor underwent a tonsilectomy at Lee General Hospital last Thursday.

Miss Zenia Hurron, who is employed at Oak Ridge, spent the week-end with her father, Claude Hurron, and family.

Several from here attended the funeral of Mrs. Edna Grable at Bethel last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs Herbert Smith and family visited Ewing Statzer and family at Big Stone Gap, Sunday

Kenneth Lamb, of Indiana, visited his sister, Mrs. Bertha Burton, here last week

Charles P. Mullens, who has been employed in Baltimore, Md., has returned to his home here to spend the summer.

Rev. and Mrs Kester Greene and little son, of Pennington Gap, were supper guests of Mr and Mrs Ernest Oaks, Monday.

Willis Krick, with the U. S. Army, stationed in North Carolina, is spending a two-weeks' furlough here with his wife and little son, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Caner Johnson

Mrs. Dora Mae Gibson and children and Mrs. Mary Carroll were visiting their brother, Ed Gilbert, and family, in St. Charles last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hartley and children, of Ben Hur, and Mrs. Julia Hartley, of Pennington Gap, visited Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Pridemore here last Sunday.

John Rose and family, of West Virginia, with his son, E. J., who is on furlough from the Navy, were visiting friends and relatives here last week.

Miss Bonine Ingle spent the past week with her brother, Melvin Ingle, and family of Benedict.

News From
POOR VALLEY

Billy Ray Mullins and Walter Derry got quite a scare last week, when they happened upon a bear while getting out extract wood in the mountains.

Mrs. Duskie Greene has been ill of tonsilitis for the past week.

Pfc. Dean Ferge, of Camp Gordon, Ga., was visiting relatives here the past week.

Mrs. Mary Parsons and children, George and Ora, made a business trip to town, Tuesday.

Willard Parsons has accepted a position near Knoxville and plans to move there soon.

Mrs. Johnnie Lee McFarland and son, Larry, and Miss Allie McFarland are visiting Pvt. Kermit Ed McFarland, at Fort Bragg, N. C.

Mrs. Lillie Houston and son, Edwin, of Indiana, are spending their vacation with Mrs. Houston's grandmother, Mrs. Mary Livingston.

Elmer Greene was trading in Pennington, Saturday.

Mrs. Jane Baker Adams and daughter, Mrs. Bonnie Thomas, of Robbins Chapel, attended the singing convention at Valley View Church, Sunday.

NOTICE

To Whom It May Concern:

I am not responsible for any debts made by anyone except myself

Signed:
D. H. LIVESAY,
841 Park Ave.,
Baltimore, Md.

Adv. No. 28-4t pd.

News From
DRY BRANCH
By Edith Astrop

Misses Geneva Hyden and Pauline Shell, of Woodway, spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. Chilton Edens last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Parsons and family were shopping in Pennington, Tuesday.

Billy Astrop, Mrs. A. P. Cox and son, Danny; Mrs. Edith Astrop and children, Juanita and Kent, attended a movie at Lee Theatre, Monday night.

Several from this community attended singing convention at Valley View Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Milford McCracken and family, of V.I.C., were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Day and family, Sunday.

Certification of Divorce

This is to certify that Mr. Happynear D. Greatwinn, of Route 4, Jonesville, Va., was granted a divorce from Miss Golden Barker, of St. Charles, Va., on the 2nd day of May, 1945, by the Circuit Court of Lee County, Va. Decree recorded in the Clerk's Office of Lee County in Chancery Order Book No. 17, at page 90.

Adv. No. 28-4t pd.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Parsons and family, of Verda, Ky., are spending their vacation with relatives on Dry Branch and at Seminary.

Miss Margaret Bailey, Virginia Merchant, Everett and Tommy Bailey, Edith, Juanita and Kent Astrop were shopping in town Saturday.

Danny Cox spent Thursday of last week at Bonny Blue.

H. R. Shufflebarger is fully equipped for the fishing season, having made a new boat and anchored it in Powell River.

Misses Geneva Hyden, Pauline Shell and Mrs. Vernell Edens attended a movie at Lee Theatre, Saturday.

Mrs. Georgia Edens and children, Gerald, Francis and Charlotte, were dinner guests of Mrs. Mary Parsons, of Poor Valley, recently.

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First National Bank

Appalachia, Virginia

JUNE 30, 1945

RESOURCES

Cash in Vault and on Deposit with other Banks	$1,414,562.23
U. S. Government Securities	3,050,221.75
Other Bonds and Securities	17,200.00
Overdrafts	248.50
Loans	1,099,660.16
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	46,002.52
Real Estate Owned	6,644.25
Other Assets	118.49
	$5,634,657.90

LIABILITIES

Capital	$ 100,000.00
Surplus	200,000.00
Undivided Profits	63,208.92
Reserves	75,206.05
Deposits	5,196,242.93
	$5,634,657.90

Real Estate For Sale

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Nice, new six-room dwelling and 20 acres of good land; water in the house, gravity. Two miles west of Pennington Gap. Good price for quick sale.

80 Acres, all good land, on Highway No. 58; nice 5-room house, new tobacco barn, all crops; two miles south of Woodway. No better land anywhere. Possession at once.

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T. C. Barlow

With Our Service Men

Coming Home

Pfc. Otto M. Ledford, Jonesville, Va., is returning home from the Fifth Army's 85th Custer Division in Italy, with an adjusted service rating score of 98.

Ledford entered the Army on October 15, 1940, and after coming to Italy was assigned on Jan. 21, 1945, as a rifleman in Co. K, 339th Infantry Regiment. His mother, Mrs. Effie Ledford, resides in Jonesville.

Helps Make Good Record

Billie G. Ledford, gunner's mate third class, of Jonesville, Va., fights aboard the USS Fletcher in the Pacific, a destroyer which has piled up a great war record while battling Japanese ships, planes and submarines over 200,000 miles of the Western Pacific.

Her guns have downed 11 Jap planes and helped destroy eight others. The Fletcher has sunk a cruiser, assisted in sinking another, and heavily damaged two destroyers. She has sunk one submarine and is credited with the probable sinking of another. She has rescued more than 1,000 survivors from five stricken ships, five planes and a submarine. Throughout her eleven star campaigns, the Fletcher has taken part in three surface engagements with the Japs, been in 31 separate anti-aircraft actions, five anti-submarine attacks and 16 major shore bombardments.

Timberwolf At Rose Hill

Keith A. Bonham, who wife, Mrs. Rita Lee Bonham, resides at Rose Hill, is at home on furlough. While fighting with the Timberwolf Division he participated in the German campaigns, and was awarded the Good Conduct and E.T.O. ribbons with one battle star.

Survive Battle of Okinawa

Damon G. Lyttle, turret captain first class, whose wife resides at St. Charles, and Charles R. Corbin, coxswain, of Route 1, Pennington Gap, came through the battle of Okinawa aboard the battleship USS New York, in the Pacific, without a scratch, helping fire more than five million pounds of shells at enemy targets

This tonnage exceeds that fired by all ships combined during the invasion bombardments of Tarawa or Makin, Roi Namur or Eniwetok. The New York celebrated her 31st birthday during the battle. The only capital ship to stay on the job without relief, she kept her 14-inch and 5-inch guns steadily firing salvos at island targets.

Awarded Bronze Star

Pfc. John C. Lambert, Jonesville, serving with the Fifth Army in Italy, recently was awarded the Bronze Star for meritorious service in combat in Italy.

He served during the Fifth Army's campaign in the 31st "Spearhead" Regiment of the 88th "Blue Devil" Division, commanded by Major General Paul W. Kendall. Lambert's mother, Mrs. Bertha Lambert, resides in Jonesville.

"Mopping Up" On Okinawa

Technician Fourth Grade Clint Childress, Jonesville, and Technician Fifth Grade Arthur N. Caylor, of Pennington Gap, are now serving with the "Lions" combat engineers, under command of Lt. Col. Harold P. Gormsen, mopping up on Northern Okinawa.

This is the second operation for T.-4 Childress, and the third for T.-5 Caylor, whose units were instrumental in helping to get Major General Geo. W. Griner's "Tokyo Express" under way in its big push toward Naha, capital of Okinawa.

Helps Find Hostages

Pfc. Eugene Johnson, son of Mrs. Mandy P. Johnson, of St. Charles, is a member of the 2nd battalion of the 339th "Polar Bear" Regiment, which discovered 133 political hostages in an isolated Italian Alpine camp in the Fifth Army sector.

Most of the hostages had been prisoners of the Gestapo for as long as eight years. According to their testimony, they were to have been put to death on the arrival of the Americans, since it was believed some of them had been executed long before. Among them were Kurt Schuschnigg, Leon Blum, Martin Niemoller, Dr. Hjalmar Schacht and Fritz Thyssen.

Led by Garabaldi, Partisan leader who had just escaped from the camp, men from the 2nd battalion climbed the snow-covered Dolomite Alps and surrounded the camp at dawn. The surprised German garrison surrendered without having had a chance to fire a shot.

Boot and Wings

For Pfc. Dean

Pfc. Lawrence Dean, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Dean, of Pennington Gap, has won the right to wear "boots and wings" of the United States Army Paratroops. He has just completed four weeks of jump training, during which time he made five jumps, including a tactical jump at night involving a combat problem on landing.

Jumping at the parachute school has steadily developed to a recognized war science. American paratroopers have been recognized througrout the world for their meritorious action against the enemy.

Order Of Circuit Court Of Lee County, Virginia

In the Circuit Court of Lee County, Virginia, in Recess at Appalachia, Virginia, on the 2nd day of May, 1945.

This matter came on this day to be heard upon the petition of Happy David Winn Griffith for the purpose of changing his name as hereinafter shown; and was argued by counsel.

And it appearing unto the Court from the petition that Happy David Winn Griffith was christened in infancy as Harry David Griffith and that thereafter in the State of Tennessee, his name was changed by order of the Court to Happy David Winn Griffith, and that now it is the desire of the petitioner to again change his name to Happynear Duepointt Greatwinn.

And it appearing further unto the Court that the petitioner is thirty-seven years of age and has lived in Lee County since he was two years of age, and in addition to the said petition motion has been made to change said name as aforesaid, the Court doth therefore change the name of the petitioner, Happy David Winn Griffith to Happynear Duepointt Greatwinn; by which said latter name he shall hereafter be known; and it is so adjudged, ordered and decreed.

GEORGE MORTON, Judge.

To D. C. Sewell, Jr., Clerk:
Enter this decree on the 2nd day of May, 1945.

George Morton, Judge

A Copy Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
Adv. No. 27-4t.

First Baptist Church

Sunday morning, July 22nd: Sunday School at 9:30, A. T. Burchette, Supt. Morning worship at 10:45. In the absence of the pastor a visiting minister will occupy the pulpit.

Evening: Training Unions meet at 6:30. Preaching at 7:30 by visiting minister.

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

P. R. Stubbs, Pastor.

Wise County Fair To Be Held Again This Year

According to an announcement released today by Carlos Williams, secretary, a Wise County Fair is to be held again this year. Mr. Williams states that the grounds have been secured, and that plans are under way for another big fair.

John Stout, formerly driver for the A. C. Smith Bus Line, is now employed by the Southeastern Greyhound Lines, and left Monday to attend their school in Knoxville, Tenn.

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Social and Personal

You'll be sorry if you miss seeing "God Is My Co-pilot", showing at Lee Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, Aug. 6 - 7.

Writes For Magazines

Mrs. P. R. Ball and children, Dorothy, George and Nancy, of Haysi, Va., visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Sage, of Stickleyville, over the week-end, and also spent some time Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. Etta Green. Mrs. Ball formerly taught in Lee County public schools, and is now a member of the faculty at Haysi. In the meantime she is devoting much interest to the writing of magazine articles. Two of her manuscripts were published in June, one in "The Southern Messenger" and the other in a State Highway magazine. Also her articles have appeared in various other publications.

MOMM 1-C. Orville J. Oaks left Saturday for Newport News, Va., after spending a few days' furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Oaks, at Ocoonita.

Frances Leonard and Johnnie Spencer, of Bristol, spent last week-end with Wilma Bowman

Mrs. B. F. Speck, Oak Ridge, Tenn., spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Bowman.

Miss Ernestine Orr, of Hiram, Ky., a recent graduate of a Knoxville school of beauty culture, has accepted a position in Lillie's Beauty Shoppe, and has taken a room at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Halstead, Sr.

Cpl. and Mrs. C. L. Grabeel, of Palm Springs, Calif., arrived here last Friday for a furlough visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Grabeel and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smith. Also visiting at the Smith home are Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Dize, of Belle Haven, Va. Mrs. Dize was formerly Miss Marie Smith, and the couple were married in June.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Q. Roller, of Harlingen, Texas, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Shelburne and friends in Pennington Gap, and relatives on Wallens Creek. The Rollers formerly resided here.

Miss Floravista McKinnon is visiting relatives in Bristol.

Mrs. Bob Marcee and two sons, of Elizabethtown, Ky., have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Meade, and other relatives here. Mrs. Marcee's husband, Capt. Bob Marcee, is now in foreign service on Okinawa.

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Tech. Sgt. and Mrs. Bill Chapman are visiting Mrs. Chapman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Zack Flanary. Sgt. Chapman returned from England last week, where he had been stationed for the past nineteen months. Mrs. Chapman is the former Miss Amy Flanary.

Glenn Harber, Dayton, Ohio, is spending his vacation here with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stewart and son, E. Howard, are visiting relatives in Tennessee this week.

Haline Goins is visiting relatives in Churchill, Tenn.

Cpl. and Mrs. Dainer Marcum visited Mrs. Marcum's aunt, Mrs Olin Massengill, and family this week.

Pvt. Paul Burns is at home for 30 days before going to the Pacific. Pvt. Burns is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Burns. He has been serving in the infantry in Germany, France and Belgium.

Misses Edna Ruth and Mary Bailey, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., visited their mother, Mrs. E. L. Bailey, last week.

Mrs. Gerald Gent and son, Jerry, of Kingsport, Tenn., spent a few days last week with her mother, Mrs. Lillie Carter.

Boots Richards, of L. M. U., spent last week-end with home folks. She had as her guest a classmate, Miss Ines McCullough.

Mrs. Iris Hughes Cooney, of Dayton, Ohio, spent last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bailey and daughter, Judy, Kingsport, Tenn., visited Mr. Bailey's mother, Mrs. E. L. Bailey, last week.

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On First Camping Trip

Three eleven-year-old Pennington Gap boys left Wednesday on their first camping trip. They will spend two weeks at Ben Lippen Camp at Asheville, N. C. The boys are: Jummy Kelly, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cowles Kelly; Millard Hale Robbins, son of Dr. and Mrs. M. H. Robbins; and David Tipton, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Tipton. Mrs. Robbins, Mrs. Tipton and Mrs. A. J. Stacy accompanied the boys and will return Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bailey and two sons, Jack and Dean, are here from Newport News for a few days' visit with Mrs. Bailey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wright and children, of Norfolk, were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Kesner and family last week.

The Cub Scouts and their families enjoyed a picnic supper at the Big Stone Gap playground Friday evening.

Pat Carter, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Carter, is spending this week with his aunt, Mrs. James E. Gibson, and Mr. Gibson, at Corbin, Ky.

Curtis Brooks and two daughters, Katherine and Helen Jane, visited their father and grandfather, W. F. Brooks, of Harrogate, Tenn., last week-end.

Mrs. Harold Kelly and three daughters, Joan, Mary Jane and Patricia, are back from a several weeks' visit with relatives in Southern California, including Los Angeles and other points. Mrs. Kelly says she had a wonderful time on her trip, and that she and the little girls are feeling fine after their arrival at home.

Mrs. Eliza Phillips went to Raven, Va., Sunday, July 15, to attend a family reunion at the home of her sister, Mrs. Irvin Wells. Mrs. Phillips, Mrs. Wells and family and their brother, W. M. Bledsoe, and wife were present.

Mrs Lillian Cranston Rowe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Laningham, and little daughter, Janet Laningham Rome, left this week to join her husband, Cpl. Richard Y Rowe, Jr., in Chicago From there they will go to Michigan, where Cpl. Rowe's parents are spending the summer at their summer home at a lake resort. Mrs. Rowe will probably spend the month of August or longer with her parents-in-law, while Cpl. Rowe will return to his station at Nashville, Tenn.

Friends of Mrs. Alice Wilkerson, mother of Mrs. E. C. Laningham, will be glad to know that she is improving in health at her home in Stanword, Ky., and hopes to be able to visit with the Laningham family at an early date.

Helen Jane Brooks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Brooks, visited her uncle, Ira Brooks, at Harrogate, Tenn., last week-end.

Mrs. A. M. Kirk had as visitors this week her son, Levi Kirk, of Big Stone Gap, and granddaughter, Wilmo Jean Kirk, and girl friend, Jackie Calhoun, of Osaka, Va.

Came Home On Birthday

Mr and Mrs. R. R. Myers were very happy to learn that their son, Sgt. Roller T. Myers, landed in Boston, Mass., after spending fifteen months in the European theater. He gave his sister, Velda, a big surprise last Monday morning when he arrived at Radford College unexpectedly. After spending two days there he came home to be with his parents. Arriving home on his birthday, he was given a delightful birthday dinner at his home.

MARRIAGE SOLEMNIZED JUNE 26TH.

Mrs. Quenton Jackson

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Bellamy, of Jonesville, announce the marriage of their daughter, Mozetta, to Sgt. Quenton Jackson, son of Mr and Mrs. Thomas Jackson, of Middlesboro, Ky.

The wedding took place in the First Christian Church of Middlesboro, June 25, 1945, with the pastor, Rev. Reeves, officiating.

Sgt. Jackson has recently returned from overseas Army service

Visitors From Cihicago

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Billing had as dinner guests Thursday Mrs. Billings' sister, Mrs. Earl Eylee and little daughter, Judy, of Chicago, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. W .C. Fannon, of Woodway; and Miss Mary Jane Robinette, of Scott County. Mrs. Eylee and daughter have been visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Fannon, for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Carroll, Palmer and G. W. Carroll, of Bluefield, W. Va., were here Sunday to be with their mother, Mrs. Henderson Carroll, who is ill in Lee General Hospital.

Chaplain Robert C. Sharp, stationed at Parris Island, S.C., and Mrs. Sharp were here Sunday to see his sister, Miss Helen Sharp, nurse at Lee General.

"Sonny Boy" Getting Along Well

Sonny Boy, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Osborne, of Rose Hill, is reported getting along well in Lee General Hospital, where he was brought a few days ago with a ruptured appendix. Indications are that he will be able to return to his home soon

Mr. Keel In Hospital

W. J. Keel, a local barber, is ill in Lee General Hospital. Mr. Keel has been in declining health for some time.

C. C. Fugate has returned home from Richmond, Va., where he underwent a major operation at the Medical College Hospital.

Mrs. P. G. Wise is spending this week in Dayton, Ohio, with her husband, who is employed there.

Cpl. Peters At Home

Cpl. Oscar H. Peters is spending a 30-day furlough at home with his family. Cpl. Peters received most of his basic training at Camp Howze, Texas, and Camp Livingstone, La. He was sent overseas in February, 1945, and served with the 86th Black Hawk Division. He fought in the battle of the Rhine. Before entering service he was employed by the Blue Diamond Coal Company at Leona Mines, Va.

Major and Mrs. Joe Gibbs, his mother and his sister, Mrs. J. T. Adams, Mr. Adams and children, of Pennington Gap, R.F.D., were callers at The Powell Valley News office the first of the week.

Mr and Mrs. Thomas F. Barr had as their guest last week Mr. Barr's mother, Mrs. Susan E. Barr, of Blountville, Tenn.

Pvt. Joseph V. Kelly, Jr., is home from Camp Gordon, Ga., visiting his parents on a ten-day furlough, after which he will report to Fort George G. Meade, Md., for assignment to probable overseas duty. His sister, Miss Lou Hope Kelly, was here from Oak Ridge over the week-end to help enjoy Pvt. Kelly's visit.

King Russell and daughter, of Chicago, are visiting his parents, Mr and Mrs. G W. Russell, in West Pennington.

Misses Billie Sue and Josephine Jessee, daughters of Mrs. Pina Terry, of Oak Ridge, are visiting relatives at St. Charles.

Seaman Litton Back In States

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stout have been advised that their son-in-law, Seaman 1-C. Harry Litton, arrived in California last Friday from overseas duty, for a 30-day furlough. Seaman Litton will go to Dayton, Ohio, where his wife, Mrs. Lorraine Stout Litton, is staying at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Gibson, and after a visit of a day or two there he and Mrs Litton will come to Pennington Gap. They are expected to arrive some time the last of this week.

Postmaster Kelly Given Birthday Surprise

A watermelon feast was enjoyed by several at the home of Postmaster and Mrs. J. P. Kelly last Sunday afternoon. The affair was planned as a surprise for Mr. Kelly by his daughter, Lorene, in honor of his birthday. The guests were: Mrs. C. E. Gish, Mrs. Eliza M. Howard, B. M. Kelly, J V. Kelly, W. P. Kelly and family, Mrs. Mary P. Kelly, Mrs. Cam J. Lewis, Misses Cora and June Lewis, Thomas F. Barr. Mr. Kelly was presented several nice gifts.

Mrs. Iva Williams was made very happy last Sunday when the youngest of her four sons in service, Price Williams, arrived from several months in Germany and other parts of the European theater of war.

Back Home To New Beginning

Two former sergeants in the U. S. Army arrived here last week to begin civilian life anew, having been honorably discharged under the point system. They are: Clifford parsons, who has spent five years of his life in army service, and almost four years overseas. He is a brother of Mrs. Lora Wynn, employee of Gibson's Department Store; and Ralph Yeary, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Yeary, who live at the Pocket. The men will be visiting around seeing friends and relatives before entering upon their future career as civilians.

Relatives here received a long distance telephone call today from Sgt. Don R. Carter, telling them that he is back in the States, feeling fine, and expects to be home in a short time.

Sp. (T) and Mrs. Erman R. Neal and son, and Mrs. P. H. Tritt, Jr., and son have returned to Richmond, Va., after spending several days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Hobbs, and Brother, Staff Sgt. Clyde W. Hobbs. Sgt. Hobbs has been a prisoner of war in Germany for several months.

TOWN TALK

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painted. A variety of colors are being used; not much white, due to the usual smoke and dust in a mining camp, one of the officials explained, but the colors are very pretty and are alternated, so that the houses make a good showing against the background of hillsides now at the highth of their summer green.

Also a modern heating plant is being installed in the store building, one of the foremen stated.

"At Home" To Her Friends

Mrs. Jake Howard went to Dayton, Ohio, recently to rest, relax, and to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Gibson. She was pleasantly surprised to find herself right at home, not only among relatives, but friends from her home town. Three called to see her on her first day in Dayton. They were Mrs. Iris Hughes Cooney, Cpl. Sam Cooney, and Glenn Harbor.

Wild Game In Lee

That some "wild life" exists in the mountainous area of this section there is no doubt; but just how much, of course, cannot be determined.

Some boys living in the Dry Branch community are said to have "come across" a bear somewhere in the ridges near that place last week; recently a big wolf was reported killed in the Stickleyville area; John Carter saw a deer come down to the road on Stone Creek, look about for a second or two, then dart again into the hills; while a short time ago the "Town Talker" saw a big grey fox browsing around the ashes of a campfire at Nigger Head cabin.

All this, together with reports from the fishing places along Powell River, and the numerous cabins and recreational centers, should at least be a "little bit" of inducement to vacationers and campers, it seems.

New Residence In Pennington

The new brick bungalow being built by M. L. Pennington and located just south of the L. & N Railroad, opposite Pennington Milling Company, is almost complete, and is going to be one of the prettiest homes in Pennington Gap.

We Hope . . . .

Miss Irene Bargo is wondering how blackberry pickers are going to cure the chigre bites, with lard so scarce. Maybe the brain trust will have some of the surplus crop killed off.

JUNE BRIDE

Mrs. Frank Sevier Flanary

The wedding of Miss Rosalyn Freeman McKenzie, of Richmond, Virginia, to Private First Class Frank Sevier Flanary, of Dryden, took place Saturday, June 23, in the Woodland Heights Baptist Church at Richmond, with the Rev. M. Jackson White officiating.

Miss Mary Virginia Flanary, sister of the bridegroom, was the maid of honor and the bride's only attendant. The best man was Pfc. Synton McKenzie, Jr., brother of the bride, who was given in marriage by her father Immediately following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's uncle, Dr. Robert Franklin Freeman, and Mrs. Freeman, of Richmond.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Synton McKenzie, of Richmond. She attended the Richmond Professional Institute of the College of William and Mary.

The groom, who is a son of Mr. and Mrs. M E. Flanary, of Dryden, is a student in the School of Medicine at the Medical College of Virginia, and is a member of Theta Kappa Psi fraternity. The couple will make their home in Richmond

The Black Widow

J. L. Caton, writing for "Plain Talk and Tribune", warns folk to watch out at this time of the year for the "black widow" spider, the only poisonous spider that lives in this country.

The black widow is not an aggressive antagonist, Mr. Caton says, but will bite if you corner her. She abides mainly around old logs, old hollowed-out stumps, in damp, dark places in the basement of your house, in corners of the garage and other such dark or damp places.

She is about half an inch long when grown, is coal black and has a black roundish bidy. Don't let her bite you if you can help it, Mr. Caton advises, and if she does, don't lose any time seeing a physician.

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Town Talk

About This, That, And The Other

"Women and elephants never forget an injury." This is an old saying, probably true, but that it also applies to men is evidenced by the following story of an old Indian chief.

The Indian and a western missionary, who had become good friends, were standing at the railway station waiting for the train which would bring the missionary eastward.

"Do you like oysters?" the missionary asked, and the Indian replied that he did. Just then the train came in and no more was said.

A year later the missionary returned and there, standing at the station was his Indian friend. The missionary threw up his hand in greeting.

"How?" he said.

The chief replied: "Fried."

Just Knocking Around

One of the fine ways to utilize your spare time and at the same time add zest and interest to your everyday routine of living, is to just knock around, visit among people, learn from them their many little human interest stories you will be sure to hear, observe places and scenes and note the changes that time brings to them.

For instance, our mountains. They are centuries upon centuries old, yet ever imparting new beauty and inspiration. Not so many years ago they were just vast wildernesses of forests and rugged cliffs, with occasional narrow dirt roads or foot-paths for travel. For lack of clearing, they were dark, shadowy and foreboding.

Now State highways run in all directions among them, and railways run to and from the vast coal fields. The coal mining industries have added mining camps, commissaries and other features of new and progressive life.

Where wild game used to have their haunts, unmolested, now are modern cabins, recreational centers and pretty homes. All told, as you travel through the mountains on our modern bus lines, the mountains and hills, while still retaining their beauty and grandeur, seem to say to you: "Just look, we have at last come into our own."

Long Termers

We have many citizens in our

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Major League Scout Here Over Week-end

Pat Monahan, chief scout for the Boston Braves of the American League, spent the week-end with Perle Stewart in Pennington Gap. Pat has been scouting the minor leagues and sand lots for young baseball timber for 29 years, during which time he has sent many boys into big time ball.

He was the chief sponsor for the St. Louis Browns in the late thirties, who was responsible for putting Pennington Gap into the Appalachian League as a Brown's farm club. Three of the players who became members of the Pennington Miners club sent down from St. Louis are now in the major leagues.

Pat has many friends in Pennington Gap and Lee County and it took him a portion of three days to get around to say "hello" and shake hands with them all.

He and Stewart made a tour of the Lonesome Pine League on Sunday and expressed interest in a couple of players.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Weather Bureau report for week ending July 22nd, 1945, for Lee County, furnished by Cam J. Lewis, official observer:

Date	Temperature		Rainfall
	Highest	Lowest	Inches and Parts
16	76	48	.00
17	78	50	.00
18	79	56	.00
19	84	58	.00
20	90	61	.00
21	90	60	.09
22	87	68	.00

Dr. J. H. Richmond Dies In Kentucky

Noted Educator And Political Leader Was Native Of Ewing, Va.

Dr. James H. Richmond, noted educator and political leader, and native of Ewing, Lee County, Virginia, died at Clinic Hospital, Murray, Ky., July 24, following an illness of several weeks. He was president of Murray State College at the time of his death.

Dr. Richmond was born in Ewing, Va., April 14, 1884, and although he became a national figure in education and politics, he fought to eliminate politics from education.

He was made president of Murray College January 1, 1936, and served on the national advisory committee on crisis of education, and was chairman of the National Committee for Federal Emergency aid to Education.

He was elected to his first public office in 1931, as State Superintendent of Public Instruction. He announced in 1935 for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination, but withdrew from the contest. His teaching career began in 1907, following his graduation from Lincoln Memorial University and the University of Tennessee. He taught in Texas, Tennessee and Kentucky.

Dr. Richmond was awarded the L.L.D. degrees by Lincoln Memorial University and the University of Kentucky. He also served on the University of Kentucky Board of Trustees.

Besides educational societies, Dr. Richmond was affiliated with the American Academy of Political and Social Science; Phi Kappa Alpha, Phi Kappa Phi and Omicron Delta Kappa fraternities; the Rotary Club and the Masons. He served as governor of the Kentucky-Tennessee Rotary Club and the Masons, as trustee of the Grand Lodge of Virginia, and was a member of the Disciples of Christ Church.

He married Pearl J. Thompson, of Louisville, December 15, 1917

Lion President Stubbs Names Committeemen

Perry R. Stubbs, president-elect of Pennington Gap Lions Club for the ensuing year beginning July 1st, assumed office and presided over his first meeting, at the regular meeting of the club, Thursday evening, July 12.

President Stubbs, at this meeting, announced his committees to serve during his term of office, each of the three vice presidents to head certain committee groups as follows:

First vice president—Lion J. M. Anderson.

Membership and Reception: Lion O. A. Vaughan, chairman; Lion F. M. Smalley, Lion D. E. McDaniel.

Attendance and No-Drop: Lion W. R. Fletcher, chairman; Lion R. C. Parsons, Lion John Fry.

Finance: Lion A. S. Pennington, chairman; Lion W. D. Harr, Lion C. M. Berry.

Second vice president — Lion Jake Chinsky.

Program and Entertainment: Lion Frank N. Gibson, chairman; Lion C. L. Fletcher, Lion Leonard F. Hayes.

Public Health, Blind, Boys Work and Safety: Lion M. H. Robbins, chairman; Lion C. C. Carr, Lion M. S. Culberteon.

Lions Education: Lion J. H. Dellinger, chairman; Lion C. H. Henderson, Lion Carl B. Hines.

Third vice president — Lion Frank B. Parr, Jr.

Publicity: Lion Sam C. Blackwell, chairman; Lion M. E. Teague, Lion M. E. Flanary.

Major Activities, Public Relations and Roads: Lion G. B. Setzler, chairman; Lion G. A. Kauffman, Lion R. G. Pugh.

Constitution and By-Laws: Lion S. L. Carpenter, chairman; Lion E. S. Vaughan, Lion J. W. Parsons.

Patsy Kelly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cowles Kelly, had a nice week-end visit last week with Miss Ruth Jenkins, who resides near Ewing.

Staff Sgt. Thurman S. Shelton who served with the Black Hawk Division, had returned to Fort Meade, Md., for further assignment, after spending a furlough with his wife and Mrs. Shelton's mother, Mrs. Edna Mathews.

TWICE HELD PRISONER

Sgt. Phillip D. Engle

Sgt Phillip D. Engle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Engle, of Pennington Gap, entered service November 20, 1942, taking his basic training at Fort Eustis, Va., and Camp Stewart, Ga.

He sailed for overseas in August, 1944; was first reported missing November 11, 1944, somewhere in Germany; later reported back in action; was missing again at Luxembourg on December 20, and shortly after was reported prisoner of war of the German Government. He was liberated June 1, and is expected home soon.

American Legion Meets At Cabin Mon., July 30

H. E. Gibson, adjutant, Chester Hayburn Post No. 23, American Legion, announced today that there would be a meeting at the American Legion Cabin, Monday night, July 30, at 7:30 o'clock. The purpose of the meeting is the election of officers; also other important matters will be discussed at this meeting.

Powell Valley Youth Rally At Rose Hill

The Powell Valley Youth Rally will be held at Mt Olivet Christian Church at Rose Hill, Sunday, July 29th, with the minister, Rev H. C. Hilliard, and Vice President Betty Ann Waddell in charge.

The theme throughout the evening will be "We Must Be the World We Want." Rev. Festus Wolfe, pastor of Big Stone Gap Christian Church, will close with the sermon, "The Joy of Sharing Christ."

Edith V. Waddell, Sec.

CITIZENS ARE URGED TO CONSERVE WATER

By Mayor E. E. Parsons

NOTICE TO THE CITIZENS OF THE TOWN OF PENNINGTON GAP:

There is a water shortage at this time, and yet there is a very ample supply of water coming into the corporate limits of the town

By conserving water there will be sufficient amount for any ordinary needs. All spigots where there is leakage or waste must be repaired. No lawns, gardens or streets must be watered in any way; neither shall there be any cars washed while this emergency lasts.

Anyone violating these rules will be subject to fine or their water supply discontinued. Town police will make a thorough investigation of all homes and places where the town furnishes water in the near future.

Please comply with this request and save water supply. Don't forget your neighbors who live on the uplands. They are entitled to water as well as those who live in the low places.

Republican Mass Meeting Called For August 3rd.

W. M. Bellamy, chairman, Lee County Republican Committee, announces a Republican mass meeting to be held at the Town Hall, Pennington Gap, Friday evening, August 3, at 8:00 o'clock, (C.W.T.)

The purpose of the meeting is to nominate a candidate for member of the House of Delegates.

Lee County Red Cross Holds Annual Meeting

The Lee County Chapter of the American Red Cross held its annual meeting Monday evening in the Pennington Gap High School, the purpose of the meeting being the election of officers and executive committee members for the coming year. In addition to the officers, a good many of the county War Fund Drive workers were present. The meeting was called to order by the chairman, Dr. G. B. Setzler. Mr. L. B. Hagy, treasurer, gave an excellent report of the Chapter finances showing that it was keeping well within its budget.

Mrs. E. E. Skaggs, Home Service Worker, told of the many types of home service the Chapter is rendering daily to our service men and veterans, giving as a typical month that of June, when 212 cases were handled and disposed of by the Home Service Worker. It was gratifying to know of the splendid work the Chapter is doing through this Home Service Work, and Mrs. Skaggs was complimented on her efficiency in the work, which calls her at all times of day or night.

Mr. C. F. Connally gave the results of the War Fund Drive by areas, reporting that a total of $14,148.21 was donated in Lee County in this drive. He expressed his appreciation to all workers in the county who made this exceptional drive possible.

At the election of officers for the coming year, the following executive committee was installed:

C. F. Connelly, W. L. Davidson, Mrs. M. E. Flanary, T. B. Fugate, A. C. Shelton, J. T. Watson, Mrs. R. L. Rosenbaum, Miss Saluda Sewell, Mrs. Tom King, W. G. Frazier, R. C. Carter, Mrs. G. P. Cridlin, C. M. Banner, H. M. Mahoney, E. L. Scroggs, O. L. Robinette, Mrs. B. T. Young, Mrs. W. R. Fletcher, Mrs. J. C. Wynn.

Officers elected were: Chairman, Dr. G. B. Setzler; vice chairman, Mrs. B. H. Wainscott; recording secretary, Mrs. Ray Banner; executive secretary, Rev W. B. Moore; treasurer, L. B. Hagy; Home Service Worker, Mrs E. E Skaggs; Junior Red Cross, Mr. John Richmond production chairman, Mrs W. R. Fletcher.

Lee County Red Cross headquarters are in the home of Mrs. E. E. Skaggs, Home Service Worker, who is available there to veterans and their families at all times

Two St. Charles Boys In Bicycle-Truck Accident

Two nine-year-old St. Charles boys narrowly escaped serious injuries the other day while returning home on a bicycle from a trip up town. They were Joe Bill Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Smith, and Charles Redmon, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Redmon. Their bicycle was hit by a truck said to have been driven by Jack Parsons, who resides near Pennington Gap.

Joe Bill received a deep cut on the arm, and several stitches were taken to close the wound. The Redmon boy was unhurt, but suffered extreme nervousness as a result of the shock.

Commemorative Chapel Planned For Junaluska

In honor of the men and women of the Southeastern jurisdiction of the Methodist Church who served in the armed forces of our country, a Memorial Chapel will be erected at Lake Junaluska, N. C.

As beautiful and worshipful as architectural genius can make it, this chapel will stand by the side of the lake surrounded by flowers, perpetuating for all time the memory of the youth who served their country in World War II.

In the Room of Remembrance will be inscribed the names of all the service men and women from churches which cooperate in the erection of the Chapel by contributing one dollar for each name to be enrolled. Provision will be made for special memorials in honor of those who gave their lives for our country.

The Southeastern jurisdiction includes the States of Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Tennessee, Kentucky, and the Republic of Cuba.

From Pennington Gap Methodist Church will be submitted 119 names, three of them gold stars, with additional names as they appear on the honor roll.

Lee County Garden Club Will Meet Wednesday

Lee County Garden Club will meet Wednesday afternoon, August 1, in the Home Economics room of Pennington High School. Hostesses will be Mrs. R. E. Beeler, Jr., Mrs. C. H. Henderson, Mrs. J. G. Overby, and Mrs. C. B. Fry.

ENTERS U. S. NAVAL ACADEMY

Midshipman Richard B. Blackwell

Richard Bays Blackwell, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam C. Blackwell, of Pennington Gap, is now a midshipman at the United States Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md., having been sworn in on June 30. Richard graduated as valedictorian from Pennington High School, class of 1944. Immediately after graduation he entered Virginia Military Institute, Lexington, Va., completing one and one-half years' work at that institution prior to entering the Naval Academy. As a V.M.I. cadet, Richard was a distinguished list student.

Men Who Passed July Pre-Induction Exams

HAS EARNED RELEASE

Tech. Sgt. Curtis Alsup

Tech. Sgt. Curtis Alsup, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Alsup, is at home after receiving an honorable discharge at Fort G. Meade, Md., under the new point system, with 128 points. He enlisted September 19, 1940, and after completing basic training at Langley Field, Va., was sent to Greenland, where he stayed one year. After returning to the States, he was stationed at Westover Field in Boston, Mass. In August, 1942, he again sailed for overseas duty and has spent almost 35 months as construction foreman with the 825th Engineers in Normandy, Northern France, Rhineland and Central Europe. Sgt. Alsup holds the Good Conduct Medal, American Defense Service Medal and European - African - Middle Eastern Service Medal.

Sgt. Alsup was at a rest home in France when the radio message came that he was one of his company to return to the U.S.A.

War Ration Book Five To Be Reduced In Size

War Ration Book Five, "smaller than a dollar bill" and containing just half as many stamps as the last book issued, will be distributed through the public schools in December, Chester Bowles, Administrator of the Office of Price Administration, announced today. At the same time, the new "A" Gasoline Ration Book will be issued.

Distribution will take place at school houses or other public buildings throughout the nation from December 3 through December 15. OPA District Offices will fix the exact time for each local area. The new "A" Gasoline Books will go into use December 22, and War Ration Book Five will be used soon after the first of the year for food rationing and for rationed shoes.

Mr. Bowles said, "The supply agencies . . . the Department of Agriculture and the War Production Board . . . have told us that meats and fats, canned goods, sugar and shoes all will be in tight supply for some months to come, and so it looks as if a ration book will be needed at least throughout most of next year. To be reasonably on the safe side, and avoid the expense of having to get out still another book later, we have set up Book Five so that it can last from ten to fifteen months, if it is needed.

"The United States Office of Education has assured us that America's school teachers, who have become experienced hands at distributing ration books quickly and efficiently, again can be counted on to do this distribution job as a patriotic service for 130,000,000 of their fellow citizens.

The gigantic nature of this task is obvious. Probably it is the biggest distribution job ever undertaken in this or any other country, but we know from experience that the teachers and school officials are fully equal to the task. Many people will remember the smooth, efficient way in which they handled the distribution of War Ration Book Four. This time they are called on to do an even bigger job. We are grateful to them. We believe, too, that millions of Americans will appreciate and applaud their patriotic wartime service."

(Teachers also distributed Books I and II. Book OII was distributed by mail.)

Eighty-One Men Are Now Eligible For Call To The Armed Forces

Selective Service Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, Lee County, Virginia, lists the following men who passed their July Pre-induction examinations, and are eligible for call to active duty:

Manard Woodard, Rt. 2, Pennington Gap; Dexter Lee Raines, St. Charles; Woodrow Alex Frazier, Bonny Blue; Harold Chilton Edens, Dryden; Andrew Holmes, Calvin; Roy Samuel Evans, Leona Mines; Paul Ellis Fleenor, Rt. 2, Pennington Gap; Curtis Lee Huff, Bonny Blue; Earl Manson Mullins, Calvin; James Raleigh, Olinger; Eckie Gibson, Leona Mines; Earl William Barnett, St. Charles; Lee Huston Haynes, St. Charles; Ishmael Henderson Yeary, Bonny Blue; Willard Elmer Payne, St. Charles; Carlos O'Delle Robinson's Mill; Bradley Carter, bins, Leona Mines; James Buford Woodard, Leona Mines; Lloyd James Capps, Rt. 1, Keokee;

Clyde Hammons, Bonny Blue; Buford C. McElyea, Leona Mines; Hubert Tabor, St. Charles; Edward Marion Stacy, Pennington Gap; James Claude Leinard, Pennington Gap; Paul Ellison Rasnic, Duffield; Smyth B. Myers, Rt. 2, Pennington Gap; Claude Madison Fulks, Darby; Charles Woodrow Wynn, Bonny Blue; Clyde Verlin Copeland, St. Charles; Oakley Woodrow Burnette, Bonny Blue; Harve Robert Smyth, Pennington Gap; John Paul Newton, St. Charles; Thomas N. Mullins, Jr. Pennington Gap; Charles L. Woodard, St. Charles; Willard G. Laws, Benedict; Leonard B. Allison, Dryden; Grigsby Kelly, Woodway; John Henry Owsley, Bonny Blue; Otis L. Rowland, St. Charles; John Robert Bailey, Jr., Rt. 1, Dryden;

John William Plaster, Duffield; Roy Bledsoe Ulysses, Rt. 1, Duffield; Claude H. Lawson, Pennington Gap; John B. Pennington, Calvin; Millard Livingston, Calvin; Ernest Homer Hall, Bonny Blue; Joe E. Farley, Pennington; Gifford E. Robbins, Rt. 1, Norton; William J. Phillips, Pennington Gap; Fred J. Stapleton, Pennington Gap; Roy Franklin Rose, St. Charles; James B. Hartsock, Leona Mines; Truman Allen Martin, Leona Mines; Carl B. Wright, Leona Mines;

Eugene J. McElyea, Leona Mines; Sam Hughes, St. Charles; Elmer A. Thomas, St. Charles; Ed King, Rt. 1, Keokee; Delmas W. Stewart, St. Charles; Roy M. Ringley, Leona Mines; Henry L. Perkins, Pennington Gap; Esbon L. Stevens, Bonny Blue; Arthur B. Brock, Bonny Blue; Claude E. Mullins, Bonny Blue; Hugh Victor Rhea, Rt. 1, Pennington Gap; Eugene C. Robinette, Pennington Gap; Robert L. Redwine, St. Charles; Kellogg Condy Zion, Rhoda; Eugene B. Livingston, St. Charles; Dixie C. Shepard, Rt. 1, Pennington Gap; Roy Shelby Corbin, St. Charles; Pat Lambdin, Benedict; Leondous King, St. Charles; Delmas B. Witt, Leona Mines; Lloyd W. Herron, St. Charles; William F. Mullins; Lancing, Tenn.; James William Woods, Bonny Blue; Roy C. Blair, Keokee; Carl E. Lay, St. Charles; William L. Snodgrass, Stirrat, W. Va.; Charles E. Pope, Leona Mines.

Car Smashes Through Front of Chevrolet Bldg.

The west side of the Jessee Chevrolet building today was contacted by a Buick passenger car with such force that the plate glass front was shattered and the walls came tumbling down.

The driver of the car was reported to have been Mrs. Frank Gilbert, of Dryden, who said her brakes failed to work when she tried to stop the car.

The building is a brick structure located on the corner of South Morgan and Hotel Streets, just above the Service Grocery, and owned and occupied by Jessee Chevrolet Sales Company, J. E. Jessee, proprietor. The room damaged was used as the office of the company. The east side of the building was unharmed.

Mr. Jessee estimated the damage to be from $300.00 to $1,000.00.

News From
NAGAN

Mr. and Mrs. Apsy Ely and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Cellie Thomas and family.

Sam and Gill Hensley and Cecil Hamblin, of Sampson, Ky., spent the week-end with relatives here.

Misses Ruby and Ruth Ely and Marie Hensley spent Sunday with Miss Betty Ingle.

Russell Oaks, who is employed at Alcoa, Tenn., spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Oaks, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Irvin and children, and Scott Irvin, of Crab Orchard, Ky., are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Irvin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Barker and family, of Beech Springs, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Luke Irvin.

News From
POOR VALLEY
By Edith Astrop

Friends and relatives regret to learn of the death of Moran Wilson at Catawba Sanitorium. He had been ill for several months.

Mrs. Kate Kelly Shuler is planning on visiting Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Bailey, of Big Hill, this summer.

Billy McFarland has been very ill, but is recovering.

Mrs. Mollie Arrington, of Miami, Fla., and Mrs. Pearl Maness, of Maness, Va., were visiting their sister, Mrs. Frank Bailey, and family, Thursday.

Harold Greene spent Sunday night with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Bailey, of Big Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Parsons were visiting relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Edith Ely and brother, Dewey Early, were shopping in Pennington Gap, Wednesday.

Misses Jewell and Cora Johnson, of Norfolk, Va., are visiting home folk and friends this week.

Mrs. Mary Parsons attended the funeral of her brother, Moran Wilson, at Pittsburg, Ky. She was accompanied by her son, George, who was recently discharged from the Army.

Miss Allie McFarland writes from Fort Bragg, N. C., where she is spending her vacation, that she is having a nice time.

MAYORS PAY TRIBUTE TO WAVES ON THIRD ANNIVERSARY DATE

Mayors E. E. Parsons, of Pennington Gap; O. M. Hyatt, of Jonesville; and C. M. Wheeler, of St. Charles, paid high tribute to the WAVES on their third anniversary, which takes place on July 30, 1945.

Mayor Parsons said: "The services of these splendid women have much to do with the astounding success of our Navy to date. They can well be proud of their contribution to the war egort," he said. "One of their most remarkable achievements," he continued, "has been the returning to duty of 98% of the wounded men treated by Waves of the Navy Hospital Corps.."

20,000 Needed

"This remarkable record must e maintained," he said, "and at reminds us, much bitter ighting lies ahead. There will e losses, our casualties will robably increase, and our boys eserve the best treatment posble—no one can do this like omen—our American women. Ten thousand of the Waves needed will be assigned to the Hospital Corps and the remaining ten thousand will be ofr general service duties. Many Waves will be lost to the Navy, I am informed, because of the Navy's policy of releasing Waves upon request who are married to honorably wounded discharged veterans of this war.

"As Mayors, we call upon all our citizens to pay tribute to our Waves, and we feel confident that the women of Pennington Gap, Jonesville and St. Charles will accept the challenge."

FREE! If Excess acid causes you pains of Stomach Ulcers, Indigestion, Heartburn, Belching, Bloating, Nausea, Gas Pains, get a 25c box of Udga Tablets at PENNINGTON PHARMACY. Adv. No. 30-16t pd

NOTICE

Please take notice that I will, on the 28th day of July, 1945, make application to the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board at Richmond, Virginia, for license to sell 3.2 beer for on and off premises consumption, at my place of business located on Main Street, St. Charles, Va

Given the 23rd day of July, 1945

Signed
LEE CAFF,
A. [illegible] Terry, Owner

Adv. No. 30-1t pd

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 23rd day of July, 1945

William Swanson Scalf, who sues by J. W. Scalf, his guardian and next friend . . . Complainant

vs. Order of Publication

Vernon M. Wells, Eppie Wells and Otie Brummitt . . . Defendants

The object of this suit is to have deed from J. W. McLemore, Special Commissioner, to Vernon M. Wells, dated —— day of December, 1940, for 7 acres of land in Wild Cat Valley, Lee County, Va., set aside; to have deed from Vernon M. Wells and wife to Otie Brummitt for said land dated on April 7, 1941, and of record in Clerk's Office of Lee County, Va., in Deed Book 104, page 426, set aside or reformed; to require an accounting of the said Vernon M. Wells and Otie Brummitt, and if mistaken as to right to have said deeds set aside or reformed, then to have said land partitioned.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendants, Vernon M. Wells and Eppie Wells are non-residents of the State of Virginia, and their last know address is Eppie Wells, of Kingsport, Tenn., and Vernon M. Wells, of Kingsport, Tenn.; it is ordered that they appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to each of the defendants at their last known address; and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
L. M. Robinette, p. q.
Adv. No. 30-4t.

News From
DRY BRANCH
By Edith Astrop

Mrs. Anise Davis and daughter, Katherine, and granddaughter, Peggy Jane Hill, of Seminary, were visiting Mrs. A. P. Cox, Mrs. Chas. Astrop and Mrs. Edith Astrop and families recently.

Danny Cox spent Friday of last week in Leatherwood, Ky.

Misses Geraldine Ely and Joyce Gibson were shopping at Stuart's Store, Saturday afternoon.

Joyce and Jimmy Gibson, of Baltimore, Md., are spending the summer with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Millard Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shumaker and children, Mildred Joyce and Regina Anne, of Woodway; Mrs. Charcie Bradley and son, Eddy, of Kingsport, Tenn., were visiting Mrs. Vernelle Edens, Friday.

Miss Louise Vaughan and Mrs. Sue Ely visited Mrs. Mae Gibson, Wednesday.

Miss Loiuse Grace is taking a course in beauty culture in Bristol.

Billy Astrop, Mrs. Vernelle Edens, Mrs. Edith Astrop and children, Juanita and Kent, attended a movie at Lee Theatre, Friday night.

FOR SALE

Six-room house, with full size basement, lights, good water. Has good outbuildings and eight other lots for gardening—it contains ten lots in all. This property is located between main highway and L. & N. Railroad on west end of Dryden. Call 149 J 12, or see Roy Reasor, Pennington Gap, Va.
Adv. No. 30-1t pd.

Seed Rye
For Sale

I Have 400 bushels of "Abruzzi" Rye for sale. Grown from Certified Seed. Recommended to be the best for this section by The Southern Agriculturist.

W. S. Carter
Jonesville, Va. Near Flatwood School.

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All hiring in accordance with War Manpower Commission rules and regulations.

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FOR EXPERIENCED TELEPHONE OPERATORS TO WORK AT CAMP PATRICK HENRY

OUR fighting men are arriving at Camp Patrick Henry (near Newport News) from overseas by the thousands. The first thing these returning heroes want is to telephone the folks.

Experienced toll operators are urgently needed to handle these calls. It is exciting, patriotic work with good pay.

Come to our nearest office for details, or pick up your telephone and ask for the "Chief Operator."

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News From
JONESVILLE
Mrs. G. W. Ball
Route 4

Rev. L. D. Perkins and Rev. Loudy are conducting a revival at York Church this week.

Mrs. Palmer Ball and children, Dorothy, George and Nancy of Hayzi, Va., visited Mr. Ball's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ball here the first of last week. Dorothy stayed over to attend the Youth Camp at the Camp Ground last week, returning home Saturday morning. Miss Lenore Harris was also one of the Youth Camp group.

Mr. George Newman, of this place, had a very pleasant surprise when his sister, Mrs. Hattie Philpot, of Gary, Ind., paid him an unexpected visit. The two had not met in 32 years. After visiting here for a few days Mr. Newman and Mrs. Philpot visited their other three brethers, at each of the following places: London, Keavy and Goldburg, Ky. One of the brothers is Postmaster at Keavy.

Roy Rasnic has bought the John Davis Grocery Store here, and moved the goods to his place at the River Bridge at the east end of Route 4.

Miss Stella Conn will spend her vacation for the next two weeks exploring the Smoky Mountain National Park and other points of interest.

Mrs Geo ge Orr, Jr., was an interesting visitor in the S.S. at York , Sunday. She knows how to interest the young people in Class work, and we hope she continues to attend.

We are in receipt of a letter from Mrs. Elmer Cox, who states that she is enjoying living in California. She tells many interesting things about the places she has visited there. She is with her husband in San Diego.

E. C. Holbrook, of Harlan, Ky., and Roy Ball, of Appalachia, were callers here Saturday afternoon.

CURB SERVICE

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Missouri Editor Discovers TVA's So-Called "Benefits" Are Costly And Over-Rated

[The following article is condensed from the report of Mr. Louis LaCoss, chief editorial writer of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, on a visit to the Tennessee Valley by a party of Missourians investigating the feasibility of applying the TVA plan to the Missouri Valley.]

BECAUSE of Missouri's vital interest in a measure which affects its farms and cities, its industries big and small, its finances and even its social forms, a commission of seven was named to study the TVA and ascertain whether, in its judgment, an MVA is a practical solution to the problems of flood control, power, irrigation, navigation, and soil erosion that confronts the valley.

Bugs In TVA Plan

AS one who accompanied the party, the writer may testify that the investigations were serious, thorough and in the main without prejudice. If, before the studies were started, there was a majority disposition to accept the TVA as a project which might be usefully employed in the Missouri Valley, it became immediately obvious that there were "bugs" in the TVA plan, despite the glowing enthusiasm of the Tennessee beneficiaries of federal generosity.

Navigation is of minor importance on the Tennessee, despite TVA's emphasis on this factor. Soil erosion is important but nothing done by the TVA is an advance on the work done for years by the Bureau of Reclamation and, incidentally, by privately owned power companies which have recognized its need in areas served by them. The Alabama Power Company, for instance, inaugurated such a program in 1920 and still promotes it from its Birmingham headquarters.

Tapping The Treasury

SO, in final analysis, the TVA's objective is power — cheap power obtained from some 26 dams which it has built across the Tennessee from its source above Knoxville in the east end of the state to its mouth near Paducah, Ky. (The Tennessee flows south from Knoxville to Chattanooga, then loops across north Alabama and flows north to the Ohio River through central Tennessee.)

It furnishes cheap power for several reasons. It has ample funds and can tap the Treasury almost at will. Since 1934, almost $700,000,000 has been spent on the TVA by direct congressional appropriation. What with kickbacks and fiscal legerdemain conservative estimates are that $1,000,000,000 has been expended in the valley during the last ten years.

Cockeyed Bookkeeping

CONSIDERABLE cockeyed bookkeeping is employed in arriving at cheap electricity for the area. The congressional appropriations contemplate navigation, flood control, soil erosion and power developments. But despite the fact that navigation, flood control and soil erosion are of minor consideration, the funds are allocated in unfair proportion, large sums being charged to the negligible development and a comparatively small sum for power, which actually uses the greater part of the appropriation. Thus the cheap kilowatt rate is arrived at by computing a relatively small investment in power dams whereas, actually, power dams represent virtually the entire capital investment.

Not Paying Much

CHAIRMAN Ricketts, in one of his frequent moments of rapture, declared he had visions of Utopia, and wished the same for the Missouri Valley. But another member of the commission, Mr. Bertha, sagely observed that those who live in Utopia must expect to pay some rent.

But the Tennesseeans are not paying much rent. They are the beneficiaries of a New Deal whimsy which starts with abundant money taken from the Federal Treasury, pays no taxes, pays no interest and engages in a complicated practice of returning money to state and national treasuries "in lieu of taxes," money obtained from its revenues from power sales. Amazing, indeed would it be if cheap power could not be furnished on that basis.

An advertisement of
Old Dominion Power Company
Incorporated

St. Charles PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Karp are in New York on vacation.

Mrs. W. E. Onkst had a telegram from her son, M M 1-C Emil Onkst, of Seattle Washington, stating that he had just returned from duty in the Pacific, and will arrive home this week. He has served fifteen months in the Pacific area.

After an absence of several weeks Mrs. J. J. Whipple is now back at work in her Art Studio.

Miss Lelia M. Onkst, Cadet Nurse at St. Mary's Hospital in Knoxville, is here on a two-weeks' vacation.

Miss Willene Rose, of Crossville, Tenn., returned home the first of the week after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Copeland.

Misses Emma Tomlinson, Shirley Mae England and Fay Green are back from a several days' camping trip at the Baptist Camp at Clear Creek, near Pineville, Ky.

Mrs. Green Carter of Pikeville, Ky., visited her daughter, Mrs. McKinley Doss over the week end. Also Mrs. Alvin Sproles of Pennington Gap visited with Mrs. Doss Sunday.

SF. 3-C. Allen Grey Seymour has returned to his base at San Francisco, Calif., after a visit here with his sister , Mrs. C. H. Redmon, and mother, Mrs. Henrietta Seymour. His furlough also included a honeymoon trip to Eastern points, with his bride, formerly Miss Willie Nazelrod, of Washington, D. C. The couple were married in Pineville Sunday, July 8.

Others who have returned to their homes after visits at the Redmon home are: Mrs. L. A. Bevel, Louisville, Ky., Mrs. Paul Cross, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Seymour and family and Mrs. Beatrice Baker and family, of Baltimore.

Mrs. Jake Smith made a trip to Knoxville, Tenn., first of the week to take her mother to a specialist.

Mrs. E. H. Whittekar spent Sunday here with her daughter, Mrs. Enos Doss.

Mrs. Hal Winfrey, Jr., of Knoxville, their son Martin and a girl friend, returned Sunday after a visit here with Mrs. Lee Reese.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Smith and family and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Redmon were in Johnson City last week end visiting at the Veterans Hospital and seeing the Eye Specialist

Miss Sylvia Jones and Miss Vera Jean Stapleton went to Big Stone Gap, Monday.

Alice Large is a little girl, but she had a "big" time at her birthday party Tuesday, July 24, with the following little friends to help her enjoy it. They were:

William McPherson, Wayne Bell, Wayne Thomas, Bobby Grayson, Billie Gilbert, Jerry Corbin, Lloyd Hicks, Arolyn Hicks, Garwin Large, Mary Lou Goins, Janette Gibson, Etta Joe Pannell, Doris Miller, Shirley Hicks, Carolyn McPherson, Barbara Hicks, Glenda Hicks, Betty Hicks, Judy Grayson, Gladys Gibson, Louise Marlow, Shirley Thomas, Dola Terry, Shirley Bell, Martha Grayson, Barbara Livingstone, Wanda Livingstone, Etta Goins, Hattie Surber, Lorraine Corbin, Myrtle Large, Virgie Large.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Marion Robert Kirk, originally of St. Charles and now of Baltimore, on July 3, and has been given the name Arnold Robert.

Mrs. Kirk is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. White Minton.

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VIRGINIA:
In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 3rd day of July, 1945.
George Ellis Burchett
..... Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Amanda Sizemore Burchett
..... Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce A Vinculo Matrimonii upon grounds of adultery. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Amanda Sizemore Burchett, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address is Wallens Creek, Kentucky, it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p. q. Guy A. Kauffman.
Adv. No. 27-4t.

Order Of Circuit Court Of Lee County, Virginia

In the Circuit Court of Lee County, Virginia, in Recess at Appalachia, Virginia, on the 2nd day of May, 1945.

This matter came on this day to be heard upon the petition of Happy David Winn Griffith for the purpose of changing his name as hereinafter shown; and was argued by counsel.

And it appearing unto the Court from the petition that Happy David Winn Griffith was christened in infancy as Harry David Griffith and that thereafter in the State of Tennessee, his name was changed by order of the Court to Happy David Winn Griffith, and that now it is the desire of the petitioner to again change his name to Happynear Duepointt Greatwinn.

And it appearing further unto the Court that the petitioner is thirty-seven years of age and has lived in Lee County since he was two years of age, and in addition to the said petition motion has been made to change said name as aforesaid, the Court doth therefore change the name of the petitioner, Happy David Winn Griffith to Happynear Duepointt Greatwinn; by which said latter name he shall hereafter be known; and it is so adjudged, ordered and decreed.

GEORGE MORTON, Judge.
To D. C. Sewell, Jr., Clerk:
Enter this decree on the 2nd day of May, 1945.
George Morton, Judge
A Copy Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
Adv. No. 27-4t.

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SOCIAL - PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Sheets and children, Jean, Peggy and Charles, of Greenbank, W. Va., and Mrs. P. A. Morris and children, Paula Jane and Bobby, from Harlington, W. Va., are visiting their father, C. M. Waddell, and family.

Returns From Hospital

Mrs. Roy Reasor and small son, R. J., accompanied by Edith Ann and Jay Hobbs and C. W. Reasor, have returned from Louisville, where R. J. took treatment at a hospital from a nerve specialist. While there they visited Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wallace and family.

Bruce Kelly and Jay Graham have gone to Keesler Field, Biloxi, Miss., for a short visit with Staff Sgt. and Mrs. Carol D. Bailey, and will bring back with them Miss Mildred Kelly, who has been visiting there for a few weeks.

Prof. R. E. Beeclr, Jr., is attending the summer session of William and Mary College, and will return to Pennington in time to enter upon his eleventh consecutive year as principal of Pennington High School.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Gilley, Jr., and three children, Misses Marguerite Hargraves, Emmalou Stewart, Phyllis Quinley, Dorothy Burgan and Mary Lou Smith, and Messrs. Wallace Stewart, Jimmy Jo Bright and Bobby Kinard enjoyed an outing at the Dryden ball park Sunday evening, including, of course, a picnic supper.

Mr. and Mrs. George Shaler and daughter, George Anne, and Mrs. Nannie King, of Louisville, are visiting with relatives here and at Big Stone Gap this week.

Clyde M. Fugate, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Fugate, recently honorably discharged from the Army, has as his guest this week Lloyd Card, of Compton Plans, N. J., likewise honorably discharged. The two were buddies while in the Army, and both served long terms overseas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Wells, of Big Stone Gap, were visiting friends here last Sunday.

Mrs. A. D. Rogers and Mrs. Jimmy Myers went to Norton this week to see Dr. Botts.

S. F. Smalley is in Dr. Botts' Hospital at Norton, having some repair work done on his eyes.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. Overbay and children are here from Kingsport, visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Overbay, and other relatives. Mrs. Julian King and little daughter, Charlene, will be here next week to visit with the Oberbays.

Mrs. Holly Vanoy, who lives near Washington, D. C., is here to be with her father, W. J. Keel, who is ill in Lee General Hospital.

Methodist Church

Sunday morning, July 29th: Church School at 9:30, Clyde M. Kirk, Supt. Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon subject: "Show Me the Father." Special music by Paul L. Overbay, of Kingsport.

Evening: Young People's groups meet at 6:30 Preaching at 7:30. Sermon Topic: "Being, Going and Doing."

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Charlie D. Mehaffey, Pastor.

News From
HUNTER'S GAP
Mary Lou Russell, Co.

Cpl. James Couk, recently returned from Saipan Island, arrived here the 21st for a brief furlough visit with his mother, Mrs. Vesta O. Couk.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lockhart announce the marriage of their daughter, Mary, to Clifford Carroll, recently returned from overseas with the U. S. Army.

Wayman Gipson, Blaine Cox, Roe Parkey, H. Warner and Martin Warner enjoyed a fishing trip on Powell River recently.

Mrs. Wayman Gipson visited her brother, Dewey Collins, and family Sunday.

Luther R. Collingsworth, employed at Kingsport, Tenn., spent the week-end with homefolk here.

Miss Maggie Olinger was a Sunday guest of her sister, Mrs. Vesta O. Couk.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Ramsey visited Mrs. Ramsey's sister, Miss Cora Watson, recently.

St. Charles-Cumberland Battle For League Lead

Oreton Plays At Pennington; Dunbar Will Tangle With Jonesville

The first place flag chase in the Lonesome Pine remained between Cumberland and St. Charles as week-end results gave victories to both the contenders with St. Charles remaining on top by virtue of one-half a game.

The coming Sunday, however, will make considerable difference one way or the other—St. Charles and Cumberland meet at Cumberland. Oreton in the meantime, comes to Pennington Gap while Dunbar visits Jonesville.

Pat Monahan, major league scout of the Boston Braves toured the Lonesome Pine over the week-end with scout Perle Stewart looking over prospects for Boston farms.

Cumberland and Dunbar probably fought on the toughest front of the week with the Kentuckians emerging on the top-side of a 5 to 4 decision at Dunbar. "Wheelhorse" Wheelock went the route on the mound for Cumberland giving up hits and adding another win to his already long column. Sage started for Dunbar, giving way to Porter in the ninth.

Oreton returned to the win column with a victory over Jonesville and Andover which ended 5 to 3 after playing on even terms all the way. Earl Mabe toed the slab for Oreton opposing Graham for Jonesville with each allowing seven hits.

Humphreys hit a homer for Jonesville, Horton and Carter collected 2 for 4 each. J. Mabe hit a triple for Oreton, Slagle had 3 for 4. Errors were costly to both clubs.

At St. Charles, as an interested spectator put it, the ball game was rescued from the category of a deadly dull comedy of errors by a fist fight immediately following the game, which gave the cash customers a thrill for their money. Without this impromptu of added attraction, only the home town fans could call the exhibition a success. "The Lonesome Pine league has one thing in common with the major leagues," says the fan. At least 90 per cent of the players seem to have contracted that old rockin' chair habit . . . but after all there IS a war on and who would be justified in criticizing players who are (we hope) doing their best to give the fans a good show.

Base hits rang off the walls to the tune of 14 for St. Charles and 9 for their visiting friends from Pennington Gap, the score, St. Charles 10, Pennington 1.

Scott went the route on the twirling stand for St. Charles. Cox started for Pennington but was relieved midway by Reasor.

Wooliver led the St. Charles hitting with 3 for 6, Collins, Pope, Skiles, and Scott collected 2 each. Melzoni led the visitors with 3 for 4, Martin had 2 for 4.

The official standing:

	Won	Lost	Pct.
St. Charles	9	2	.818
Cumberland	9	3	.750
Jonesville	6	5	.545
Dunbar	6	6	.500
Oreton	4	8	.333
Pennington	1	11	.83

First Christian Church

Sunday morning, July 29th: Bible School at 9:30, H. O. Hines, Supt. Worship with communion at 10:45. Serman subject: "The Blessed Result of Obedience." Special feature of service: Miss Mary Margaret Smalley will be set apart as assistant to the pastor as director of Young People's Departments. No service at night. This church joins the others of the District in a Youth Rally at Mt. Olivet Church, Rose Hill.

Choir rehearsal on Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock, followed by mid-week prayer and praise service at 7:30.

W. B. Moore, Minister.

NOTICE

Please take notice that I will, on the 28th day of July, 1945, make application to the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board at Richmond, Virginia, for license to sell 3.2 beer for on and off premises consumption, at my place of business located on Main Street, Jonesville, Va.

This the 23rd day of July, 1945.

Signed:
CITY CAFE
Barnard Rutherford, Owner.
Adv. No. 30-1t pd.

NOTICE

The Auction Sale of House and Lot of Lee Bank & Trust Company that was to have been held Saturday at 3:00 p. m., is called off.

CAM J. LEWIS

Deaths
AND FUNERALS

Campbell B. Musick

Campbell B. (Bud) Musick died at his home near Dryden, Thursday morning, July 26, at the age of 72. He had been in ill health for several months.

Funeral services will be conducted at the home tomorrow at 2:00 o'clock p. m., by Rev. Nelson Graham, of Dryden, and Rev. C. D. Mehaffey, of Pennington Gap. Burial will be in Dryden Cemetery.

Mr. Musick was a life-long Lee Countian, born and reared in the community in which he died.

Survivors include the widow, Mrs. Lillie Rasnic Musick; two sons, Berry, of Ben Hur, and Levi, of Dryden; five daughters, Mrs. Bernice Shoun, St. Charles; Mrs. Pauline Ely, of Jonesville; Mrs. Ada Doss, Lynch, Ky., Mrs. Josh Edwards and Miss Stella Musick, at home.

John M. Hawkins

John M. Hawkins, 41, whose home is on Stone Creek, became suddenly ill while on his way to work in the mines Monday, and returned home, where death came immediately. Heart failure was attributed as the cause.

Funeral services were held at the Bonny Blue Community Church today at 1:00 p. m., in charge of Rev. Grant Sutton. Burial was in Bonny Blue Cemetery.

Mr. Hawkins was a member of the J.O.U.A.M., and of the U. W. M. of A. No. 6444. Surviving are: the widow, Mrs. Julia Hawkins, of Stone Creek; four daughters, Mrs. Ida Wilson, of Stone Creek; Shirley, Jo Anne and Carolyn Hawkins, at home; and two sons, J. W., at home, and Albert Hawkins, of Big Stone Gap.

Mary J. Hounshell

Mrs. Mary Jane Hounshell, native of Lee County, died at her home in Mitchell, Ind., Tuesday, July 24. The body was returned here for funeral and burial, and was met at Harlan, Ky., by Estes & Cecil, undertakers, in charge.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow at Long Hollow Christian Church, 2:00 o'clock, p. m., conducted by Rev. W. B. Moore. Burial in nearby cemetery.

Mrs. Hounshell was the widow of the late Calvin B. Hounshell, and went to Indiana soon after his death in 1935.

She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Edna Clark, Oskhosh, Wis.; Mrs. Lucretia Pendergrass, Jonesville, Va.; and Mrs. Virgie Phillips, Big Stone Gap; three sons, Berry, Claude and Carl, of Mitchell, Ind.; three sisters, Mrs. Emily Mullins, St. Charles; Mrs. Mattie Poteet, Jonesville; and Mrs. Bill Garrison, of Truella, Wash.; two brothers, Cam Dixon, of Chevrolet, Ky., and Ballard Dixon, somewhere in the armed forces.

TOWN TALK

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community who have remained at their various posts of duty through many long years, and still "going strong" toward success and higher achievements.

J. O. Gibson and S. F. Smalley probably head the list. Mr. Gibson has been in the dry goods business "since 1886", most of this time in Pennington Gap, while Mr. Smalley has conducted an ice storage and "junk" trade for about 45 years.

G. E. Harber and G. W. David have worked for the L. & N. Railroad since 1910, Mr. Harber as fireman and engineer, and Mr. David for about six years as brakeman and then conductor. Charlie Vanhuss has been brakeman and extra conductor for about 25 years, and O. H. Reasor a flagman for about the same time. All these men have lived in Pennington Gap during this time.

Dr. R. C. Parsons has been a registered pharmacist in Pennington Gap since 1918; Rev. W. B. Moore has been pastor of the First Christian Church in Pennington Gap for 18 years; and Rev. Clinton Green goes him one better by having served as pastor of the Baptist Church at St. Charles for 14 years. S. L. Carpenter has had charge of the Agricultural Department, Pennington High School, since 1927, and will return for another school term. When school reopens, Prof. R. E. Beeler, Jr., will begin his eleventh consecutive year as principal; Miss Ethel Osborne has taught at High Top, near Rose Hill, for 20 years, and will teach at the same place this coming session. Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Sage will observe their golden wedding anniversary in October — well, probably there are many others. Wish we knew them all.

"Award of Merit"

It pays to stay on the job sometimes, as Mrs. Hope W. Orr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wheeler, who reside on Stone Creek, has found.

Mrs. Orr is the lucky winner of a $50 War Bond as a reward for being on the job with T. E. C., at Oak Ridge, Tenn., for a straight two weeks without an absence. She drew the lucky number from a box of other contestants for the bond. Mrs. Orr visited with her parents here last week.

"Penny Wise"

Some little boy is doubtless a little bit wiser today from an unfortunate experience that happened on the bus from St. Charles to Pennington the other night, according to report. Without thinking of harm, the little boy threw a penny to someone, and it struck an elderly man's glasses and broke them.

We don't know the little boy's name, nor the name of the man whose glasses were broken, nor what adjustment was made, but sometimes even we older ones can learn from little thoughtless acts we hear of or see.

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With Our Service Men

Takes Salt From Sea Water

Herman H. Britt, 32, fireman second class, U.S.N.R., is serving aboard an Atlantic Fleet destroyer escort in the engineering division. He operates boilers and evaporators which change sea water into fresh. He wears the African-European, Middle Eastern Theater, and the American Theater ribbons.

Britt's wife, formerly Miss Lelia Laningham, resides at St. Charles, and his mother, Mrs. Daisy Stanley, in West Jefferson, N. C.

Serving In Red Arrow Division

Pvt. Oscar C. Woliver, husband of Mrs. Yettie Woliver, Pennington Gap, has arrived in the Philippines and has been assigned to the veteran 32nd (Red Arrow) Infantry Division.

Pvt. Woliver will serve as a rifleman in Camp F of the crack 128th Infantry Regiment.

At Home With Many Decorations

Pfc. Hayden E. Johnson, of Jonesville, is enjoying a 60-day furlough here with his wife and two small daughters.

He has been overseas serving with the Ninth Infantry Division, and is now stationed at Moore General Hospital in North Carolina, where he has been receiving treatment for wounds received in Germany.

During his nine months overseas he was twice wounded, and was awarded the Purple Heart. He also was awarded the Oak Leaf Cluster, Presidential Citation, four battle stars and the Combat Infantryman Badge.

At the completion of his furlough he will report back to Moore General Hospital for further treatment.

Promoted To Sergeant

Coy C. Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Johnson, who live at Blackwater, Va., has been promoted from private first class to sergeant.

In the service since December, 1942, Johnson is a veteran of three major engagements in the Southwest Pacific. He holds the Combat Infantryman Badge, the Good Conduct Medal, the Asiatic-Pacific ribbon and the Philippine Liberation Medal.

He has been overseas for the past 25 months and is now fighting with the 32nd "Red Arrow" Division on Luzon.

In Training At Great Lakes

Two Lee Countians receiving their initial indoctrination at the U. S. Naval Training Center, at Great Lakes, Ill., are Kyle C. Smith, 18, son of W. N. Smith, Route 2, Rose Hill, Va., and James K. Edens, 18, son of Mrs. M. S. Edens, Jonesville, Va.

When their recruit training is completed, these men will receive a period of leave.

Training For Duties In Atlantic

Manford Lee, Jr., 18, seaman first class, of Rose Hill, Va., has arrived at the Naval Training Station, Norfolk, Va., to undergo training for duties aboard a new destroyer of the Atlantic Fleet. He has recently completed a period of instruction at Fort Pierce, Fla.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Manford Lee, Sr., of Rose Hill. Before enlisting in the Navy he was employed by the Bethlehem Steel Corporation. He was graduated from Thomas Walker High School.

Helps To Win Service Plaque

The Meritorious Service Unit Plaque has been awarded to the Ordnance Battalion of which Technician Grave 5 Charles E. Courtney is a member. Corporal Courtney is the husband of Mrs. Reva Courtney, of Jonesville, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Courtney, reside at Kingsport, Tenn.

Presentation of the plaque climaxed a series of commendations which have been attended the unit by Major General Charles L. Mullins, Major General Paul Mueller, and Brigadier General James Barnett, former island commander.

At Replacement Training Center

Pvt. Olin L. Cody, Route 2, Jonesville, Va., has arrived at the Field Artillery Replacement Training Center, Fort Bragg, N. C., for basic military training. He has been assigned to Battery A, 12th Battalion, 4th F. A. Training Regiment, and after initial training will be transferred to a field organization.

Awarded Combat Infantryman Badge

Pfc. Jack E. Hall, serving as rifleman with the 357th Infantry Regiment, 90th Infantry Division in Germany, has been awarded the Combat Infantryman Badge for participation in German campaigns.

He is the son of Mrs. Mary M. Hall, Pennington Gap, Va.

In Four Pacific War Campaigns

Pvt. Samuel J. Yates, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Yates, of St. Charles, Va., in participating in the D-Day landing on Legaspi, Luzon, has brought his total of campaigns in the Pacific war to four.

Pvt. Yates' duties as a combat engineer with the 1279th Engineer Combat Battalion, which supported the well-known "Bushmaster" 158th Regimental Combat Team, commanded by Brigadier General Hanford MacNider, consisted of road building under fire of the enemy during the drive up the Bicol Peninsula.

Pvt. Yates entered the Army in June, 1942, and went overseas in October of the same year.

Graduates From Midshipman School

James D. Sword, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ora M. Sword, of Jonesville, was graduated from the U. S. Naval Reserve Midshipmen's School on Monday, July 9, 1945, at 11:00 a. m., in the Navy Drill Hall on the campus of the University of Notre Dame, at Notre Dame, Ind.

He was one of approximately 730 men graduated as Ensigns, USNR, after having successfully completed four months training as Midshipmen.

Debarks at Miami

Feet on the ground—their home soil—after months of combat overseas, more Virginia fighting men were recently added to the growing Army of Ground Forces boosters of Air Transport Command's Service.

They were flown to Miami by ATC from Casablanca, Africa. The last lap of their 7,300-mile sea-spanning trip was from Trinidad to ATC's Miami Army Air Field. Included among the latest Virginians to debark was Pfc. Frank Dean, 24, 71st Infantry Division, 37 months in Austria.

Certification of Divorce

This is to certify that Mr. Happynear D. Greatwinn, of Route 4, Jonesville, Va., was granted a divorce from Miss Golden Barker, of St. Charles, Va., on the 2nd day of May, 1945, by the Circuit Court of Lee County, Va. Decree recorded in the Clerk's Office of Lee County in Chancery Order Book No. 17, at page 90.

Adv. No. 28-4t pd.

NOTICE

To Whom It May Concern:

I am not responsible for any debts made by anyone except myself.

Signed:
D. H. LIVESAY,
841 Park Ave.,
Baltimore, Md.

Adv. No. 28-4t pd.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 17th day of July, 1945.

Mary Cecil Estes and E. F. Cecil, doing business under the name firm style of Estes & Cecil ..... Complainants

vs. Order of Publication

Mary Horne, Hugh Hicks Horne, Mary Ellis Horne Woody, Pvt. Jimmie Don Horne, Flora Nettie Tinsley, and George Olen Horne ..... Defendants

The object of this suit is to subject Lot No. 10 in Block No. 8 in the town of Pennington Gap, Va., to the payment of certain debts owing by L. L. Horne, at time of his death, and for funeral expenses.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendants, Hugh Hicks Horne, Mary Ellis Horne Woody, Pvt. Jimmie Don Horne and George Olen Horne are non-residents of the State of Virginia, and their last known address is Hugh Hicks Horne, 299 Leonard Street, Bristol, Tenn.; Mary Ellis Horne Woody, 39 Halsey Drive, Dayton, Ohio; Pvt. Jimmie Don Horne, P.A.S. N 44126192, Co. A, 14th P.N., 4th Regiment, Camp Gordon, Ga.; and George Olen Horne, Corner Haynes St. and 7th Ave., Bristol, Tenn., it is ordered that they appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to each of the defendants at their last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D C.
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"It's good to get home. We used to worry out there about whether people would think we were changed. Seems silly now. We had a dirty, messy job to do. And we did it. But we don't ever want to have to do it over again. Or our kids, either.

"That's more important to us than most people realize. I think most of the boys figure it this way: Don't go looking for trouble but be ready if it comes. One good thing we learned out of all this mess. Most everybody over there—in Europe and in Asia—trusts the U. S. A. —been trying to figure out why.

"It seems to me that it's the same reason why the dictators hate us so. We've got something no other nation possesses. Call it democracy, free enterprise, or what you like, it means every guy has a chance to amount to something and to enjoy the kind of living his abilities entitle him to. It means our government officials work for us—not us working for them.

"We don't want government handouts—or government-made jobs, which is the same thing. Like that buddy of mine said, 'I figure the only person who is going to take care of me is me.'

"That's the American way. That's what we were fighting for. And we're still ready to fight for it here at home—with ballots, not bullets. No sir, the old grind doesn't look bad to me. Because I'm going to make a better job for myself. And, who knows? I may be making a few jobs for somebody else one of these days."

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Jonesville PERSONALS

Mrs. M. D. Couk has returned from Jacksonville, Fla., where she attended the wedding of her daughter, Dorothy Cecelia Couk, to Ensign Walter H. Nixson, Jr., U. S. Naval Air Force. Ensign and Mrs. Nixson, after a visit to his home in Iowa will be stationed in San Diego, Calif.

Mrs. W. M. Smiley, Sr., of Salem, Va., has returned to her home after a visit of two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Don Couk, and family.

Mrs. Clyde Cridlin is visiting her husband, Lt. Clyde Cridlin, in Lexington, Va., where he is stationed for a short time. Their little son, Clyde, Jr., is here with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. P. Cridlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl E. Hyatt and children, of Abingdon, Va., have returned to their home after a brief visit with relatives and friends here.

Miss Mary Jess Richmond, who is employed in the State Selective Service office, in Richmond, Va., has been a guest of her mother, Mrs. M. D. Richmond, for several days.

Mr. Hastings Couk is attending Camp Ben Lippen, Asheville, N. C., for several days. Hastings was the winner of the prize "Jeep" given by the Lee County Committee to the junior selling the most War Bonds during the Seventh War Loan Drive.

Sgt. Robert E. Orr, who has been spending his thirty-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Orr, has returned to Fort Meade for reassignment. Sgt. Orr has been overseas for the past two years.

Mrs. Hallie Rosenbaum has returned from attending a short course in Home Demonstration Work at V. P. I.

Mrs. Pearl Ewing, who has been attending the University of Virginia at Charlottesville for several weeks, is now at home.

Misses Saluda Sewell, Lucy Walker, Irene Miner, and Mrs. Rhea Banner were dinner guests of Mrs. Ruth Pennington, at her home in Pennington Gap, Saturday.

Mrs. Ben Sewell was hostess to her bridge club Tuesday evening. Guests present were Misses Mary Jess Richmond, Lucy Walker and Mrs. Rhea Banner. High score prize for club members was won by Mrs. M. S. Martin, and high score for guests by Miss Richmond.

Mrs. John Lanningham, who has been taking a summer course at the University of Tennessee, has finished her work and is now visiting friends in Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Richmond and children, of St. Paul, Va., were week-end guests of his mother, Mrs. M. D. Richmond.

Miss Effie Farner, who has been employed by the Powell Valley National Bank here for several years, has secured employment in West Virginia, and will leave within the next few days.

Pascal Humphreys has returned from overseas and is at home here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lucian Humphreys.

News From KEOKEE

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Barker, of Big Stone Gap, visited his brother, Lee Barker, here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Polk Witt and children returned Sunday to their home in Montgomery, W. Va., after spending a week here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Witt.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Young and son, Ralph, are here from Michigan spending their vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. King.

Juanita Brown, Dayton, Ohio, spent a few days here with her mother, Mrs. J. G. Thompson, Sr.

Mrs. Clarence Hull and small daughter, Judy, of Dayton, Ohio, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Barker.

Claude Shook, who is employed at Clinton, Tenn., visited his wife and baby, Wayne, over the week-end.

Mrs. George Townsend returned home Saturday, after spending the day in Morristown, Tenn., visiting her daughter, Lillian.

Frank Pannell, of Newport News, Va., is here visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Moran Bush.

Everett Sizemore and family, of Imboden, Va., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Clark.

Holland Tritt and family have returned to their home in the State of Washington, where they have made their home for the past several months, after visiting here with relatives and friends.

Freda, Neida and Delano, children of J. G. Thompson, Sr., are back at home after spending most of the summer with their aunt, Mrs. Verda Hoskins, of Corbin, Ky.

Mrs. George King recently visited with her daughter, Mrs. Howard Kirk, in Lynchburg, Va.

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ATTENTION
Lee County Republicans
A Mass Meeting of Lee County Republicans Is Hereby Called To Meet At
The Town Hall
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FRIDAY, August 3rd
8:00 p. m. [C. W. T.]
The Purpose Of This Meeting Is To Nominate A Candidate For Member Of House Of Delegates
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Social and Personal

You'll be sorry if you miss seeing "God Is My Co-pilot", showing at Lee Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, Aug. 6 - 7.

Mrs. W. Z. Orr, of Jonesville, who has been very ill, is now reported improving.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Watson and little grandson, Billy Rogers, who have been residing at Pikeville, Ky., are now making their home at Oakland, Ind. Mr. Watson has been transferred from Pikeville to Oakland. He is employed by Walsh Construction Company. Mrs. Watson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Sage, of Stickleyville.

Mrs. G. F. Thompson and Sue were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Campbell, Thursday evening.

Mrs. Henry Garrett and daughters, Bette Jean and Nella Dean, of Lake City, Tenn., visited her sisters, Mrs. Ed Stout and family, and Mrs. Jake Howard and family, this week.

Mary Virginia Tipton, of Oak Ridge, spent last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tipton.

G.M. 1-C. and Mrs. Harry Litton are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Litton, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stout. Seaman Litton has been in the Pacific area more than two years. Mrs. Litton has been employed at the McCalls Corporation, at Dayton, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Gibson and children, Joyce Ann and Eddie, of Dayton, Ohio, visited his sisters, Mrs. Ed Stout and family, and Mrs. Jake Howard and family, last week-end.

Ensign Clarence Edward Keys visited friends and relatives here Saturday. Ensign Keys formerly lived at Jonesville, but his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Keys, now reside at Kingsport, Tenn.

Mrs. Bernice Cooper had as her guests last week-end her sister, Mrs. H. G. Gilbert, and grandson, Earl Hansel Repass, Jr., of Knoxville, Tenn.

Emma Wilder, Jenelle Howard, and Mrs. Paul McArthur were in Big Stone and Appalachia last Friday, shopping.

Chief Petty Officer Vergil Payne visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Payne, last week-end.

You'll be sorry if you miss seeing "God Is My Co-pilot", showing at Lee Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, Aug. 6 - 7.

Mrs. Bob Housley, Sr., Pvt. Tom Housley, Mary Elenor, Billy Bruce and Mike visited friends here last week. They returned to their home in Fountain City, Tenn., Sunday afternoon.

Misses Thelma and Ruth Campbell have returned from a two weeks' vacation with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Campbell, at their home in Norfolk, Va. While there they visited Virginia Beach and other eastern points.

Vera Litton, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., was at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Litton recently, and returned to her position Wednesday.

Curtis L. Ayers Promoted to T.-5 Grade

Curtis L. Ayers, son of Moss S. Ayers, Ewing, Va., has recently been promoted from private first class to technician 5th grade. T.-5 Ayers was a member of the Fifth Armored "Victory" Division of spearheaded Third, First and Ninth Army drives from Normandy across France, Belgium, Luxembourg and Germany to the Elbe River 45 miles from Berlin.

T.-5 Ayers' present job is truck driver with the 47th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, which is still in Europe.

Gone To Richmond

Miss Virginia Green, daughter of Mrs. J. P. Legg, and Miss Amy Jo Pennington, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Pennington, have gone to Richmond, Va., to work for the Dupont Company.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Campbell are spending their vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Campbell and Mrs. H. L. Anderson.

MARRIES AAF LIEUTENANT

Mrs. Wayne W. Livesay

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Jessee, of Pennington Gap, announce the marriage of their daughter, Anna Ruth, to 1st Lt. Wayne W. Livesay, Sunday, July 22, 1945.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. W. B. Moore at his home, using the double ring ceremony, in the presence of the immediate members of the families.

The bride wore a dress of aqua with black accessories, and a corsage of a single orchid. Her only attendant was her sister, Miss Doris Jean Jessee, who was maid of honor. The best man was Pvt. John H. Quinley.

The bride is a graduate of Pennington High School, and attended William and Mary College at Williamsburg, Virginia. First Lt. Livesay is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Livesay of Pennington Gap. He graduated from Pennington High School in the class of '41 ad was a student at Hiwassee College at the time he enlisted in the Army Air Corps in 1942.

POTEET — MARCUM

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Poteet, of Baltimore, Md., announce the marriage of their daughter, Thelma Jean, to Cpl. Dalner Marcum, on July 3rd, at the Memorial Chapel, Washington, D. C.

The groom is the son of Mrs. Maggie Marcum, of Jonesville, Va. Cpl. Marcum spent twenty months in the Pacific area. The couple will make their home in Baltimore.

Harber Brothers Overseas

Mr and Mrs. Ben Harber have just been notified by the War Department that their son, Sgt. Fred Harber, has just arrived safely somewhere in the South Pacific. He has been with the Marines for two years. The eldest son, Sgt. Orben Harber, has been in the Army Air Corps for four years, and for the last two years has been stationed somewhere in China.

Mr. Ira Brooks and daughter, Dorothy, of Harrogate, Tenn., visited his brother, Curtis Brooks and family, Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Skidmore and daughter, of Fork Ridge, Tenn., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Brooks, Sunday.

Little Helen Jane Brooks has returned home after spending a week with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Brooks, at Harrogate, Tenn. Helen says she enjoyed her visit so much because food and fruit was so plentiful.

Cpl. Robert S. Orr, Jr., and Mrs. Orr, of Camp Blanding, Fla., will arrive here tomorrow to spend about fifteen days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Orr, Sr.

Miss Judy Orr, student at the University of Tennessee, is in St. Luke's Hospital, Richmond, undergoing treatment for an injury in the knee, suffered some time ago, while playing basketball at Pennington High School.

Pvt. Tip James, son of P. C. James, of Jonesville, is now at home on furlough for the first time in more than three and a half years, three years of which has been in the Pacific area.

Shower For Mrs. Wise

Mrs W. T. Hall entertained at her home last Thursday evening with a miscellaeous shower for her granddaughter, Mrs. Gloria Hall Wise, a recent bride.

Lively games and contests were enjoyed, , refreshments served and then Mrs. Wise opened the big stack of packages containing gifts from the many attending guests. There were linens, chinaware, ornaments and all kinds of suitable accessories for a new housekeeper.

Visitors

Among the former citizens of our town here on visits this week are: PO, 1-C. Frank Thompson and Mrs. Thompson, who was formerly Miss Mildred Anderson, here from Corpus Christi, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Anderson, of Grundy, Va.; Mrs. Mattie Thompson, Sue and Roberts, from Columbus, Ga.

Dr. Haskall M. Miller, pastor of the Methodist Church at Gate City, Va., was an overnight guest at the home of Rev, and Mrs. C. D. Mehaffey, Monday night.

Mrs. Elmer Tomlinson had as overnight guests Saturday night Mrs. Claude Martin, Mrs. Ermet Walton, Mrs. Thurman Shelton and Miss Cora Evelyn Mathews.

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Hawood, of Harlan, Ky., and daughter, Anne, of Columbus, Ohio, spent Wednesday with Mrs. Eliza Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar P. Garrison and little son, of Richmond, Va., are visiting his mother, Mrs. E. P. Garrison, and other relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Flanary entertained at six o'clock dinner at their home at Dryden, Saturday evening the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Chance, of Hagan; Mr. and Mrs. T. M. King and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Southern, of Rose Hill.

FORMER LEE COUNTIANS

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Ayers and Son

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Ayers and son, Pvt. James C. Ayers, of New Albany, Ind., formerly resided in Lee County. Pvt. Ayers is now stationed at San Augustine, Texas, at a P.O.W. camp. Before entering service he was employed at Hoosier Ordnance Plant at Charleston, Ind. Pvt. Ayers is a grandson of Mrs. Dora Hess, of Pennington Gap.

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Town Talk

About This, That, And The Other

"In life there is nothing more unexpected and surprising than the arrivals and departures of pleasure. If we find it in one place today it is vain to seek there tomorrow. You cannot lay a trap for it."

M. Sgt. Hensel

We are indebted to Bert Vincent for "strolling" all the way to Corbin, Ky., to learn that Master Sergeant Frederic Hensel, hero of World War II, is a Lee Countian by birth.

Of course everybody knows by this time that Sgt. Hensel lost both legs and both arms in service, and that now he, with his wife, is planning to operate a chicken farm at Corbin.

To come through such ordeals as Sgt. Hensel has come through, yet maintain an ambition to go on with life and be self-supporting, speaks for itself of his fine gallant spirit; and where is the Lee Countian who will not hail with pride the fact that he is by birth one of us? In fact, it would be fitting for someone in our county to start a subscription fund to help Sgt. Hensel along with his project.

Above all, if anyone knows about his birthplace and parentage, wish you would furnish us the information, will you not?

Harold Burgan

We have another here, too—right in our midst: Harold Burgan, son of Mrs. Ruby Doss, who lives in Pennington Gap.

Harold is only eleven years old, but as brave as they make 'em. He has been crippled from birth; was born with an affliction called spinal bofida. He has managed to get along so far with crutches, but recently his crippled foot became infected and he was taken to the Crippled Children's Hospital at Richmond, where physicians advise that the foot will have to be amputated.

Harold is a brightlittle fellow and his cheerful outlook on life is remarkable, despite his affliction. He was a regular attendant at church and Sunday School, and had not missed for a year at the time he went to Richmond. Among his last words on leaving were:

"Be sure to put my offering in Sunday School tomorrow—it will be just like being there."

E. D. Woliver

In our list of "long termers" last week we failed to include E. D. Woliver, who for the last 16 years has held the most important job of all—that of raising foodstuff on the farm. He is employed by W. P. Kelly.

Yes, They Had Some Sugar!

Tuesday, July 31, was an eventful day in Pennington Gap, and the center of attraction was the A. & P. Store.

Crowds filled the store room, and as they departed, others who had been standing back waiting for entrance room came forward. When the rush was over and the crowds dispersed, the manager and clerks drew a sigh of relief, but were happy in the thought that they had been able to render such valuable assistance to housekeepers, especially at this critical canning season.

The occasion? Oh yes—they had some sugar to release!

Down on the Farm

By: R. C. CARTER, County Agent

Late Summer Alfalfa Seedings

Alfalfa may be seeded either in the spring or late summer. Seedings in the western part of the State should be made after

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WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Weather Bureau report for week ending July 29th, 1945, for Lee County, furnished by Cam J. Lewis, official observer:

Date July	Temperature Highest	Temperature Lowest	Rainfall Inches 24 Hrs.
23	89	60	.00
24	92	59	.00
25	94	62	.00
26	93	68	.00
27	94	64	.00
28	98	64	.00
29	95	68	.45

Pre-Induction, Induction Calls For August

Twenty Men Are Called For Active Service; To Report for Duty Aug. 16

Selective Service Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, Va., lists the following registrants in August pre-induction and induction calls:

Pre-Induction Call:

Clarence Johnson, Leona Mines; Sam Lee Davis, Olinger; Samuel Cletus Slemp, Olinger; Garrett Sowders, McRoberts, Ky.; Wheeler P. Fleenor, Route 2, Pennington Gap; Axlie Gilmer Mullins, Bonny Blue; Charles E. Holman, Benedict; Lawrence William Honeycutt, St. Charles; Holly Astrop, Route 1, Dryden; Wilson E. Sturgill, Route 1, Dryden; Joseph E. Miles, Dayton, Ohio; Cline Perry, Pennington Gap.

Claude William Arney, Route 1, Pennington Gap; Roy Bennie Cooper, Osage, W. Va.; Robert Phill David, Pennington Gap; Carl Capps, Keokee; Jessie L. Adkins, Route 2, Pioneer, Tenn.; Carl Lilborn Lovell, Exeter, Va.; James Junior Lambdin, Pennington Gap; Garvin Easil Travis, St. Charles; Frank Nicely Gibson, Pennington Gap; Thomas Jackson Hester, Jr., St. Charles; Bobby Lloyd Wideman, Pennington Gap; Hugh Dan Young, Leona Mines.

Robert B. Fritts, St. Charles; Rader Stewart, St. Charles; Wallace C. Vaney, St. Charles; Elmer Morris Livingston, Route 1, Keokee; Johnny Mickdom, St. Charles; James Cecil Robbins, Route 1, Keokee; Charles Clyde Litton, Route 1, Keokee; Edward R. Snodgrass, Keokee; Hansford Garrett, Keokee; Wheeler Stapleton, St. Charles; John Delbert Short, Keokee.

Induction Call:

Charles Enspry Horton, Kingsport, Tenn; Olin Cooper, Pennington Gap; Worley Edward Miller ,Bonny Blue; Edwin Baylor King, Kingston, Tenn.; Ray James Garrison, Oak Ridge, Tenn.; Hubert Napier, Route 1, Pennington Gap; Hunter Lee Malcolm, Aberdeen, Md.; Ewen Dan Speers, Route 1, Pennington Gap; Francis Joe Evans, St. Charles; William Conrad Bartley, Danville, Ind.; Doyle George Ward, Baltimore, Md.; Ottis Gilliam, Bonny Blue; Paul Lawrence Rutherford, St. Charles; William Arthur Wise, Pennington Gap; Phillip David Williams, St. Charles; Johnie Calvin Coffman, Route 2, Duffield; Fred Keith Wallen, Route 1, St. Charles; Edward Casetty Bryson, St. Charles; Charles Wade, Route 1, Big Stone Gap; Kyle Reasor, Route 1, Big Stone Gap.

I.O.O.F. To Hold Annual Celebration August 19th

The I.O.O.F. (Independent Order of Odd Fellows) will hold their annual all-day meeting at Woodway, Va., Suhday, August 19, starting at 8:30 a.m. (CWT). The program will inculde music, singing and speaking.

Principal speakers on the program will be Annie Mae Furlow, President, Rebekah Assembly; W. E. Frisbie, Grand Senior Warden and party; Rolland C. Craig, Grand Chief Patriarch; also other local talent from the Southwest section of Virginia.

Everyone is invited to attend this celebration and bring a basket of lunch. Also a refreshment stand will be on the grounds.

Several surprises are in store for the members of the various branches of the order.

Committee: Ross Collier, J. D. Collier, V. C. Gibson, Ellis Roberts, O. E. Hobbs, J. A. Henry.

Dryden WAVE Is On Duty In Postoffice

Geraldine F. Jessee, seaman first class, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Jessee, of Dryden, is now on duty in the postoffice at the Naval Air Technical Training Center, Norman, Okla.

Miss Jessee enlisted in October, 1943, and received her recruit training at Hunter College, N. Y. She is a graduate of Dryden High School. A brother, Lt. (jg) Jack W. Jessee, is serving overseas.

COMMISSIONED ENSIGN

ENSIGN CLARENCE E. KEYS

Clarence Edward Keys, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Keys, Kingsport, Tenn., was commissioned Ensign, USNR, July 9, 1945, at the Naval Reserve Midshipmen's School, Notre Dame University, Notre Dame, Ind., when 730 midshipmen graduated in this class of 1945, bringing the total of ensigns graduated from Notre Dame to approximately 11,000.

Ensign Keys graduated from Jonesville High School, class of '43. Soon after his graduation he entered the U. S. Navy. He entered the University of North Carolina, November 1, 1943, and finished his work there February 22, 1945. He entered Notre Dame in March, 1945.

CHILDREN'S HOME SOCIETY CAMPAIGN OPENED JULY 30TH

Dr. G. B. Setzler Again Serves As Local Chairman

Dr. G. B. Setzler, of Pennington Gap, has again accepted the chairmanship of the Children's Home Society Campaign in Lee County, according to the announcement of W. A. Roper, of Richmond, chairman of the State-wide Campaign Committee. The local drive was scheduled to begin July 30.

The State-wide budget for the Society totals $127,596, which is an increase of only 5% over the 1944 budget. The quotas, however, for most local campaigns will be increased approximately 10% due to the fact that no increases in quotas were asked last year, the Society being in a position to utilize other currently available funds to take care of the increased expense for the year.

During the past year the largest number of new children accepted during any year since the Society became a specialized adoptive agency were cared for by the Society. A total of 121 new children, of whom 113 were under one year of age, received care and protection during the past year, and a grand total of 451 children were in foster homes under the supervision of the Society during the course of the year.

Funds raised by the Society, which is dependent almost entirely on contributions, are used to provide boarding home care for babies and other children until they have been placed with parents who will adopt them, or until they can be returned to their own parents or relatives.

Pillboxes and Caves Used As Targets

When Pfc. Howard W. Grace, of Dryden, Va., with members of a 88th Division anti-tank platoon, couldn't find targets for their 57-mm anti-tank guns, they used their small arms to assist the rifle companies in taking an important hill in the Marikana watershed east of Manila.

Since there were no Jap tanks in the sector, the only targets were pillboxes and caves, but the anti-tank guns could not be brought to fire on the targets, because of impassable roads.

Pfc. Grace is the husband of Mrs. R. C. Grace, Dryden, and the son of Lee Grace, also of Dryden.

Pennington Gap Now Has Chief of Police

At a special meeting held at the Town Hall, Monday night, July 30, Claude Benfield was named Chief of Police of Pennington Gap by unanimous vote of the Mayor and Council.

Heretofore Mr. Benfield has been deputy sheriff of Lee County, with headquarters at Pennington Gap, and served in the capacity of police when his services were needed.

Officer Benfield was also voted an increase in salary, and is to be furnished a local jail. This will include rebuilt rooms under the city hall, Benfield states, and work will begin immediately.

Boy Scouts Are Camping On High Knob This Week

At 2:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon, 16 Pennington Gap boys, members of Scout Troop No. 82, left for a week's camping trip to High Knob, in Wise County, near Norton. They were:

Jack Stout, Sonny Hayes, Don Napier, Jimmy Smallwood, Billy Gordon Howard, Jimmy Fletcher, Gerald Vaughan, Jay Graham, Tommy King, Jack Shelton, John Culbertson, Charles Culbertson, Billy Shelton, Billy Beverly, Bobby Billings, and Assistant Scoutmaster W. N. Beverly.

Six other Scout troops will be these, Scoutmaster Claude Grace said, and on Friday night they will all unite in a Court of Honor, at which time the boys will be presented with badges of awards in token of their achievements and work done during the week. The following Scout committee from here will attend the Court of Honor and present the awards:

Guy A. Kauffman, Jack Pearce, Jake Chinsky, Dr. R. H. Dellinger, and Frank Parr.

W. N. Beverly writes Mr. Grace that the boys are having a good time, doing fine work, and will be home Saturday afternoon, although the other troops, it is understood, will continue their camping through next week.

Benedict Store Has Changed Management

Jessee K. Newman, of St. Charles, has become manager of Benedict Store, to succeed White Hargraves, whose resignation became effective August 1.

Mr. Hargraves and Fred Collier, who for the past several years has been manager of the meat department, Benedict store, have purchased the H. M. Williams store near Jonesville. Mr. Williams, it is reported, will operate a farm.

ODT Approves Lee County Fair, Sept. 3-8

The War Committee on Conventions of the Office of Defense Transportation this week extended their approval of the promotion of the Lee County Fair, to Robert C. Carter, County Agent of Lee, who is in charge.

Miss Helen Ferrar, of St. Paul, Minn., is here in the interest of putting on a show for Penning-

LOCAL BOARD I LISTS NEW REGISTRANTS FOR MONTH OF JULY

The following men became 18 years of age during the month of July, and registered with Selective Service Board No. 1, Jonesville, Virginia:

Bill Hatfield, Jr., Ewing; Joseph Garrett Campbell, Route 1, Rose Hill; Benjamin Franklin Bowen, Route 1, Jonesville; Olin Edward Greer, Route 1, Jonesville; Henry Paul Hill, Rose Hill; James McCoy Russell, Gibson Station; Silas Henry Glass, Route 2, Jonesville; Arthur Glen Pearson, Route 2, Jonesville; Champ Wade Lipps, Ben Hur; Arthur Harrison Wade, Route 2, Jonesville; Olin B. Byington, Route 4, Jonesville; Howard Finney Moore, Kyles Ford, Tenn.

J. B. Fletcher, Rose Hill; William Adison Fee, Jonesville; Edwin Paul Burchett, Route 1, Jonesville; Glen William Olinger, Fairview; Fred Garrett, Route 4, Jonesville; Clay Franklin Burke, Ewing; James Olin Bacon, Jr., Route 2, Rose Hill; Josh Taylor, Jr., Route 1, Jonesville; Charles Hagan Carter, Jonesville; Willard Carson Lipps, Ben Hur; Robert Chadwell, Ewing; Carl Willard Duncan, Ben Hur.

LEE COUNTY WAR FUND QUOTA SET AT $9,300

The quota set for Lee County for the 1945 Virginia War Fund Campaign is $9,300, approximately the same as last year, as announced by War Fund Chairman Miss Saluda Sewell.

The county fell slightly short of raising it's 1944 quota, but Miss Sewell is confident that this year's quota will be met, but only with plenty of hard work on the part of everybody.

Governor Darden is honorary president of Virginia, and Sam Carter, of Bristol, is the Ninth District chairman. The campaign will be launched early in October.

The twenty-two War Fund Agencies which will benefit by the national campaign, of which Virginia's part is $1,800,938, and the percentage each will receive follows:

USO, 49.00 per cent; United Seamen's Service 4.00; War Prisoners' Aid, Inc., 5.00; Belgium War Relief Society, 1.00; British War Relief, 3.00; China Relief, United, 10.00; Czechoslovakian, American Relief, 1.00; Denmark Relief, American, .14; European Children, U. S. Committee for the care of, .22; Field Service, American, .48; France, American Relief for, 3.00; Greek War Relief Association, 3.00; Holland, American relief for, 1.00; Italy, American relief for, 2.00; Latvian Relief, Inc., .12; Lithuanian Relief Fund, .27; Luxembourg, Friends of, .11; Norway, American Relief for, 1.00; Philippine War Relief, .50; Polish War Relief, 2.00; Refugee Relief Trustees, 2.00; Russian War Relief, 5.00; Yugoslav Relief Fund, 1.00.

NAVAL UNIT TO CLOSE

Emory Va., Aug. 2—Emory and Henry College's naval training unit will be discontinued Oct. 31, Bureau of Navy Personnel has informed President Foye G. Gibson.

SUPER-FORTRESS SOON TO BOMB JAPAN

Sgt. James E. Bess, Keokee, Member of Crew

B-29 crewmen at MacDill Field, Fla., who will man Super-Fortresses which will soon bomb Japan. They are, left to right, front row: 1st Lt. Gordon M. Christensen, airplane commander; 2nd Lt. Elmer W. Berry, co-pilot; 1st Lt. Bernard E. Howenstein, navigator; F.-O. Arthur B. C. Henry, bombarrier; 2nd Lt. Jack W. Williams, observer. Standing: Sgt. James E. Bess, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Bess, Route 1, Keokee, Va., engineer; Sgt. Lawrence W. Ritter, gunner; Cpl. Warren D. Brummer, gunner; Sgt. Clifford G. Wilson, gunner; Sgt. Donald E. Sims, radio operator; Sgt. Paul J. Levett, gunner.

Lee County Fair Prize List Announced Today

Candidate For Lt. Gov.

L. PRESTON (Pat) COLLINS

Lewis Preston (Pat) Collins, Ninth District candidate for Lieutenant Governor, has been spending the past three days visiting in Wise and Lee Counties.

Mr. Collins, who resides at Marion, expresses confidence in his nomination on August 7. He said:

"Vast claims on this District have been made by my opponents; but I am sure that this District will give me a sizeable majority. My opponents are making strong appeals in their own Districts; and while I think this should not govern the nomination of a candidate for State-wide office, I believe on this basis the Ninth will respond favorably to me."

Virginia Leads South In National Safety Contest

Virginia was the winner among all the Southern States of the 1944 National Traffic Safety Contest, and this award was officially presented to Governor Darden by Carroll E. Mealey, of New York, regional director of the National Safety Council, in the presence of Major J. R. Nunn, acting supernintendent, Department of State Police; Crawley F. Joyner, Jr., Commissioner of the Division of Motor Vehicles; and General James A. Anderson, Commissioner, Department of Highway.

This is the first time Virginia has received a major award from the National Safety Council, and Ned H. Dearborn, president of the Council, in notifying Governor Darden of the award, said: "This achievement in the conservation of manpower and materials so vital to our war effort is an honor of which you and every citizen of Virginia may well be proud."

Farms, Farm Lands In Lee County On Increase, 1945 Census Shows

The number of farms in the County of Lee, State of Virginia, as shown by the preliminary count of returns of the 1945 Census of Agriculture, was 3,751, as compared with 3,571 in 1940, and 3,683 in 1935. This was announced today by John H. Johnson, supervisor for the 1945 farm census in the Sixth Virginia Census District, with headquarters in Abingdon, Va.

The total land in farms in Lee County, according to the preliminary 1945 census count, was 219,523 acres, as compared with 197,211 acres in 1940, and 221,750 acres in 1935. Average size of farms shown in preliminary 1945 census count for Lee County was 58.5 acres, as compared with 55.2 acres in 1940, and 60.2 acres in 1935.

In announcing the 1945 census totals of farms and land in farms in Lee County, Supervisor Johnson pointed out that the figures are preliminary and subject to correction. Final tabulations of Lee County farm census returns will be made by the Bureau of the Census and announced from Washington when completed, Mr. Johnson said.

Elme Kell is here from Washington, D. C., to be with his father, W. J. Keel, who is ill at Lee General Hospital.

Awards And Prizes To Be Tops; Entertainment Said To Be Outstanding

The Lee County Fair is shaping up nicely with a gala program of entertainment and a stepped-up prize list to top all in the past.

Prizes and exhibits, amounts to be given and status of programs are outlined elsewhere in this issue of The Powell Valley News.

Dale Stewart's big display of army war relics of all battlefronts are coming along swell. Perle will have an outstanding collection and will pay some good prizes for relics submitted. Any kind, anything from any war country will be acceptable.

Radio stars and actors from many stations wil lappear daily.

The Labor Day program will be topped with the death-defying delayed parachute jump from a balloon in the sky, by the Flying Allens, one of the most spectacular and thrilling events any fair in the nation has to offer.

A very exciting array of fireworks will light the sky each night. An outstanding display will be fired on Labor Day.

A breath-taking circus act from 100 feet up, where two people do a whirl in wheels, stand on their heads on a flat piece atop a pole, and many other hair-raising stunts will be a feature.

The Jones Greater Shows will occupy the midway— a new carnival with a lot of shows and rides.

The horse show—the best yet—will last two days. Hereford cattle and livestock and agricultural displays will be the most outstanding in years.

The dates—September 3-4-5-6-7-8.

BOARD I EXPLAINS POLICY REGARDING EXAMS, INDUCTION

Selective Service Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va., states that the men who are deferred in 2-A, 2-B and 2-C classes, who are under 30 years of age, are being examined only. This does not necessarily mean that they will be reclassified or inducted.

Their examination is in compliance with regulations rather than feelings of the Local Board. They have a good chance to remain deferred, if they are faithful to their job.

Abingdon Pastor Guest Speaker Here Sunday

Rev. W. H. Duff, of Abingdon, Va., delivered two interesting sermons at the First Baptist Church here Sunday, in the absence of the pastor, Rev. P. R. Stubbs. The morning sermon was based on the life of Paul, and the evening topic was "The Plan of Salvation".

Rev. Duff was for twelve years a missionary to India, and Sunday evening at the Training Union he gave a talk on the customs of that country, particularly those of courtship and marriage.

Rev. Duff is pastor of the First Baptist Church of Abingdon.

Lee Coal Operators To Organize August 6th

Some 55 secondary coal operators of the coalfield area have called a meeting of all operators for Monday, August 6, at which time they will organize the Lee County Coal Operators' Association, according to Dewey Stallard, operator of the Stallard-Richards Coal Co.

Stallard said today the purpose of the meeting was to combine forces, whereby the small operators could ask for a transportation adjustment of their coal, putting them on equal basis with other shippers to all points.

The meeting is slated for Rich Cooper's office at Stone Creek, Monday night at 7:30 o'clock. Officers will be elected and attorneys employed to carry on for the small operators, who sell and ship from 25 to 50 railroad cars of coal per day, much of which goes by rail, and a considerable tonnage by truck.

News From
WOODWAY

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Creech and son, Larry, of Wytheville, Va., attended the funeral, Monday, of little Joy Lynn Creech, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Creech.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brannon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Flanary, of Pattonsville.

Major and Mrs. H. E. Robinette and daughter, Jacqueline, of Washington, D. C., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Fannon.

Friends of Mrs. John Medley will be glad to learn that she is recovering nicely from a tonsilectomy.

S. B. Culbertson, D. C. Sturgill, and Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Sturgill were among the interested spectators at the snake handlers' meeting at Stone Creek, Sunday.

Mrs. Beatrice Smith and daughter, Roselyn, Oak Ridge, Tenn., were guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Culbertson.

Mrs. M. E. Flanary and Mrs. E. R. Flanary were guests last Wednesday of Mrs. Mattie and Miss Ella Flanary.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mullins and daughter, Mary Kathryn, of V.I.C., are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Mullins.

Mrs. Allie Bailey and Mrs. Theodore Bailey and children were guests last Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Creech.

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Manpower Commission

Male workers of 26 and over who fail to meet minimum military service physical standards still must comply with employment stabilization regulations of the War Manpower Commission in spite of the recent modification of Selective Service restrictions on job-changing, Harry J. Willoughby, manager of the U. S. Employment Service office, said today.

Modification of draft rules, Mr. Willoughby declared, altered in no respect the requirement that such workers comply with provisions of the priority referral program of WMC for male workers. He said all male workers, unless exempted by the Employment Stabilization Program, still must be hired upon direct referral to the job by USES. Only USES, he pointed out, or an authorized agent, is empowered to issue certificates of referral.

According to Mr. Willoughby, one principal exception to these regulations has been made in the case of veterans of World War II. They are exempted from all regulations and are free to move to any employment they choose until oriented in work suitable to occupational aptitudes, abilities.

OPA GETS THE BLAME

Virginia's Agriculture Commissioner L. M. Walker, Jr., recently blamed the Office of Price Administrtaion for the food shortage, saying if something had been done to insure farm prices and provide for a continuation of production, the food shortage would never have occurred.

In contrast to their lack of action on the farm front, he called attention to a recent OPA order increasing the ceiling prices on Southern pine lumber.

"The Federal Government is paying $65.00 per 1,000 board feet for lumber on which $40.00 was considered a high price a few years ago," Mr. Walker said, adding that "there is greater absenteeism in the sawmill business than in anything in Virginia, largely because men in sawmills are making so much that they only work about half the time."

News From
BLACKWATER

Pvt. Roy Jack Hickam, who has been taking his basic training, I. R. T. C., at Camp Gordon, Ga., has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hickam. He left July 22nd for Camp Maxie, Texas.

Mrs. Florence Robinson, who has been quite ill, is slowly improving.

Arnold Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Anderson, of Kyles Ford, Tenn., who has served four years in the Pacific area, has recently been discharged from the Army.

John Edward Osborne, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Osborne, is at home from England for several days before going to the Pacific.

Miss Mildred Osborne of Dayton, Ohio, is at home with her parents for a few days.

Lt. Carl Livesay, son of Mr. John Livesay, is reported missing in action. He is with the Air Corps.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Hickam, of Knoxville, have been recent guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hickam and Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Couk and family and Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Kirtley, of Pennington Gap and St. Charles, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hickam recently.

Pfc. Ralph Robinette, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Robinette, is at home from England for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Elisha Lawson and daughter, Wanda, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Robinette Sunday.

James Howard Maness and Francis Johnson, of the U. S. Navy, are visiting their families, Mrs. Maime Maness and Mr. and Mrs. Davie Johnson.

Floyd Lawson, of the U. S. Army, who has spent several months overseas in the European theater, is at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Lawson, on furlough.

Pvt. Roy Roop, of Fort Bragg, N. C., and Mrs. Roop, who has been in school at Radford, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Robinette. They left Monday for Fort Bragg for a few weeks.

Miss Sally Frank Hickam, a teacher in the Oak Ridge, Tenn., school, is at home for part of the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Satterfield, of Kingsport, Tenn., were visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Satterfield, Sunday.

Lt. Carson Roberts and Charles Roberts, of Philadelphia, Pa., have been at home with their parents, Mr and Mrs. Mack Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Munsey, of Kingsport, Tenn., were visiting Mrs. Florence Robinson, Sunday.

Sammie Russell, who has been taking his basic training for the Navy, is at home on furlough. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs B. H Russel.

Miss Waive Robinette, who has accepted a position in Washington, D C., left recently to begin work

Miss Reba Watson and Mr Harold Ball, of Hunter's Gap, were visitors of Jack Hickam while he was at home on furlough

Mrs A O. Robinette left Sunday night for Greeneville, Tenn., and Sneedville, where she will spend a week visiting her sisters

Mr and Mrs. Roy Richardson and son, Lewis, and Mr. and Mrs Bradley Walton were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Flanary

Mr and Mrs. Jim Perry and daughter, Hallie, were visiting relatives the past week-end.

Miss Sue Mahan, Miss Evelyn Osborne and Leroy Richardson were horse-back riding Sunday.

Sgt. Lorain Flanary, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Flanary, has returned to his post at Nashville, Tenn.

News From
HAGAN

Mr. and Mrs. Sanders Grable and family spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gill Hensley.

Mrs. J. B. Carey and daughter, of Knoxville, Tenn., visited here last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ely.

Misses Mary Helen Hensley and Betty Ingle spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Will Ingle.

Mr. and Mrs. Cellie Thomas and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Apey Ely and family.

Misses Flora and Gladys Ely are visiting relatives in Knoxville, Tenn., this week.

Mrs. Earl Thomas and son, and Miss Anna Ruth Irvin are visiting relatives at Crab Orchard, Ky., this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hobbs have announced the marriage of their daughter, Wilma Ruth, to Junior Bledsoe, of the U. S. Army.

Jack McDonald, of the U. S. Army, is spending a 30-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nobe McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. Cellie Thomas and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thomas, at Rose Hill, Sunday night.

News From
POOR VALLEY

(Received too late for last week)

Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Olinger announce the birth of a son, Charles Ray, born July 18.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Sexton and family, of Osaka, were visiting Bradley Olinger and family last Sunday.

Miss Ethel Olinger, who has been very ill, is improving. Those visiting her recently are: Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Riddle, Stonega; Mrs. Martha Riddle, Mrs. John Riddle and family, of this place.

Ballard Olinger has been on the sick list for a month or so, but is better now. His grandson, Sgt. Lloyd Olinger, who has been stationed in England almost three years, has been moved to Scotland, and is expected home soon.

Cpl. Frank Gulley, of Dryden, who has been stationed in Italy for some time, writes that he is being sent to the Pacific, and will not get a furlough home.

James, Ernest and Clara Olinger visited with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gilbert and family, Sunday.

Pfc. Charles W. Riddle, stationed in China, writes that he is O. K., and hopes to be coming home soon.

News From
KEOKEE

Willard Bellamy and family, of Surgoinsville, Tenn., visited here last week with Mrs. Bellamy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Barker, and brother, Staff Sgt. Arthur Barker.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Asher and daughter, Marie, of Elizabethton, Tenn., spent last week-end here with his brother, Clyde Asher. They brought with them their two small nephews, Charles and Joe Asher.

Our postmistress, Mrs. J. G. Thompson, is spending her vacation with her daughter, Juanita Brown, and other relatives in Dayton, Ohio.

W. I. Jones, administrative secretary of L. M. U., was a business visitor here last week, interviewing prospective students. He was accompanied by Miss Margaret Asher, of this place, who is a sophomore at L.M.U.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wolfe and small daughter, Charlotte, enjoyed the show in Big Stone Gap, Saturday.

Mrs. Oral Lucas and daughters, Sonja and Beatrice Ann, are visiting her sister, Mrs. Ernest Ward, in Harlan, Ky.

Beulah Watkins, of Appalachia was the week-end guest of Bobbie Grace Stanley.

Miss Betty Shuler spent last week visiting relatives in Exeter, Va.

Miss Sarah Clay, who is employed in Newport News, spent a few days here with her mother, Mrs. Mollie Clay.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Melon and children, Cecil and Reba, of Pardee, visited her sister, Mrs. Jasper Clark, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ansil Bush had as their guests Sunday his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Bush, of Glenbrook, Ky.

Mrs. John Moore and children, Roger, Dale and Mickey, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. John Moore.

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News From
ROSE HILL

Mrs. Emma Rouse, Mrs. Fayne Bacon and Mrs. Hallie Whitt are patients in the Evans Hospital, at Middlesboro, Ky. Friends wish them all a rapid recovery.

Those from this place who spent last Thursday in Middlesboro are: Mr. and Mrs. Estie Surgeoner and son, Jimmie; Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hopkins and Billy Joe Hopkins; Mrs. King, Mrs. Nervie Barnes, Rev. Way, Mrs. Maggie Hammonds, Campbell Minor and Kelly Snodgrass.

William Hopkins, of Dayton, Ohio, who has been visiting relatives here and in the Beech Grove community for a week, returned to his home Saturday. He and his brother, Campbell Hopkins, and J. C. Hopkins, of Jonesville, visited another brother, White Hopkins, in Lafollette, Tenn.

A very large crowd attended the dedication service at White Shoals Methodist Church last Sunday. Several interesting talks were given by visiting church leaders, and a loudspeaker was used. At noon a plate lunch was served.

Several from here attended the colored folk meeting at Green Leaf Church, Sunday night.

Among those who visited Mr. and Mrs. Campbell Minor, Sunday, were: Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hopkins, Cecil and Willie Mae Hopkins, Jess Cope and Harmon Cope. Mr. Minor has been in ill health for some time, but says he is improving.

A revival meeting started here Monday night, July 23, conducted by the pastor, Rev. S. F. Way, and his assistant.

From The Pittsylvania Star: "Memo to Civilians — Don't ask a serviceman what he did in the war . . . he might very well ask you the same question."

Isn't the groom the best man at his own wedding?

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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

Pete Jr. Gets His Tenth Jap Plane!

Pete Swanson's son, Pete Jr., brought his tenth Jap plane down last week, and his dad couldn't help bragging.

Yes, I got to thinking about Pete Senior: how he hadn't missed a day at the war plant since the war began; how he'd worked overtime and Saturdays and Sundays; how he'd kept himself in shape, been temperate and sensible, so that he'd be at work clear-headed, bright and early every morning.

So, when he invited us over after work to drink a toast to his son in a sparkling glass of beer—I couldn't help toasting Pete Senior, too.

From where I sit, there's more than one kind of "ace" that's helping win this war . . . men like Pete Senior, too. And when the war is over, and the monuments are erected to the heroes, I hope they don't forget the workman on the home front—the man who stuck to his job like a soldier to his guns, until the Victory.

Joe Marsh

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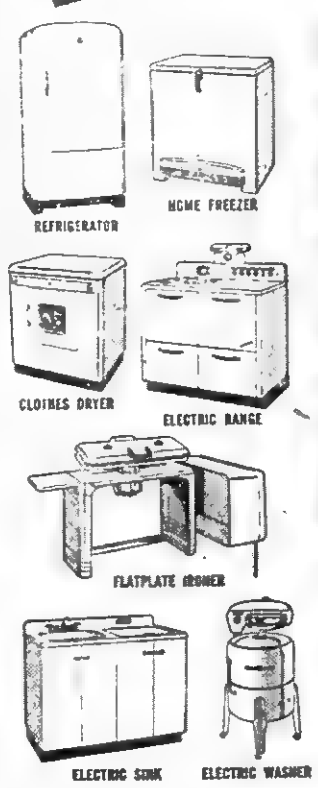

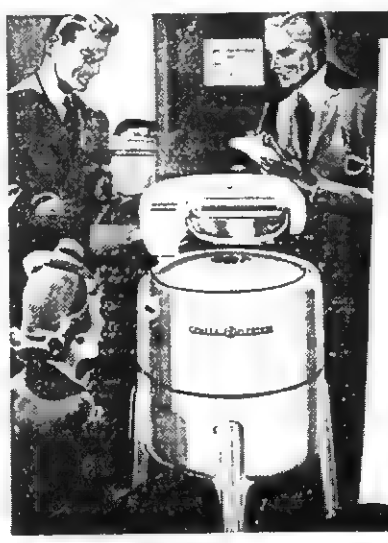

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To Whom It May Concern

By:

W. I. Jones

WHY BE PROUD?

"Oh why should the spirit of mortal be proud?" is said to have been Lincoln's favorite poem. Anyway it is a good one. Only a couple of dictators ago, Hitler and Il Duce strutted across the stage and threatened to enslave the world. They were haughty men who took themselves seriously. So long did they nurse their ego that they believed themselves to be the greatest men in history.

They could have been great. They could have added to the peace and prosperity of the world. Their factories and highways and ships and planes could have been a blessing to humanity. But instead of using these resources for the good of the world, they chose the path of the conqueror and deluged the world in blood and tears. Instead of being loved and respected as great leaders, Il Duce died in dishonor and Hitler is dead or hiding and neither has enough close friends to bury him.

History is the inexorable adjudicator of man's worth to society. Once it was said that Woodrow Wilson would be hailed as the great leader of all time. Today it is recognized that he was a great president, but his name is rarely mentioned. A year ago "F.D.R." was all over every front page and today he is mentioned only occasionally, with diminishing glory. Nobody retains his stature in the scorching glare of history. Too many things keep claiming our attention.

Why then should we rave and rant over more power and glory? The only road to immortality lies up the hill where there is a cross. Self-denial and not vainglory brings eternal fame.

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News From
BURKHART'S CHAPEL

Sam Carter, of the U. S. Army, who has been serving overseas, is spending a furlough with his wife and parents here.

Rev. Elmer Carter conducted services here Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Lola Moore, of Dunbar, is visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. Gladys Woodard and Miss Freda Parsons attended the funeral of Virgil Huff, at Holmes Mill, Ky., last Friday.

Mrs. Rachel Ridings and son, Charles, of Monarch, visited Mr. and Mrs. Julius Ridings, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Silven Rutherford and daughters, Dovie and Barbara, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glay Pennington, Sunday.

Mrs. Tina Parsons and Everette Parsons visited relatives near Dryden, Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Hassie Bolen and daughters, of Indiana, are visiting Mrs. Jane Woodard and family.

Truman Bailey and Keith Rutherford left Sunday for Detroit, Mich., where they are employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Ermine Alsup and son, of Poor Valley, visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Anna Mae Moore and daughter, Shirley, of Columbus, Ind., were visiting relatives here recently.

Miss Stella Madden, of Kingsport, Tenn., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Madden.

News From
MILLER'S CHAPEL

Miss Norma Lee Hall, of Oak Ridge, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rhea Hall.

Mrs. Richard Shelton and children were dinner guests of Mr and Mrs. Ewing Bledsoe, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Shackleford, of Benedict, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rhea Hall.

Mrs. Addie Kirk, of Jonesville, spent the week-end with her daughter, Mrs. Rhea Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Quillen, of Big Stone Gap, spent Sunday afternoon with her mother, Mrs. Kate Hall.

Misses Eva Poteet and Troy Hines were visiting Miss Melba Shelton, Sunday afternoon.

Guy Harvel is improving nicely after a long illness.

Mrs. Hughie Saddler spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Davis.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 17th day of July, 1945.

Mary Cecil Estes and E. F. Cecil, doing business under the name firm style of Estes & Cecil
Complainants

vs. **Order of Publication**

Mary Horne, Hugh Hicks Horne, Mary Ellis Horne Woody, Pvt. Jimmie Don Horne, Flora Nettie Tinsley, and George Olen Horne
..... Defendants

The object of this suit is to subject Lot No. 10 in Block No. 8 in the town of Pennington Gap, Va., to the payment of certain debts owing by L. L. Horne, at time of his death, and for funeral expenses.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendants, Hugh Hicks Horne, Mary Ellis Horne Woody, Pvt. Jimmie Don Horne and George Olen Horne are non-residents of the State of Virginia, and their last known address is Hugh Hicks Horne, 299 Leonard Street, Bristol, Tenn.; Mary Ellis Horne Woody, 39 Halsey Drive, Dayton, Ohio; Pvt. Jimmie Don Horne, P.A.S. N 44120192, Co. A, 14th P.N., 4th Regiment, Camp Gordon, Ga.; and George Olen Horne, Corner Haynes St. and 7th Ave., Bristol, Tenn., it is ordered that they appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to each of the defendants at their last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:

D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p. q. L. M. Robinette.

Adv. 29-4t.

Certification of Divorce

This is to certify that Mr. Happynear D. Greatwinn, of Route 4, Jonesville, Va., was granted a divorce from Miss Golden Barker, of St. Charles, Va., on the 2nd day of May, 1945, by the Circuit Court of Lee County, Va. Decree recorded in the Clerk's Office of Lee County in Chancery Order Book No. 17, at page 90.

Adv. No. 28-4t pd.

Russian Woman Makes Good Combat Soldier

Camp Pickett, Va.—Women in war can soldier with the best of them, according to Private First Class John L. Brock, of Ewing, Va., who met his first female counterpart in the person of a Russian woman in uniform, armed with a shotgun and serving in the First Ukrainian Army.

"We met the Soviet Forces about the first week of May, some seventy miles south of Berlin, on the Elbe River," explained Pfc. Brock who was then a member of a combat engineer unit completing the campaign in Central Germany.

The Red soldiers were happy to see the veteran engineer unit after identifying it as an American outfiet, and immediately began to share their vodka ration with the Yank troops.

"When the G. I.'s first saw the female soldier carrying a shotgun while guarding the bridge, they tried to mill around her. But she just shooed them off pointing her gun at them," Brock recounted. "However, it wasn't long before they convinced her that they wanted to be friendly and that they just wanted to make sure that she really was a girl combat soldier."

Hit by a truck in Miltitz, Germany, after surviving the battle of the "bulge" in Belgium and the crossing of the Rhine River, Pfc. Brock is at present undergoing treatment for a fractured hip bone in the U. S. Army General Hospital in Camp Pickett, Va.

Preceding his induction into the armed forces, Pfc. Brock was employed by the Black Star Coal Co., of Alva, Ky. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Finley Brock of Ewing, Va., and has a brother, Pvt. Willie Brock, stationed at New Cumberland, Pa.

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NINTH ANNUAL EXHIBITION

Lee County Fair

Pennington Gap, Va.

GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. The Lee County Fair reserves to its Executive Committee the final and absolute right to interpret these rules and regulations and arbitrarily settle and determine all questions, matters and difference in regard thereto.

2. The Fair also reserves the right to change or amend these rules and regulations should the Management deem such changes advisable, to change the order of events or time of judging, and otherwise alter the program because of weather conditions or other causes.

3. The Lee County Fair Management also reserves the right, in case of rain or other event which causes a falling off in attendance and thereby a diminution of the amount of gate receipts, to reduce the amount of premiums advertised to be paid.

4. The Executive Committee shall be composed of R. C. Carter, S. L. Carpenter, Virgil Q. Wacks, and Morris Fannon.

5. Grounds and buildings will be open to the public at 9:00 A. M. each day. Exhibit hall will be open until 9:00 P. M.

6. Every reasonable effort will be made by the management of the Lee County Fair and those in charge of the grounds to protect the property on exhibition and those in attendance from loss or damage, but in no case will the Lee County Fair Management be held responsible should loss or damage of property or injury to person occur.

7. All property of every character, whether entered for exhibition, display, or sale, or for any other purpose, will be taken into the grounds or building and kept entirely at the risk of the owner, who assumes all responsibility for any loss, damage, theft, injury, or accident that may occur while such property is on the grounds, or in the buildings of the Fair Management. Neither the Fair Management, its officers or agents will be responsible for any such loss, damage, theft, injury or accident, and it is distinctly understood that exhibitors, concessionaires, and all other persons, firms or corporations having property on the grounds and desiring protection for such property against loss, damage, injury, theft or accident must make their own arrangements therefor. Persons, firms, or corporations unwilling to enter their property for exhibit, sale or display on these conditions are requested not to enter it at the Lee County Fair of 1945.

8. In the event of conflict of general and special rules, the latter will govern. All matters not covered by these rules and regulations will be passed on and settled by the Executive Committee.

Admission Charges

Adult admissions 42c, Federal tax 8c, total 50c. Children under 12 years of age 21c, Federal tax 4c, total 25c. Children under 12 on Children's Day, Wednesday, Sept. 5, 9c, no tax.

Grandstand Admission

Adults 21c, Federal tax 4c, total 25c. Chidlren under 12, 10c, Federal tax 2c, total 12c.

Exhibitors' Passes

1. Each exhibitor in the livestock departments (horses, cattle, sheep, and hogs) will be given one (1) non-transferable exhibitor's pass good for each day of the Fair in order that he may properly care for his stock.

2. Each exhibitor in the other departments of the Fair having three or more exhibits will be given one pass good for Saturday, Sept. 8, when applied for in person by the exhibitor.

3. Exhibitors should apply for exhibtors' passes at the secretary's office as soon as practible after entries are made.

ENTRY RULES

1. Entries may be made without the exhibtor's having sent in advance an entry blank listing his exhibits. However, the management urges all prospective exhibitors, and particularly in the department of livestock, to notify the secretary in advance of what exhibits they expect to enter so that suitable and sufficient space can be provided for the accommodation of the exhibits.

2. No entry fee will be charged for entering exhibits in any department of this fair except as indicated in the Horse Show list.

3. Exhibits may be entered from counties other than Lee and be eligible for prizes.

4. Upon entering the Fair Grounds with the exhibit, the exhibitor should proceed to the barn or building where his exhibits shall be placed and contact the superintendent of that particular department. An entry card must be filed out for exhibit, giving all information called for by the superintendent, such as breed or variety, and must be entered in the name of the owner.

5. Superintendents in each department will begin accepting entries at 9:00 A. M., Wednesday, August 29, 1945, and positively no entry will be accepted after 10:00 A. M., Thursday, August 30, 1945, unless otherwise permitted by the executive committee.

6. Exhibitors shall place their exhibits, particularly livestock, in the places specified by the departmental superintendents. Reservations cannot be made in advance; however, exhibitors may have their choice as far as arrangement is concerned so long as it does not interfere with the best arrangement in that department. Departmental superintendents will have the final authority to govern the placement of exhibits.

7. No exhibit may be removed from the grounds or buildings until 4:30 P. M. on the last day of the Fair, Saturday, September 8, unless authorized by the Executive Committee. Premiums awarded will be forfeited if this rule is violated.

8. After 4:00 P. M., Saturday, September 8, the exhibitor must claim his exhibit, take entire charge of it and supervise its removal.

9. Superintendents may accept for exhibition articles or animals not listed in the premium list, provided space is available, but such entries will not be eligible for competition.

JUDGES AND JUDGING

1. The management will secure the services of recognized specialists to serve as judges in the various departments. No exhibitor or person connected with the Fair shall act as judge in any department, nor shall any such person discuss with the judge the merits of any exhibit before it has been judged.

2. Judges will be especially instructed not to award premiums to any animal or article because of its presence. It must be individually worthy. It is not the policy of the Fair management to encourage indifferent production or exhibition of any kind or to distribute premiums equally among exhibitors and no premiums will be awarded to any animal or article that does not possess high intrinsic merit.

3. When respectfully requested the judges will be expected to give reasons for their decisions.

4. An exhibitor attempting to interfere with or seeking to influence or intimidate by discussing the merits of any exhibit before or during the judging shall be promptly excluded from competition; if afterward any premium has been awarded to that exhibitor it shall be withheld. Any disrespect shown to a judge on the part of an exhibitor shall constitute reason to have that person's exhibits removed from the Fair immediately and he shall forfeit all awards that may have been previously made to him.

5. The decision of the judges shall be final and no appeal whatever will be considered.

6. Immediately after the judging in each department the superintendent of that department shall turn in a complete and accurate report to the Fair secretary.

7. The right is reserved to withhold the prizes awarded in case it shall appear to the management that the regulations have not been complied with or that fraud or deception has been attempted or where the article or animal is not worthy and the decision of the management shall be final and binding on all parties.

Livestock

GENERAL RULES FOR LIVESTOCK DEPARTMENT

1. General rules covering entries and removal will apply to this department.

2. Animals exhibited in the following classes are required to be registered in their appropriate breed associations:

A. Draft Horses Class 1; Draft stallions, purebred, any draft breed, 2 years old or older; Class 6, Jacks 2 years old or older. No other animals exhibited in the Draft Horse or Saddle Horse Classes are required to be registered.

B. All animals exhibited in the beef cattle classes are required to be registered in their respective breed associations except calves under six months of age, which must be from registered sire and dam.

C. All animals entered in the sheep breeding classes are required to be registered in their respective breed associations except lambs under one year of age, which must be from registered sire and dam.

3. No animal will be allowed to run loose on the Fair Grounds.

4. Each exhibitor will be responsible for the feeding and watering of his animals while they are on the Fair Grounds. The Fair Association will furnish straw, without cost to the exhibitor, for the purpose of bedding all animals. The exhibitor shall furnish his own feed for his animals.

5. Exhibitors loaning animals to each other for the purpose of showing in pairs or large groups is strictly prohibited. Animals must be shown in the name of the actual owner.

7. Reservations for stalls cannot be made in advance, but exhibitors will have a choice in the order that the exhibits come in so long as it does not interfere with the best arrangement within the barns. The departmental superintendent will be the final authority in the placement of animals.

8. Exhibitors bringing animals to the Fair Grounds but not entering competition within the Fair will first have to have permission from the departmental superintendent.

9. All exhibitors of livestock will be expected to keep their places and stalls clean by removing all manure and litter.

DRAFT HORSES

R. S. BANNER, Jonesville, Va.
Superintendent

1. Entries in this department must be brought to the Fairgrounds by 10:00 A. M., Thursday, Sept. 5. Due to the shortage of stall room for the saddle horses all except first and second prize winners may be taken home Thursday afternoon after 5:00 P. M.

2. Entries limited to two per exhibitor in each class.

	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	4th.
1. Draft Stallions, any draft breed, 2 years old or over; must be registered in respective breed Associations	$10.00	$7.50	$5.00	$2.50
2. Draft Teams, mares, gelding or mare and gelding 2 years old or older shown at halter or in harness	7.50	5.00	2.50	

3. Draft Mares or Geldings, purebred or grade, and draft breed, 2 years old or over shown at halter.
1st $5.00 2nd $4.00 3rd $3.00 4th $2.00 5th $1.00 6th $1.00

4. Draft Colts, mare or horse foaled in 1945, shown at halter.
1st $5.00 2nd $4.00 3rd $3.00 4th $2.00 5th $1.00 6th $1.00

5. Jacks, 2 years old or over, shown at halter	10.00	7.50	5.00	2.50
6. Mule Teams, 2 years old or over, shown in harness or at halter	7.50	5.00	2.50	

7. Mule Colts, foaled in 1945, shown at halter.
1st $5.00 2nd $4.00 3rd $3.00 4th $2.00 5th $1.00 6th $1.00

PULLING CONTEST

Rules as established by Horse Association of America:

1. Teams will be required to pull a loaded sled. After each team has pulled the initial load, the weight will be increased by adding sandbags until the winning team is determined.
2. Each team will be required to pull each load 27½ feet without stopping. No pull of less than 27½ feet will count toward winning unless neither team pulls the full distance. In this case the team making the longest pull for the particular weight will be declared winner.
3. Each team will be allowed three "tries" or attempts to pull each load. Failure to pull the load 27½ feet in one of the three pulls will eliminate the team.
4. No whipping or loud shouting will be permitted.

Horse teams—any age or weight mares or geldings.
1st $25.00 2nd $15.00 3rd $10.00
Mule teams—any age or weight.
1st $25.00 2nd $15.00 3rd $10.00

BEEF CATTLE

A. S. PENNINGTON, Pennington Gap, Va.
Superintendent

HEREFORDS

All Entries Must Be Registeerd In American Hereford Association.

	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	4th.
1. Bulls calved before September 1 1943	$10.00	$7.50	$4.00	$2.50
2. Bulls calved between September 1, 1943, and August 31, 1944	10.00	7.50	5.00	2.50
3. Bulls calved after September 1, 1944	10.00	7.50	5.00	2.50
4. Champion Bull	6.00			
5. Reserve Champion Bull	4.00			
6. Cows calved before September 1, 1943	10.00	7.50	5.00	2.50
7. Heifers calved between September 1, 1943 and August 31, 1944	10.00	7.50	5.00	2.50
8. Heifers calved after September 1, 1944	10.00	7.50	5.00	2.50
9. Champion Female	6.00			
10. Reserve Champion Female	4.00			
11. Get of sire, three animals, any age, both sexes, the get of one sire, all to be owned by exhibitor	10.00	7.50	5.00	2.50
12. Pair of Yearlings, one bull, one heifer, calved between September 1, 1943, and August 31, 1944	10.00	7.50	5.00	2.50
13. Pair of Calves, one bull, one heifer, calved after September 1, 1944, owned by exhibitor	10.00	7.50	5.00	2.50

NOTE: The American Hereford Association, Kansas City, Mo., will pay 25% of the above premiums directly to the exhibitor.

SHEEP

MORRIS FANNON, Pennington Gap, Va.
Superintendent

HAMPSHIRES

All entries must be registered in Breed Associations.

	1st.	2nd.	3rd
1. Rams one year old or over	$6.00	$4.00	$2.00
2. Ram lambs	4.00	3.00	2.00
3. Champion Ram	3.00		
4. Ewes one year old or over	4.00	3.00	2.00
5. Ewe lambs	4.00	3.00	2.00
6. Champion Ewe	3.00		
7. Pen of three ram lambs	4.00	2.00	
8. Pen of three ewe lambs	4.00	2.00	
9. Get of Sire, three animals, any age both sexes to be represented, the get of one sire bred by exhibitor	4.00	2.00	

SOUTHDOWNS

10. Rams one year old or over	6.00	4.00	2.00
11. Ram lambs	4.00	3.00	2.00
12. Champion Ram	3.00		
13. Ewes one year old or over	4.00	3.00	2.00
14. Ewe lambs	4.00	3.00	2.00
15. Champion Ewe	3.00		
16. Pen of three ewe lambs	4.00	2.00	
17. Pen of three ram lambs	4.00	2.00	
18. Get of sire, three animals, any age, both sexes to be represented, the get of one sire bred by exhibitor	4.00	2.00	

HOGS

MORRIS FANNON, Pennington Gap, Va.
Superintendent

POLAND CHINAS

	1st.	2nd.	3rd
1. Boars one year old or over	$4.00	$2.00	$1.00
2. Senior Boar Pig, 6 months and under one year	4.00	2.00	1.00
3. Junior Boar Pigs, under six months	4.00	2.00	1.00
4. Champion Boar	3.00		
5. Sows, one year old or over	4.00	2.00	1.00
6. Senior Gilt, 6 months and under 1 year	4.00	2.00	1.00
7. Junior Gilt, under 6 months	4.00	2.00	1.00
8. Champion Female	3.00		

DUROC - JERSEYS

9. Boars, one year old or over	4.00	2.00	1.00
10. Senior Boar Pig, six months and under one year	4.00	2.00	1.00
11. Junior Boar Pigs, under six months	4.00	2.00	1.00
12. Champion Boar	3.00		
13. Sows, one year old or over	4.00	2.00	1.00
14. Senior Gilt, 6 months and under 1 year	4.00	2.00	1.00
15. Junior Gilt, under 6 months	4.00	2.00	1.00
16. Champion Female	3.00		

Poultry Department

GENERAL RULES FOR POULTRY DEPARTMENT

1. General rules for entry and removal will apply to this department. All entries must be made in the name of owner.

2. During the exhibition no specimens entered can be removed except by orders of the superintendents.

3. Mature birds are those hatched during 1944; cockerels and pullets are those hatched during 1945.

4. In any case in which there is no competition only second premiums will be paid.

5. The American Standard of Perfection will govern the judging in all varieties.

6. All specimens shall be entered in their natural condition.

POULTRY

LORAN ROOP, Jonesville, Va., Superintendent

Section 1 — RHODE ISLAND REDS

	1st.	2nd.	3rd.
1. Cock	$0.75	$0.50	$0.50
2. Hen	.75	.50	.50
3. Cockerel	.75	.50	.50
4. Pullet	.75	.50	.50
5. Pen of Mature Chickens	1.50	.75	.50
6. Pen of Young Chickens	1.50	.75	.50

Section 2—BARRED PLYMOUTH ROCKS

7. Cock	.75	.50	.50
8. Hen	.75	.50	.50
9. Cockerel	.75	.50	.50
10. Pullet	.75	.50	.50
11. Pen of Mature Chickens	1.50	.75	.50
12. Pen of Young Chickens	1.50	.75	.50

Section 3—WHITE LEGHORNS

13. Cock	.75	.50	.50
14. Hen	.75	.50	.50
15. Cockerel	.75	.50	.50
16. Pullet	.75	.50	.50
17. Pen of Mature Chickens	1.50	.75	.50
18. Pen of Young Chickens	1.50	.75	.50

Section 4—NEW HAMPPSHIRE REDS

19. Cock	.75	.50	.50
20. Hen	.75	.50	.50
21. Cockerel	.75	.50	.50
22. Pullet	.75	.50	.50
23. Pen of Mature Chickens	1.50	.75	.50
24. Pen of Young Chickens	1.50	.75	.50

Section 5—MISCELLANEOUS

25. Best Pen in Show	$2.50		
26. Pair Games	1.00	.50	
27. Pair Bantams	1.00	.50	
28. Pair Turkeys	1.00	1.00	.50
29. Pair Ducks	1.00	.50	

Farm Crops Dept.

S. L. CARPENTER, Pennington Gap, Va.
Superintendent

1. Products must be grown by the exhibitor and be of 1945 crop.
2. The judge in this department will be instructed to divide the entries in each class into four groups, 1st prize group, 2nd prize group, 3rd prize group and unclassified. Each exhibit in the 1st prize group will be given 1st premium and similarly for each of the other groups.

CORN

Each exhibit of corn to consist of 10 ears.

YELLOW HYBRID VARIETIES

	1st	2nd	3rd
1. U. S. 13	$1.00	.50	Ribbon
2. 111, 448 or Ky. 102	1.00	.50	Ribbon
3. 111, 200 or Ky. 103	1.00	.50	Ribbon
4. Other Yellow Hybrid Varieties	1.00	.50	Ribbon

WHITE HYBRID VARIETIES

5. Ky. 203	1.00	.50	Ribbon
6. Tenn. 15	1.00	.50	Ribbon

OPEN POLLINATED VARIETIES

7. White	1.00	.50	Ribbon
8. Yellow	1.00	.50	Ribbon

SMALL GRAIN

9. Gallon Wheat	1.00	.50	Ribbon
10. Gallon Barley	1.00	.50	Ribbon
11. Gallon Oats	1.00	.50	Ribbon
12. Gallon Rye	1.00	.50	Ribbon

POTATOES

13. Peck Green Mountain	1.00	.50	Ribbon
14. Peck Cobblers or Chippewa	1.00	.50	Ribbon
15. Peck Sequoia or Sebago	1.00	.50	Ribbon

HAY

Each exhibit of hay to consist of a bundle or sheaf 5 inches in diameter

16. Alfalfa	1.00	.50	Ribbon
17. Red Clover	1.00	.50	Ribbon
18. Alsike Clover	1.00	.50	Ribbon
19. Korean Lespedeza	1.00	.50	Ribbon
20. Timothy	1.00	.50	Ribbon
21. Orchard Grass	1.00	.50	Ribbon

TOBACCO

22. Three Stalks Tobacco	1.00	.50	Ribbon

ENSILAGE CORN

23. Three stalks corn to be judged for suitability for ensilage purposes	1.00	.50	Ribbon

Horticulture Dept.

CAM J. LEWIS and ROBERT DeBUSK
Superintendents

1. The judge in this department will be instructed to divide the entries in each class into four groups, 1st prize group, 2nd prize group, 3rd prize group and unclassified. Each exhibit in the 1st prize group will be given 1st premium and similarly for each of the other groups.

APPLES

	1st.	2nd.	3rd.
1. Delicious	$0.75	$0.50	Ribbon
2. Golden Delicious	.75	.50	Ribbon
3. Stayman Winesap	.75	.50	Ribbon
4. Winesap	.75	.50	Ribbon
5. Black Twigg	.75	.50	Ribbon
6. York Imperial	.75	.50	Ribbon
7. Virginia Beauty	.75	.50	Ribbon
8. Newtown Pippin	.75	.50	Ribbon
9. Wolfe River	.75	.50	Ribbon
10. R. I. Greenling	.75	.50	Ribbon
11. Unamed Variety	.75	.50	Ribbon
12. Display One Bushel Basket, any variety	.75	.50	Ribbon
13. Sweepstakes, Five Varieties on Plates	1.50	1.00	Ribbon

NOTE: Each exhibit except Class 12 shall consist of one plate with five specimens on each plate.

GRAPES

14. Purple Grapes	.75	.50	Ribbon
15. Red Grapes	.75	.50	Ribbon
16. White Grapes	.75	.50	Ribbon

VEGETABLES

17. Beans (Green Snap), half gallon	.75	.50	Ribbon
18. Beets (10 specimens)	.75	.50	Ribbon
19. Cucumbers (6 specimens)	.75	.50	Ribbon
20. Carrots (6 specimens)	.75	.50	Ribbon
21. Celery, 3 bunches	.75	.50	Ribbon
22. Cabbage, 3 heads	.75	.50	Ribbon
23. Sweet Pepper (6 specimens)	.75	.50	Ribbon
24. Onions, half gallon	.75	.50	Ribbon
25. Squash (3 specimens)	.75	.50	Ribbon
26. Cushow (1 specimen)	.75	.50	Ribbon
27. Pumpkin (largest)	.75	.50	Ribbon
28. Kale, 1 gallon	.75	.50	Ribbon
29. Spinach, 1 gallon	.75	.50	Ribbon
30. Tomatoes, Red (5 specimens)	.75	.50	Ribbon
31. Tomatoes, Yellow (5 specimens)	.75	.50	Ribbon

VICTORY GARDEN SPECIAL

32. Display of variety of vegetables grown in home gardens, to consist of at least three fruit vegetables, such as corn, beans, or tomatoes; at least three leafy vegetables, such as kale, spinach or cabbage, and at least three root vegetables, such as potatoes, carrots or beets	7.50	5.00	2.50

Vocational Agriculture

AND 4-H CLUB DEPARTMENT

W. H. STARNES, E. A. DAVIS AND MORRIS FANNON,
Superintendents

1. This department shall be subject to the same rules and regulations as the Farm Products Department.

2. An exhibitor in the department must be a bona fide member in good standing of an F.F.A. Chapter or a 4-H Club and must be recognized as such by one of the Vocational Agriculture instructors or by the County 4-H Club Agent.

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CORN

		1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
1.	White Hybrid Corn (ten ears)	$2.00	$1.50	$1.00	$0.50	$0.50
2.	Yellow Hybrid Corn (ten ears)	2.00	1.50	1.00	.50	.50
3.	Open Pollinated White Corn (ten ears)	2.00	1.50	1.00	.50	.50
4.	Open Pollinated Yellow Corn (ten ears)	2.00	1.50	1.00	.50	.50
5.	Champion (ten ears)	1.00	Ribbon			

POTATOES

6.	Peck Green Mountain	2.00	1.50	1.00	.50	.50
7.	Peck Irish Cobblers	2.00	1.50	1.00	.50	.50

TOBACCO

8.	Three Stalks Tobacco	2.00	1.50	1.00	.50	.50

PIGS

9.	Registered sow pigs owned by 4-H or F.F.A. member (any breed)	$5.00	$4.00	$3.00	$2.00	$1.00
10.	Fat pig (any breed) weighing between 180 and 250 pounds. One entry per member	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.00
11.	Pen of three fat pigs (any breed) weighing from 180 to 250 lbs. One pig from each pen may be shown in Class 10	7.50	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00

SHOP WORK

12.	Exhibits single specimen: Shop work in wood or metal	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.00	.50

Ladies' Department

DEPARTMENT RULES

1. All articles entered in this department must be the work of the person exhibiting.
2. Exhibitors are limited to not more than one entry in any one class, and no articles can be shown in more than one class.
3. General rules for entry and removal of exhibits will apply to this department.
4. Exhibitors will not be allowed to place their own exhibits on display. The department superintendents will handle this in a manner impartial to all.
5. Competent superintendents, and guards will be provided to take charge and care of all exhibits, but in no case will the Fair Management be responsible for any loss or damage that may occur.
6. The Fair Management will furnish plates and wax paper on which exhibits in the Food Department will be placed on display.
7. Single items entered in group exhibits in this department cannot be entered in competition with other classes. The group exhibits must each be judged as a unit.
8. If in the opinion of a judge no article in a class merits a blue ribbon the award may be withheld.
9. All exhibits must be entered by 10:00 A. M., Thursday, September 6. Persons in charge will be on duty from 9:00 A. M. to 6:00 P. M.

Foods

MRS. P. R. HINKLE, Pennington Gap, Va.
MRS. C. D. MEHAFFEY, Pennington Gap, Va.
Superintendents

CAKES AND COOKIES

		1st.	2nd.
1.	Angel Food Cake, "no icing"	$1.50	$1.00
2.	Devil's Food Cake	2.00	1.50
3.	White Layer Cake	2.00	1.50
4.	White Loaf Cake	2.00	1.50
5.	Gold Loaf Cake	2.00	1.50
6.	Marble Loaf Cake	2.00	1.50
7.	Spice Cake	2.00	1.50
8.	Pound Cake	2.00	1.50
9.	Chocolate Layer Cake	2.00	1.50
10.	Caramel Layer Cake	2.00	1.50
11.	Cup Cakes (five)	1.50	1.00
12.	Plain Cookies (six)	1.00	.75
13.	Assortment of Cookies (twelve)	1.50	1.00

SPECIAL PREMIUMS — (Foods)

The Pennington Milling Company offers 50 pounds of Snow Goose or Kitchen Maid Flour for the winning cakes in Classes 1, 2 and 3 above, and 25 pounds for the second prize in these classes, provided the cakes are made from either Snow Goose or Kitchen Maid Flour.

PIES

14.	Apple Pie	1.00	.50
15.	Mincemeat Pie	1.00	.50
16.	Pumpkin Pie	1.00	.50
17.	Cherry Pie	1.00	.50
18.	Gooseberry Pie	1.00	.50
19.	Raisin Pie	1.00	.50
20.	Lemon or Cream Pie	1.00	.50
21.	Chocolate Pie	1.00	.50
22.	Caramel Pie	1.00	.50

CANNING

23.	Can Beets	.75	.50
24.	Can Corn	.75	.50
25.	Can Carrots	.75	.50
26.	Can String Beans	.75	.50
27.	Can Peas	.75	.50
28.	Can Peas and Irish Potatoes	.75	.50
29.	Can Vegetable Soup Mixture	.75	.50
30.	Can Pepper	.75	.50
31.	Can Squash	.75	.50
32.	Can Greens	.75	.50
33.	Can Tomatoes	.75	.50
34.	Can Sauerkraut	.75	.50
35.	Can Tomato Juice	.75	.50
36.	Can Sweet Potatoes	.75	.50
37.	Can Apples	.75	.50
38.	Can Blackberries	.75	.50
39.	Can Cherries	.75	.50
40.	Can Pears	.75	.50
41.	Can Peaches	.75	.50
42.	Can Raspberries	.75	.50
43.	Can Huckleberries	.75	.50

SWEETS

44.	Glass of Apple Jelly	.75	.50
45	Glass Blackberry Jelly	.75	.50
46.	Glass Grape Jelly	.75	.50
47.	Glass Plum Jelly	.75	.50
48.	Glass Peach Jelly	.75	.50
49.	Pint Raspberry Jam	.75	.50
50.	Pint Blackberry Jam	.75	.50
51.	Pint Strawberry Jam	.75	.50
52.	Pint Apple Butter	.75	.50
53.	Pint Apple Marmalade	.75	.50
54.	Pint Grape Marmalade	.75	.50
55.	Pint Peach Marmalade	.75	.50
56.	Pint Gooseberry Preserves	.75	.50
57.	Pint Blueberry Preserves	.75	.50

PICKLES AND RELISHES

58.	Jar Beet Pickles	.50	.25
59.	Jar Cucumber Pickles	.50	.25
60.	Jar Dill Pickles	.50	.25
61.	Jar Bread and Butter Pickles	.50	.25
62.	Jar Keg Pickles	.50	.25
63.	Jar Peach Pickles	.50	.25
64.	Jar Chow Chow	.50	.25
65.	Jar Corn Relish	.50	.25
66.	Jar Chili Sauce	.50	.25
67.	Jar Tomato Catsup	.50	.25
68.	Jar Pepper Relish	.50	.25
69.	Jar Relish other than named	.50	.25

Needlework

MRS. J. E. LANINGHAM, Pennington Gap, Va.
MRS. C. B. FRY, Pennington Gap, Va.
MRS. R. C. CARTER, Jonesville, Va.
Superintendents

QUILTS

		1st	2nd	3rd
1.	Applique Quilt	$2.00	$1.00	$0.50
2.	Pieced Quilt	2.00	1.00	.50
3.	Quilted Quilt	2.00	1.00	.50

SPREADS

4.	Spread — crocheted	2.00	1.00	.50
5.	Spread — knitted	2.00	1.00	.50
6.	Spread — embroidered	1.00	.50	.50
7.	Spread — tufted	1.00	.50	.50

RUGS

8.	Hooked Rug	1.00	.50
9.	Crocheted or Braided Rug	1.00	.50

LADIES' WEAR

10.	Tailored Dress	1.00	.50
11.	Apron	1.00	.50
12.	Blouse	1.00	.50
13.	Knitted Sweater (fancy)	1.50	1.00
14.	Knitted Sweater (plain)	1.50	1.00
15.	Fascinator	1.00	.50
16.	Gloves or Mittens	1.00	.50
17.	Crocheted Bedroom Slippers	1.00	.50
18.	Knitted Bedroom Slippers	1.00	.50

CHILDREN'S WEAR

19.	Child's Play Dress	1.00	.50
20.	Infant's Dress	1.00	.50
21.	Infant's Set — Cap, Bootees, Sacque	1.00	.50

HOUSEHOLD LINENS

22.	Embroidered Bridge or Luncheon Set	1.00	.50
23.	Breakfast Room Set	1.00	.50
24.	Crocheted Table Cloth	2.00	1.00
25.	Crocheted Luncheon Set	1.00	.50
26.	Pillow Cases — Crochet	1.00	.50
27.	Pillow Cases — Embroidery	1.00	.50
28.	Embroidered Towels (Set of 3)	1.00	.50
29.	Tea Towels (Set of 3)	1.00	.50
30.	Scarf	.75	.50
31.	Sheets	1.00	.50

MISCELLANEOUS

32.	Handkerchiefs	.75	.50
33.	Pocket Book and Hat Set	1.00	.50
34.	Knitted Lace	.75	.50
35.	Crocheted Lace	.75	.50
36.	Crocheted Centerpiece	1.00	.50
37.	Knitted Centerpiece	1.00	.50
38.	Tatting	.75	.50
39.	Pillow Tops	1.00	.50
40.	Embroidered Centerpiece	1.00	.50
41.	Knitted Sweater — Men's	1.50	1.00
42.	Needlepoint	2.00	1.00
43.	Embroidered Pictures	1.00	.50
44.	Pictures — Oil	2.00	1.00
45.	Pictures — Water Color	2.00	1.00

Flowers

MRS. J. A. WOLFE, Jonesville, Va.
MRS. A. J. STACY, Pennington Gap, Va.
Superintendents

1. Exhibitors must furnish their own containers.
2. Flowers will be entered and judged Friday, September 7.
3. Flowers will be judged as to color, size, substance and perfection of bloom.

CUT FLOWERS

Floricultural Division

		1st.	2nd.
1.	Best Five Asters	$0.75	$0.25
2.	Best Three Dahlias (Decorative)	.75	.25
3.	Best Three Dahlias (Cactus)	.75	.25
4.	Best Three Dahlias (Show)	.75	.25
5.	Best Three Dahlias (Pompom)	.75	.25
6.	Best Three Gladoli	1.00	.50
7.	Best Three Roses (H. T.)	1.00	.50
8.	Best One Cluster Floribundas or Polyanthus	1.00	.50
9.	Best Lily	.75	.25

ARRANGEMENTS DIVISION

10.	Cosmos	.75	.25
11.	Dahlias (Miniature)	.75	.25
12.	Dahlias (Any Type)	.75	.25
13.	Gladoli	.75	.25
14.	Marigolds	.75	.25
15.	Petunias	.75	.25
16.	Nasturtiums	.75	.25
17.	Roses	1.00	.50
18.	Water Lilies or Lotus	.75	.25
19.	Wild Flowers	.75	.25
20.	Zinnias (Large)	.75	.25
21.	Zinnias (Small)	.75	.25
22.	Typifying Peace, Accessories Allowed	.75	.25
23.	Table, Accessories Allowed	.75	.25

POTTED PLANTS

24.	Best Flowering Plant	.75	.25
25.	Best Foliage Plant	.75	.25

CHILDREN'S ARRANGEMENTS

26.	Miniature	.75	.25
27.	Pair Small Vases	.75	.25
28.	Miniature Garden	1.00	.50

War Relics

R. P. STEWART, Pennington Gap, Va.—Superintendent
War Material, Weapons or Equipment of World War II, 1939-1945—Either Allied Or Enemy.

		1st	2nd	3rd	4th
1.	Most interesting single item of equipment	$10.00	$5.00	$2.50	
2.	Most interesting collection of five or more items of equipment	15.00	10.00	5.00	2.50

NOTE. Each entry should have a short typed statement giving description and history of the particular relic.

News From JONESVILLE

Mrs. G. W. Ball

Route Four

The revival at York is continuing through this week. There have been a number of conversions and much interest is manifest. Rev. Loudy, the guest evangelist, is delivering some very impressive sermons, and Rev Perkins, the pastor, is in charge of the singing. The Perkins children have rendered instrumental music from time to time.

According to present plans, work will be begun some time during this week on repairing and and painting the church, which is badly needed.

Misses Opal Roop, Stella Conn, Mary Johnson and others from Jonesville are regular attendants at the night services here.

A boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Honeycutt recently Also a girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Osborne.

W. J. Roberts will soon have his new barn completed. Others are building barns, tobacco sheds, etc., getting ready for the new tobacco crop.

The people in this community are very much enjoying the visits of the ministers in their homes. Rev. Loudy has won many friends here.

Mrs. Roy Ball, of Appalachia, will be visiting relatives in this section in the near future.

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Cumberland Plays At St. Charles, Sunday

Pennington Beat Oreton and St. Charles Shut Out Cumberland, Sunday

The St. Charles Miners are still producing heavy tonnage in the Lonesome Pine League — they moved out front by a game and a half, Sunday, as the veteran "Red" Walker, former strike-out king of the Appalachian and Sally Leagues, brushed Cumberland back into the rear by a score of 5 to 0 at Cumberland, allowing the Mountaineers only five very scattered hits.

The Pennington Gap Bears, one of the hardest hitting clubs of the league, nosed out Oreton 5 to 4 in an eleven inning tussle at Pennington Gap, while Jonesville and Dunbar took a holiday because of wet grounds.

The same clubs meet on opposite grounds next Sunday. Cumberland comes to St Charles; Jonesville plays a double bill at Dunbar; and Pennington Gap goes to Andover to meet Oreton.

Heavy stick-work on the part of the St. Charles Miners, plus the magnificent twirling of Walker, did the trick at Cumberland. "Big" Hack Pope put the game on ice in the second inning, when Holman was safe on an error at short; Stallard had singled, pushing Holman to second Pope got hold of one of "Wheelhorse" Wheelock's breezy ones and sent it far over left field wall for a home run. In the fourth frame, Pannell singled; Holman followed with a long home run over left centerfield fence into the Benham camps for a homer, increasing the Miners' lead to five, where it remained.

Walker, Foster and Pannell collected two hits each for St. Charles; Pope and Holman hit homers. Galloway connected for two for Cumberland. St. Charles collected 11 hits off Wheelock.

Fugate Reasor pitched Pennington Gap to their second win of the season by defeating Oreton 5 to 4 in eleven innings at Pennington Gap. Reasor allowed but seven scattered hits, while Pennington lambasted 15 off Mabe.

The winning run crossed the pan in the eleventh, with one out. Gilbert singled; Stewart was safe on a fielders' choice, forcing Martin; Smith singled; Melzoni sent a short single into right, scoring Gilbert to end the game.

Melzoni and Gilbert led the Bears' scoring, with three hits each; H. Smith, Reasor and Myers had two each. James led Oreton with three; Moore got two.

THE OFFICIAL STANDING

Team	W	L	Pct.
St. Charles	10	2	.833
Cumberland	9	4	.692
Jonesville	6	5	.545
Dunbar	6	6	.500
Oreton	4	9	.308
Pennington	2	11	.154

RELIGIOUS FAITH CULT IS GIVEN WIDE NEWS COVERAGE

The Stone Creek religious faith cultists' ceremonies Sunday, which attracted some 5,000 spectators, seemingly attracted representatives of the press from over a wide area. Newsmen and cameramen present to cover the story nationally included the following:

Henry Lesesne, Associated Press staff correspondent, from Atlanta, Ga.; Horace Cort, Associated Press photographer, Atlanta, Ga.; Roy P. Davis, staff correspondent, and A. Aubrey Bodine, from the Baltimore Sun papers, Baltimore, Md.; Samuel VanCuren, American weekly correspondent and photographer; Walter Crockett, Bristol Herald-Courier; Ellis Binkley, managing editor of the Kingsport Times, doing photography, and Eileen Crawford, reporting; Virgil Q. Wacks, Look Magazine and Pathfinder Magazine, pictures and story.

Also the United Press and several other syndicates were represented through various channels.

First Baptist Church

Sunday, August 5th: Sunday School at 9:30 a. m., A. T. Burchette, Supt. Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon by the Rev. W. H. Parrott, pastor of Admant Baptist Church.

Evening: Training Unions meet at 6:30. Evening worship at 7:30. Sermon by Rev. Parrott.

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

P. R. Stubbs, Pastor.

FOR SALE

Seventeen acres land, 5-room cinder block house; electricity, right-of-way to a spring. Three miles east of Pennington Gap on Dry Branch. C. M. Rutherford, Owner. Adv. No. 31-4t pd.

Deaths AND FUNERALS

Mrs. Elizabeth Hess

Mrs. Elizabeth Hess died at Lee General Hospital, Saturday, July 28, at the age of 91. Funeral services were held at her home in Maness on Monday, July 30, with Rev. W. H. Parrott in charge. Burial on Wallen Creek.

Mrs. Hess was the widow of the late W. J. Hess, and daughter of the late Joseph Galloway and Elizabeth Johnson Galloway. She was a sister of A. J. Galloway, Pennington Gap, Route 2. She is survived by one son, W. J. Hess.

Joy Lynn Creech

Joy Lynn, the four-day-old daughter of Otis Creech and Mrs. Alice Myers Creech, died at Lee General Hospital, July 29, and was buried the following day at Cecil's Cemetery. Brief services were held at the home by Rev. Charlie D. Mehaffey.

Bus Driver Designs Way To Collect Half - Fares

Merle Horton, former school teacher and basketball coach at Jonesville, and presently a bus driver on the route from Appalachia to Stone Creek, has discovered a way whereby bus drivers may know when small children who are ont required to pay a fare have passed into the age bracket wherby half-fare is required.

Says Horton: "A woman of about 40 boarded my bus this week at Keokee, headed for Stone Creek. Her fare was 58 cents. With her was a large boy, I would say about 14 years of age. I asked for his fare, and the woman replied: "I hain't never paid fer him; he rides free." I asked his age; the woman replied: "He ain't old enough to pay." I told her that those who were too young to pay half fare would have to ride on their mother's lap. She replied: "All right; come on, son", and they went back about half way in the bus. She took a seat and the big boy climbed on her lap. Later at another junction where the major portion of my heavy load got off, leaving many empty seats, I looked back and the boy was sitting beside the woman. I called on her to get him back upon her knees or pay his fare; he climbed back upon her knees. I looked back when we were almost to Stone Creek to see how they were coming along, and lo and behold! the woman was on top, sitting on the boy's lap. I've driven a bus a long time, and seen many funny things, but that tops them all," Horton said.

He further added: "They returned thta afternoon. But both gladly paid fares. The boy had a half-fare ticket, and there was no argument."

FOR SALE

One Used Oliver Typewriter. See: Rhea Parsons, Pennington Gap, Va.

Methodist Church

Sunday morning, August 5th: Church School at 9:30, Clyde M. Kirk, Supt. Morning worship at 10:45, A. S. Pennington, District Lay Leader, speaker. Special music.

Evening: Young People's Groups meet at 6:30. Evening worship at 7:30, W. H. Creech, local layman, speaker.

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Charlie D. Mehaffey, Pastor.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 1st day of August, 1945.

F. A. Stacey, Minnie Livingston, Maude Manning, C. H. Stacey, Hascue Lawson, Dorothy Baker, Nellie Lawson, Sue Oliver, Margaret Willis, Harmon Lawson, William Lawson, Howard Lawson, and Marie Lawson, who sues by Hascue Lawson, their next friend, Lloyd M. Robinette, Executor of F. A. Maness, deceased, Complainants

vs. Order of Publication

Laura Kiser, Mary Begley, Martha Robinette, Frances Sizemore, Maude Osborne, Fred Charlton Stacey, Henry Stacey, Mildred Ford, Earl Maness, Ed E. Maness, Roy E. Maness, Josie Irvine, Mary Catron, Grace Wilder Williams, Claude Wilder, Wiley Wilder, Alice Burchett, Nellie Warner, George Wilder, and Emma Lee Tonker ..... Defendants

The object of this suit is to sell a certain 200 acre tract situated in the Hickory Hill section, Jonesville Magisterial District, Lee County, Virginia, formerly belonging to F. A. Maness, deceased, and to distribute the proceeds of said sale according to the terms of the last will and testament of the said F. A. Maness, deceased, dated July 18, 1928.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendants, Laura Kiser, Mary Begley, Fred Charlton Stacey, Ed E. Maness, Roy E. Maness, Alice Burchett, Nellie Warner, George Wilder, Emma Lee Tonker, Claude Wilder and Wiley Wilder are non-residents of the State of Virginia, and their last known address is Laura Kiser, Marion, N. C., R.F.D. 1; Mary Begley, 117 W. Tague St., Greenfield, Ind.; Fred Charlton Stacey, ASN 3388571, Co. E, A.P.O. No. 15665, c-o Postmaster, New York, N. Y.; Ed E. Maness, Ridge, Tenn; Roy E. Maness, Oak Ridge, Tenn.; Alice Burchett, Salem, Illinois; Nellie Warner, 406½ Days Ave., Buchanan, Michigan; George Wilder, ASN No. 33531112, 823rd Sig. Co., A.P.O. No. 492, c-o Postmaster, New York, N. Y.; Emma Lee Tonker, 406½ Days Ave., Buchanan, Michigan; Claude Wilder, address unknown; Wiley Wilder, SSMB 3-C., S. I., Division U.S.S. Hornet, c-o Fleet Postoffice, San Francisco, California; it is ordered that they appear here within ten days after due publication hereof, and do what may be necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to each of the defendants at their last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:

D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p. q. L. M. Robinette.
Adv. No. 31-4t.

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Aboard An Escort Carrier

Paul Omus Ely, 22, seaman first class, USN, Rose Hill, Va., is serving aboard an escort carrier in the Pacific. A member of the plane handling crew during fourteen months in the Pacific, Ely has seen action at Panau, Leyte, Mindoro, Luzon, and the battle for Leyte Gulf.

Before entering the Navy in July, 1943, he was employed by the L. & N. Railroad, and made his home with an aunt, Miss Ralyeen Ely, of Rose Hill.

Aboard the USS Quincy

Everett L. Moore, 19, seaman second class, USNR, of Pennington Gap, went to the shores of Japan recently and helped a mighty naval task force hurl dynamite into the Japanese homeland.

In a force of Third Fleet warships, the Quincy turned her powerful guns on the Honshu steel city of Kameishi, 275 miles north of Tokyo. More than 1,000 carrier-based planes also figured in the attack. The first ship to be fired upon the Normandy landings, the Quincy was under fire for 19 days without a single casualty.

In Service More Than Five Years

We are in receipt of a letter from Roy C. Gibson (he failed to state his rank) dated Germany, July 6, telling us that he has been in the Army more than five years; that at present he is "sweating it out" with General Patton's Army; that his aunt, Mrs. Garfield Hendricks, sends him copies of The Powell Valley News and that he "adores" it.

We fully appreciate this boost, and hope —— Gibson, along with all the others in the service, will soon be coming back home again.

"Hope" Back Into States

Pvt. Clarence H. Goins, 19, is one of the nine Virginia G.I.'s flown to the States recently under the redeployment plan which calls for ATC to return 50,000 combat soldiers to the States each month by air. They covered the 3,700 mile hop from Casablanca in record time.

They were flown to Miami, Fla., and the next stop will be Camp Blanding, Fla., where they will be routed to reception centers closer to home for release from service to furlough prior to reassignment.

Is Ammunition Bearer

Pfc. William N. Seabolt, of Pennington Gap, is an ammunition bearer in the 80th "Blue Ridge" Infantry Division's illustrious and heroic battalion of the 318th Infantry Regiment which recently received the coveted Presidential Unit Citation in the name of the late President Franklin D. Roosevelt, as announced in orders of the War Department, Washington, D. C., signed by Chief of Staff, General of the Armies George C. Marshall.

The decoration accompanying the citation is a gold-framed blue ribbon, worn on the right chest, the only American decoration so worn

Sgt. Yeary In Germany

Staff Sgt. Robert R. Yeary, of Route 1, Ewing, Va., is with Company M, 393rd Infantry, of the 99th Infantry Division, now with the Third U. S. Army in Germany. He and his buddies of the "Checkerboard" Division played leading roles in toppling Hitler's Fortress Germany While with General Courtney Hodge's First U. S. Army, the soldiers of the 99th helped storm through the Siegfried Line, then across the Cologne Plain, and were the first infantry division of First Army to bring its forces up to the Rhine. After crossing the famed river, and participating in cleaning out the Ruhr Pocket, the 99th was transferred to General George Patton's Third Army and assisted in the final grand-slam drive across the Danube to the heart of Bavaria.

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News From JONESVILLE

Route Two

Mr. and Mrs. Rhea Hall had as dinner guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Shackleford, S. Edwards and Mrs. Jack Skiles, of St. Charles; also her daughter, Norma, employed at Oak Ridge, and her mother, Mrs. John Kirk, spent the week-end with the Halls.

Miss Roberta Hall spent Saturday night with Mrs. Carl Kirk.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Quillen, of Big Stone Gap, visited Mrs. Kate Hall, Sunday.

Miss Norma Hall visited with Miss Melba Shelton, Sunday.

Roberta Hale spent last week in Kingsport, Tenn., visiting Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sams.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Noe, of Buchanan, Mich., were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dave Fleenor last week.

Mrs. Minnie McPherson is recovering from an illness.

Johnnie E. King, of Benham, Ky., is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Ted Andis.

Mrs. Stella Presley is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Mary Flanary, of Benedict.

Mrs. Eliza Stone, of Knoxville, Tenn., was visiting her mother, Mrs. Alice Flanary, over the week end.

Mrs. Larkin Mullins and sons, Jim and Bob, of Derby, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. G. M. and Mrs. Ted Andis.

Mrs. G. J. Lee left recently for North Carolina to join her husband, Curtis Lee.

Miss Maggie Ringley is spending a vacation here with her mother, Mrs. Grace Ringley.

Nancy Andis has been spending the past two weeks in Derby.

Tila Griger spent last week with Norma Spangler.

News From BENEDICT

Sgt. Luster Roberts, of the U. S. Army, who has just arrived from Germany, is visiting here with his wife and relatives.

Pfc. John Howard Yates, also just arrived from Germany, is visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Yates and family, on a 30-day furlough.

Mrs. Beulah Terry, of Ben Hur, visited friends here Monday.

Mrs. Mable Sturgill, of Duffield, was visiting among relatives the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Estep and daughter, Louise; Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie McPherson spent last week-end with relatives in Tennessee.

Elmer Scarborough and daughter, Rose Evelyn, visited relatives in Oak Ridge, Tenn., Sunday.

Miss Ruth Scarborough, recently employed at Oak Ridge, is back at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Noe, T. J. Noe and Harold Noe, all of Detroit, Mich., visited friends here last week.

Among the visitors here last week was Miss Mildred Noe, of Baltimore.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 23rd day of July, 1945

William Swanson Scalf, who sues by J. W. Scalf, his guardian and next friend Complainant

vs. Order of Publication

Vernon M. Wells, Eppie Wells and Otie Brummitt Defendants

The object of this suit is to have deed from J. W. McLemore, Special Commissioner, to Vernon M. Wells, dated [illegible] day of December, 1940, for 7 acres [illegible] and in Wild Cat Va[illegible] Lee County, Va., set aside or reformed from Vernon M. Wells and wife to Otie Brummitt for said land dated on April 7, 1941, and of record in Clerk's Office of Lee County, Va., in Deed Book 104, page 426, set aside or reformed; to require an accounting of the said Vernon M. Wells and Otie Brummitt, and if mistaken as to right to have said deeds set aside or reformed, then to have said land partitioned

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendants, Vernon M. Wells and Eppie Wells are non residents of the State of Virginia, and their last known address is Eppie Wells, of Kingsport, Tenn., and Vernon M. Wells, of Kingsport, Tenn., it is ordered that they appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect their interest in the suit

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to each of the defendants at their last known address; and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia

Teste,

D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
L. M. Robinette, p. q.

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320 Acres, all level; two large barns, nice six-room farm home and three tenant houses; 200 acres in cultivation; 120 acres of first-class bluegrass land. Sold over $15,000.00 worth of livestock and grain off of this farm last year. All of it can be cultivated with machinery. All crops go to the purchaser. Already threshed 4,000 bushels of barley this year.

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Six nice building lots in Barlow subdivision, just south of the Hospital.

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News From
BLACKWATER

Mrs. Stuart Brown, of Pennington Gap, spent the week-end with Miss Sallie Frank Hickam.

Mrs. A. O. Robinette has returned from a visit in Sneedville, Tenn.

Mrs. J. R. Hickam has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Sallie Wygal, at Pennington Gap.

Staff Sgt. Loyd A. Flanary is spending a 30-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Flanary, after three years' sea duty in the Pacific.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Richardson and family, E. L. Flanary and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Walton were visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Flanary and family, Monday night, July 30th.

A. O. Robinette and Lee Roy Richardson were in Pennington Gap last Thursday.

Charles Osborne, of the armed forces, has returned home from overseas after four years' service.

Mrs. Florence Robinson is very ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. T. H. Robinson.

Claude Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. Everette Munsey, of Kingsport, Tenn., were visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Robinson last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd M. Willis and children were visiting Mrs. Willis' parents Sunday night.

FOR SALE

At Woodway, Va., house with five rooms, screen porch, basement, good garden, about two acres and garage. See M. M. Driskill, at Woodway.

Adv. No. 31-3t pd.

Lee, Wise County Reduce Forest Fire Loss Rates

An Associated Press news item, dated Richmond Va., July 30, states that fire control measures applied during the last year in Lee and Wise Counties by the Virginia Conservation Commission and the Tennessee Valley Authority have resulted in a pronounced reduction of forest fires in the two counties, which formerly were considered the most hazardous fire areas in Virginia.

The best record in recent years was established in the spring of 1945, the news item quoted State Forester George W. Dean as saying. In 1941 there were 163 forest fires in Lee and Wise Counties, compared with 21 for this year, Dean said, adding that a total of $14,576 has been expended to finance the program since it was begun in July, 1944.

In addition to employing more fire wardens, the program included an educational series in the schools and civic organizations, radio and newspaper publicity, and house-to-house canvassing in the more hazardous areas to acquaint residents with modern methods of fire prevention.

The program was extended to Scott County on July 1, and will continue in all three counties for four more years.

More wood was taken from the forests in each of the boom building years of the middle 1920's than was cut during the war year of 1944.

Secretary Anderson's Appeal On Fat Shortage

One of the most significant statements made by a government official regarding shortages and food difficulties comes from Clinton P. Anderson, Secretary of Agriculture. Mr. Anderson underscores the fats and oils shortage in an appeal to women and has authorized the American Fat Salvage Committee to release his message.

In asking women's help in the fats and oils shortage, the Secretary of Agriculture sees increased household fat salvage as aid to meeting needs. Mr. Anderson says:

"The scarcity of fats and oils is one of the most serious problems confronting our Nation. But it is one shortage which the women of American can help to meet.

"There is little hope of major improvement in the domestic supply of fats and oils in the near future, nor can we expect a rapid increase of imported oils from the Pacific.

"Farmers have responded to the call to produce more animal and vegetable fats and oils. But we are still unable to meet wartime demands.

"During the war years we have changed from an importing to an exporting nation on fats and oils. Our domestic stocks are at a low ebb and our war, industrial and relief needs are at a peak.

"In 1945 we need 250,000,000 pounds of used household fats to help fill our existing deficit. If American housewives don't meet this goal, we will have to further curtail the allotments for civilian, industrial and military uses.

"This is an important job for women! Homemakers all over the land—in cities, towns and villages, and on farms—should save and turn in every available drop of used kitchen fat. It means cash and extra red ration points.

"But above all, it's a real War Service women can perform for themselves and for their country."

A Demonstration of Faith In A Rural Church

By W. B. Moore, Minister

Announcement was made on Sunday, July 29, 1945, in Bible School at Union Christian Church located on Station Creek, Pennington Gap, RFD, that there would be a public working on Monday, July 30.

Early next morning, although it was raining, men began to arrive with their blades, shovels, mattocks, pitchforks, sledge hammers, axes, trucks, and even a flame-thrower which was used to burn out wasp nests that had been builded on the lot in the rubbish that had grown up, and said wasps dearing to hold possession of the weeds and bushes that needed to be cleaned away.

A good team of mules bringing a mowing machine were a great asset. Before the workers finished, almost the entire grounds had been cleaned off, and the church road approach had been rebuilt. This required many yards of stone that was brought, beaten and shoveled into place, making the highway respectable looking.

The interest grew after the rain quit falling, and the workers kept coming, and before all was done there had been fifteen men participating in some part of the work done, namely S. J. Shelburne, George W. Orr, Jr., Paris Burke, John Burke, Green Sprinkle, Lucian Marcum, E. C. Quinley, Jimmy Shelburne, Frank Litton, Woodrow Riley, Earl Hobbs, C. T. Stamper, Lonnie Williams; W. A. Arnold, and Charlie Wolliver.

The pastor's wife prepared lunch for the men who were still on the ground at lunch time. The pastor served as water boy and enjoyed the fellowship with the men, and rejoiced to see the cooperation in getting so much needed work done on the church grounds.

The Powell Convention will be held at this church August 18 and 19. Come and worship with us in a beautiful rural church in convention on the above mentioned dates, or at any other time. A hearty welcome awaits you.

Lumber production has declined because of the loss of 70,000 to 80,000 skilled workers and hard-to-get equipment is wearing out.

News From
ROSE HILL
Route 2

The W. S. C. S. Woman's Society of Christian Service, of White Shoals Methodist Church met with Mrs. E. E. Music for their July program. The devotional and discussions of the topic was one of the most interesting programs we have had this year. The following members were present:

Mrs. Thelma Yeary, Mossie Tyler, Minnie Smith, Dorothy Gilliam, Stella Bacon, Effie Penley, Rowena Hyatt, Sarah Cooper and Patsy Bacon. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Hyatt. The August meeting will be with Mrs. Hyatt in a joint meeting with the W.S.C.S. of Flatwood Church.

Mrs. Dwight Smith and two daughters, Carolyn and Linda, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bacon this week.

The White Shoals Methodist Church, which has been completed recently, will be dedicated Sunday, July 29.

Kyle C. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith, enlisted for service in the U. S. Navy May 28. He is receiving his "boot" training at U. S. Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill. He is a member of the graduating class of Flatwood High School and finished his first year at Union College June 9. He was called to active duty July 6.

Lt. Fred Stickley, recently liberated from a German prison camp, has been visiting relatives in this community.

Mrs. Clay Forester and three daughters, of Knoxville, Tenn., are visiting with her sister, Mrs. Ted Frazier.

News From
BENEDICT

Pfc. Emory Lee Belcher, of the U. S. Army, has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Walter Weston and family. Pfc. Belcher has been serving overseas with the 11th Airborne Division in the Philippines for the last several months.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Yates of Benedict, announce the engagement of their daughter, Virginia, to Oscar Hall, of Jonesville. Mr. Hall, a discharged veteran, was a German prisoner for two years. Miss Yates is employed at the Benedict Store. The wedding will take place within the next two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thompson of Dunbar, spent last weekend here with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thompson and family.

Mr and Mrs. Maynard Thompson and family, of Toms Creek, were visiting friends here last week

Mrs Blanche Hurst of Jonesville was visiting her brother, Fred Thompson, and Mrs Thompson here last week

Mrs Cassie Estep, of Calvin, visited here last week with her daughter, Mrs Edgar Baltimore and family

Mrs Dewey Estep visited relatives at Appalachia last week

Oak Ridge, Tenn., is visiting

Miss Ruth Scarborough, of Oak Ridge, Tenn is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Scarborough and family

Mrs Gladys Ewing and children visited Mrs Mabel Sturgill at Duffield Sunday

Mrs Elmer Scarborough spent last week end with relatives at Clinton, Tenn.

"JOHN"

When our little boy was christened
We named him just plain John;
His mother thought that name the best
We could have hit upon.

When he trotted off to school
The children changed his name;
They called him "Jackie", so we thought
We ought to do the same.

When he joined the football squad,
And made a quarterback,
The students changed his name again—
They hailed his name as "Jack".

Now thew call him Sergeant,
Somewhere "over there",
But on our bended knee at night
He is "Johnnie" in our prayer.

Contributed by:
Mary Lou Russell,
Hunter's Gap, Rt. 3.

1945 Winners In Better Newspaper State Contest

Announcement of the winners of the weekly and daily newspapers of Virginia that entered in the annual 1945 Better Newspaper Contest in June was made today by Louis Spilman, publisher of the Waynesboro News-Virginian and chairman of the VPA Awards Committee.

Entries were submitted to several judges early in July. It is the plan of Chairman Spilman to present the certificates to the winners residing nearest to the three regional meetings scheduled for August. The meetings will open with Norfolk on Saturday, Aug. 11, followed by Charlottesville, Aug. 18, and Roanoke, Aug. 25. Following are the awards:

Weeklies:

Excellence of front page: Class A (circulation up to 2300), Ashland Herald-Progress; Class B (circulation above 2300), Chatham Pittsylvania Tribune.

Excellence of general makeup: Class A, Ashland Herald-Progress; Class B, Farmville Herald.

Excellence in handling of display advertising: Class A, Gate City Herald; Class B, Chatham Pittsylvania Tribune.

Excellence of presswork: Class A, Ashland Herald - Progress; Class B, Arlington Sun.

Dailies:

Excellence of front page: Class A (circulation up to 10,000), Waynesboro News - Virginian; Class B (circulation between 10,000 and 25,000), Danville Register; Class C (circulation above 25,000), Norfolk Virginian-Pilot.

Excellence of general makeup: Class A, Suffolk News-Herald; Class B, no decision; Class C, Richmond News Leader.

Excellence in handling of display advertising: Class A, Fredericksburg Free Lance - Star; Class B, Newport News Times-Herald; Class C, Richmond News Leader.

Excellence of presswork: Class A, Staunton News Leader; Class B, Danville Bee; Class C, Richmond Times-Dispatch.

Entries for the weeklies were judged by Douglass W. Miller, School of Journalism, Syracuse University, N. Y., and by Fletcher Sweet, field manager, Tennessee Press Association, Knoxville, and by several others, including William Oertel, New York Press Association; Karl H. Thiesing, New York State Publishers Association; and Wesley Brewster, Syracuse University printing department.

Entries for the dailies were judged by several persons in the Washington, D. C. newspapers, including: Herbert Corn, managing editor of the Washington Evening Star; A. F. Jones, managing editor of the Washington Post; Ernest Johnson, secretary of the Advertising Club of Washington; Marshall Tripp, Washington Post, Don Bernard, Washington Post, George Walker, president of the Pressmen's Union of Washington; James W. Mobley and Neil Greenwalk, Washington Post.

First Christian Church

Sunday, August 5th: Bible School at 10:00 a. m., H. O. Hines, Supt. Worship with communion at 10:45. Sermon subject "Life Must Validate Profession."

Christian Endeavors will meet at 6.30 p. m., under the general direction of Miss Mary M. Smalley, director of the Young People's Department of the Church

Worship with sermon by pastor at 7 30 o'clock. Sermon subject "The Wreck of a Soul"

Choir rehearsal Wednesday, 7 30 p. m., followed by mid week prayer and praise service at 7:30.

W. B. Moore, Minister

UPSET STOMACHS YIELD INCHES OF GAS AND BLOAT

"I was so full of gas I was afraid I'd burst. Sour, bitter substance rose up in my throat from my upset stomach after meals. I got ERB-HELP, and it worked inches of gas and bloat from me. Waistline is way down now. Meals are a pelasure. I praise Erb-Help to the sky."—This is an actual testimonial from a man living right here in Pennington Gap.

ERB-HELP is the new formula containing medicinal juices from 12 Great Herbs; these herbs cleanse bowels, clear gas from stomach, act on sluggish liver and kidneys. Miserable people soon feel different all over. So don't go on suffering—get Erb-Help. Sold by all Drug Stores here in Lee County.

Jonesville PERSONALS

Miss Nora Kinzer and Mrs. Georgia Tritt are attending Radford College this summer.

Miss Mary Rose Minton, of Kingsport, Tenn., has been visiting friends here the past week.

E. S. Suttle, Jr., Y. 2-C., of Melbourne, Fla., who has been spending a few days with his parents, Mr. anr Mrs. E. S. Suttle, left Sunday for a port of embarkation on the Pocific Coast.

Paul Flanary, of Dryden, has been visiting his aunt, Mrs. Gertrude Keel.

Mrs. Pearl Ewing attended the University of Virginia this summer.

Miss Doris Ann Keel is visiting her aunt, Mrs. W. D. Minton, of Kingsport, Tenn., this week.

Mrs. J. M. Suttle ,of Memphis, Tenn., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Suttle. Her husband, Lt. (jg) J. M. Suttle, USNR, arrived at his home on Saturday of last week after 12 months' service in Europe.

Denver.—The mining industry is turning to airplanes and color films as an aid in discovering new mineral sites. Known as the science of aerology, this is not a new method of locating ore deposits, but the development of color films with speeds unthought of before the war jumped this science forward so that in the postwar era it may become the ideal method of prospecting.

Card of Thanks

We wish to take this method of expressing our thanks to all our friends for the service rendered in the home community for us in preparation and burial of our dear mother, Mrs. Mary Jane Hounshell, and for the nice flowel offerings. May the blessings of the Heavenly Father abide with one and all, is our prayer.

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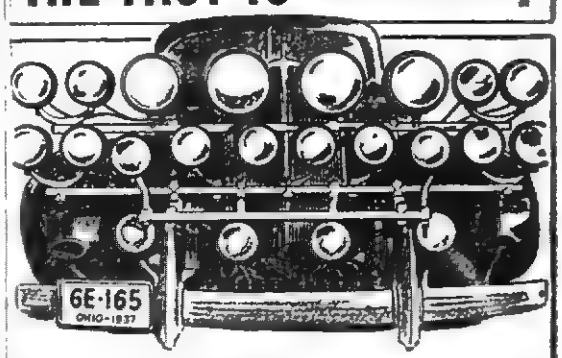

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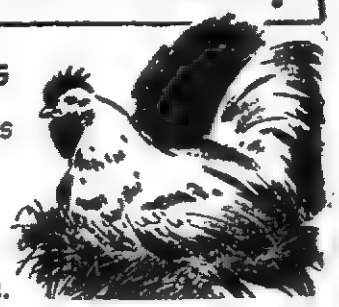

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Social and Personal

The John Dillinger Gangster Picture is coming to the Lee Theatre soon. Don't miss it!

Rev. and Mrs. C. D. Mehaffey, Eugene and Albert, Misses Elise Rhea and Pearl Cornette, are at Lake Junaluska, N. C., this week, attending a Missionary Conference. All will return next Monday, with the exception of Miss Cornette, who will go to Greenville, S. C., for a several days' visit.

Miss Zo Osborne, cadet nurse at Stuart Circle Hospital, Richmond, Va., returned to her duties Tuesday after a 21-day visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Osborne. Another cadet nurse, Miss Janet Bowling, of Knoxville, has just completed a two weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Watson Bowling.

Mrs. Charles Grabeel and son, Danny, of Bluefield, Va., are visiting her mother, Mrs. D. S. Reasor, on Route 1, and enjoying the latest hit in the way of recreation—that of canning peaches. Mr. Grabeel, who is Deputy Collector, Internal Revenue Department, will join them later.

Capt. Clyde W. Orr has just concluded a 30-day leave at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Orr, of Dryden, and is now at Camp Gruber, Okla., where he will undergo intensive training before going on to the Pacific. Capt. Orr has just returned from Germany, where he served with the 86th Black Hawk Division. His wife was formerly Miss Monnie Daugherty, and they have a daughter, Peggy Ann, 21 months old.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Thompson and family, of Fremont, Ohio, are here visiting his mother, Mrs. E. F. Thompson, and other relatives.

Miss Nell Stewart, of Pineville, Ky., is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Arthur Smalley, and family.

Mrs. M. E. Hamilton and daughter, Miss Ethel Hamilton, and Miss Edna Tritt, of Shawanee, Tenn., and Miss Mary Virginia Graham, of Culleoka, Tenn., are visiting with Mrs. Hamilton's sister, Mrs. Mary P. (Grandma) Kelly, and other relatives here. Miss Hamilton is former Superintendent of Schools in Claiborne County, Tenn.

Miss Gwendolyn Barr is home from Hiwassee College, and plans to attend Pennington High School.

Mrs. Lillie Carter and daughter, Sarah Elizabeth, have returned from Kingsport, Tenn., where they were called on account of the serious illness of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Gloria Carter Ghent. The son born to Mrs. Ghent on Saturday, July 28, died the same day.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Shelburne announce the birth of a daughter, Cecelia Sue, at Harlan Hospital, Tuesday, July 31. Mrs. Shelburne was formerly Miss Minnie Sue Kelly.

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Mrs. M. C. Love, of Phoenix, Ariz., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Bailey and other relatives in Lee County. Mrs. Love plans to be here until about the first of October.

Mr. and Mrs. William Tarvin, of Hot Springs, Ark., and Mrs. Tarvin's mother, Mrs. John B. Lewis, of Pineville, Ky., were visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Bailey and family here last week. Mrs. Alice Dew and Delano returned home with Mrs. Lewis for a few days.

Miss Marjorie Newberry, cadet nurse at Knoxville General Hospital, is home on vacation.

J. A. Pennington is in the University Hospital, Charlottesville, Va., where he underwent a major operation last Friday. Mrs. Pennington is just back from there, and states that "Toots", as he is known here, is getting along well.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Franklin and little daughter, Nancy, of Artesia, N. M., are visiting relatives and friends in Lee County, with headquarters at the home of Mrs. S. M. Pennington. Mrs. Franklin is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Roop, born and reared in Lee County, who went west a few years ago for health benefits.

C. T. Case and daughter, Sue, of Winston-Salem, N. C., have been visiting his daughters, Mrs. H. T. Pennington, Mrs. Bill Lee, and Mrs. Tunis Harber. Mrs. Pennington and Mrs. Lee returned home with them.

After sixteen years on the farm in the Stickleyville community, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Fletcher have decided to move to Jonesville, where Mr. Fletcher holds a position with the R.E.A. They plan on moving about the first of September.

Sam Slagle spent last week-end in Abingdon.

Walter Vance and sister, Miss Kate Vance, were here from Kansas last week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fleenor. The Vances lived in Lee County several years ago, and this is their first trip back in more than 30 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Kelly and children and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Asbury and son, of Amonate, Va., were here Sunday visiting with Mr. Kelly's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Kelly.

Mrs. Flora Fitzpatrick, Cumberland, Ky., is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. P. H. Larmer.

Sgt. Le Roy Gilliam is here for a 30-day furlough from overseas service. He is wearing some nice looking decorations, among them the Combat Infantryman Badge and four battle stars.

Mrs. Minnie Tomlinson is in Seattle, Wash., visiting her son, Billy 'Gene Tomlinson. Seaman Tomlinson's ship came in, but he was unable to secure leave. He has been in the Pacific area for several months. Accompanying Mrs .Tomlinson is her sister-in-law, Miss Emma Tomlinson.

Hansford Woodard, who is employed in Cincinnati, Ohio, was at home last week. He was accompanied back to Cincinnati by his wife and two daughters, Levon and Loretta.

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Miss Imogene Burgan is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn R. Dooley, at Christiansburg, Va.

Boots Richards is at home from L.M.U. summer school.

Jenelle Ann Howard is visiting Virginia Tipton at Oak Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stout were in Knoxville, Monday.

Virginia, Eleanor and John Housley, of Fountain City, Tenn., are visiting friends and relatives here this week.

Mrs. Paul McArthur and daughter, Cherylynn, have gone to Danville, Ky., to make their home.

Mrs. Mary K. Tiller visited her son, Harry, and Mrs. Tiller, at Bonny Blue last week-end.

Baird King, who has been in school at Oak Ridge, is at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vance King.

Ben Bailey is visiting his brother, Robert, and Mrs. Bailey, at Kingsport.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Marsee, of Harlan, Ky., visited relatives here last week-end.

Mrs. B. W. Fling and children have returned to their home at Silver Springs, Md., after an extended visit here with her father, J. Marion Smith, and family. She was accompanied home by her sister, Miss Mary Lou Smith.

Mr. Smith Takes Off

J. Marion Smith, of Route 2, is getting the vacation habit. He has recently returned from an extended visit in Washington, D. C., and is now taking off in the other direction — Alburquerque, N. M. Mr. Smith will spend tonight in Knoxville, and from there will go by plane to his destination, provided his reservations are not cancelled. He will visit his son, Tech. Sgt. Robert H. Smith and family, and with other relatives, returning in about a month, he says.

Mrs. Mollie Arington, Miami, Fla., is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Maness. Mrs. Maness and Mrs. Arington went to Kenvir, Ky., last Sunday to visit with their brother, Elbert Asbury.

Miss Mildred Woliver, employed by Tennessee Eastman at Kingsport, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Woliver, over the week-end.

First Lt. and Mrs. Charles Smith ,of Memphis, Tenn., have concluded a week's leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Smith, of Pennington Gap, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher, at Rose Hill.

Mrs. Julian King and little daughter, Charlene, of Kingsport, are visiting here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Overbay.

Pfc. Hubert Hammonds, at home on furlough, and Mr. and Mrs. G. Harber enjoyed a six o'clock dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. David, Wednesday evening.

McELYEA — CARTER

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McElyea announce the marriage of their daughter, Geraldine, to Mr. Don F. Carter, at Harlan, Ky., Monday, July 30. Rev. F. Meadors performed the marriage rites, using the double ring ceremony. Mrs. Lee Sally, sister of the groom, witnessed the ceremony.

Mr. Carter was only recently discharged from the U. S. Army under the point system. He had served overseas for several months with the rank of sergeant. The couple will make their home in Pennington Gap.

BIERBAUM - ARINGTON

Miss Betty Jane Bierbaum, daughter of Mrs. Louise F. Bierbaum, of Virginia Intermont College, Bristol, Va., was married to Technical Sergeant Henry A. Arington, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Arington, Sr., of Lynchburg, Va., and nephew of Mr.and Mrs. Charles C. Bales, of Pennington Gap, July 28, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bales. The Rev. W. B. Moore officiated.

The bride is a graduate of Virginia Intermont College, and is secretary to Dr. R. L. Brantly, president of Virginia Intermont College.

Sgt. Arington has been in the service for the past three years, and has recently returned from the European theater.

Birthday Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hayes entertained several of Mr. Hayes' gentlemen friends at their home Wednesday evening in honor of his birthday anniversary.

With a large, beautiful decorated birthday cake in the center, the table was loaded with delicious food for the guests. "One of the swellest dinners we have ever enjoyed," they all commented. Music was furnished by Smith Warner as pianist. Those enjoying the affair, in addition to the host and hostess, were:

Guy A. Kauffman, Herm Couk, Curtis Creech, Dr. C. C. Carr, Dr. J. H. Dellinger, Robert Hayes, Ed Carter, C. B. Fry, Sam C. Blackwell, Robert Guy Pugh, Frank Gibson, Charles Berry, and Roy Fletcher.

Mrs. Skaggs Is Hostess To Lions Club

One of the most enjoyable Lions Club meetings held for many moons was that of last Thursday evening on the lawn at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Skaggs. All but four of the members were present, one of the absent ones being the president, Rev. P. R. Stubbs, who is away on vacation.

The meeting was climaxed by a fried chicken dinner, including all kinds of good eats, served picnic style by Mrs. Skaggs. The food was placed on tables on the lawn and everybody invited to "help themselves".

In the absence of the president, Rev. Stubbs, the meeting was presided over by First Vice President J. M. Anderson.

Workers in the Children's Departments, and Young Adults, of the Big Stone Gap District, Holston Conference, united in a camping trip at Jonesville Camp Ground last week-end.

The camps were to have been held separately, but were combined on account of the difficulty in obtaining adequate help in the dining rooms and kitchens.

Many outstanding church leaders and speakers attended the camp, and an outlined program was carried out.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Martin announce the birth of a son, Wednesday, August 1st.

Mrs. Julia Webster, of Cumberland Gap, Tenn., is visiting her brother, C. H. Redmon, and family at St. Charles. The Redmons also have as their visitor Miss Emily Lambert, of Tazewell, Tenn.

Mrs. J. H. Russell, of Richmond, Va., has been visiting for some time with her sister, Mrs. Alma Cox, of Jonesville. Mrs. Russell, Mrs. Cox and their sister, Mrs. Guy A. Kauffman, of Pennington Gap, visited in Knoxville and Maryville, Tenn., last week.

DOWN ON THE FARM

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the first good rain in August (2 or 3 weeks later in Eastern Virginia). Late August or early September seedings seem to escape summer weeds which are nearly always in the first cutting of spring seedings. Both times of seeding are all right, and many farmers have been successful in using either. Use the seeding date that fits best in your farming operation.

Select a fertile soil with good drainage in the surface and underground, and high in organic matter. Have the soil tested for lime needs, or apply a heavy application of lime — from two to four tons of ground limestone or its equivalent to the acre, depending upon when lime was previously used.

Soil Preparation Important

Preparation of a finely pulverized, compact seedbed is very important. When alfalfa follows a cultivated crop or small grain, it is satisfactory to disk the land instead of plowing. Otherwise, plow the land.

Be sure to get the best seed available and to use only seed that is adapted to Virginia conditions. Kansas or Highland Utah are the best varieties to use. Be sure to inoculate the seed. Sow 20 pounds per acre. Many successful growers of alfalfa are now seeding 5 pounds of timothy on land that is being seeded to alfalfa for the first time.

Manure your alfalfa land whenever possible. Manure not only increases the organic matter in the soil, but adds plant food as well.

Use an abundance of plant food — the equivalent of 800 to 1,000 pounds of 0-12-12 or 2-12-12 fertilizer per acre at seeding. One of the most successful methods has been to plow or disk under one-half of the fertilizer and apply the other half on top of the seedbed. Apply 15 to 20 pounds of borax per acre with the fertilizer.

Lastly, be sure to inoculate the seed.

Top-Dress Alfalfa Each Year

If you did not top-dress your alfalfa this spring, top-dress it after the next cutting. Use 400 pounds of 0-12-12 fertilizer and 10 pounds of borax per acre.

Pfc. Charles Gilbert Is At Home To Stay

Pfc. Charles C. Gilbert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tennessee Gilbert, is at home after receiving an honorable discharge at Fort Geo. G. Meade, Md., with 118 points to his credit.

Former Pfc. Gilbert enlisted for service in May, 1940, and first went to the Panama Canal Zone. He spent 39 months in the tropics, 14 of them in New Guinea. He returned to the States in September, 1943, and in November, 1944, again sailed for overseas, where he served with the 42nd Rainbow Infantry Division. He has four battle stars, American Defense Service Medal with one Bronze Star, European, Middle Eastern Service Ribbon and Pre-Pearl Harbor Badge.

He was wounded in combat in Germany in April, 1945. After resting and relaxing a week or two he will take up employment.

BIG ANNUAL

I. O. O. F.

Woodway Celebration

Sunday, August 19

PROGRAM STARTS AT 8:30 A. M. (CWT)—CONTINUES ALL DAY

PRINCIPAL SPEAKERS ON THE PROGRAM:

Annie Mae Furlow
President, Rebekah Assembly

W. E. Frisbie
Grand Senior Warden, And Party

Rolland C. Craig
Grand Chief Patriarch

—Also—

Other Local Talents From the Southwest Section of Va.

The program will be intersperced with Singing and Music

Refreshment Stand On The Grounds

This is an all day program and everyone is asked to bring baskets of good things to eat

Several Surprises for the members of the various branches of the Order

All Members, Their Families and the Public Is Cordially Invited To Attend

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Whatever the cause, guard against this by worrying as little as possible; getting the proper amount of rest and the right food to eat.

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TOWN TALK

About This, That, And The Other

Some day I'll pass by the Great Gates of Gold,
And see a man pass through, unquestioned and bold.
"A Saint?" I'll ask, and old Peter'll reply:
"No he carries a pass; he's a newspaper guy."

Home Again

Mrs. Lettie Shufflebarger, after trying out different locations here and there, has decided that after all there's "no place like home". She's back in her original home on South Joselyn St., all ready to give us a house-warming, or maybe just a plain old homecoming dinner. At least we're expecting an invitation of some kind.

"AND Rested The Seventh"

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Barlow, of the Minte Vista Hotel, Big Stone Gap, were in town for a few minutes the first of the week. Mr. Barlow says he has broken the record in real estate sales within the last three weeks. He sold six houses in six days, he said, and was still going strong. Then he added: "But on the seventh, I rested."

Wedding Bells!

And now they're ringing all of a sudden! Three weddings among local folk took place Tuesday, August 7, and a fourth one was being discussed in Green's Cafe yesterday.

"They were married all right," a lady at the dinner table said. "But I'm not going to tell it until they announce it." So we're couriously awaiting information of the fourth. Not a bad record for a small town.

"The Ole Swimmin' Hole"

Mussolini, once the premier of Italy, is out of the picture and his is now a "faded glory", but his private swimming pool in Rome still exists, and offers delightful recreation for the G.I's.

Among those who have "come on in" for a swim is Pfc. Fred Grey King, son of Mr. and Mrs. Murphy King, of Pennington Gap. Fred writes many interesting things of his experience in the Eternal City.

People Are Kind

We all doubtless are guilty of little acts of thoughtlessness which kind of hurt us when we take time to reflect upon them, but as a rule people are kind. The other day a young colored man got off the bus, and one could see at an instant that he was blind, although he was traveling alone. The driver very kindly helped him up to the edge of the sidewalk and told him his next bus would be due in a minute or two.

When it arrived the blind man started feeling his way with his cane, but in an instant a very distinguished looking man who had been sitting in front of the hotel sprang to his side and helped him on the bus.

Lee Bond Quota For August Is $45,000.00

During the month of August Virginians are being asked to invest $10,500,000 in E, F, and G Bonds. Lee County's quota of the above is $45,000, War Finance Chairman T. B. Fugate states.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Weather Bureau report for week ending August 5th, 1945, for Lee County, furnished by Cam J. Lewis, official observer:

Date	Temperature		Rainfall
30	80	67	.00
31	86	66	.03
1	86	62	.72
2	79	64	.24
3	96	64	.00
4	91	64	.03
5	86	58	.00

Pre-Induction, Induction Calls For August

Large Number To Go For Pre-Induction Exams; 18 To Service

Selective Service Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va., lists a large number, ninety, in the pre-induction call for August, but only 18 are listed in the induction call. They are:

Pre-Induction:

Hagan Clayton Carroll, Route 2, Jonesville; Esker Frye, Route 3, Ewing; Hagan Jacob Poteet, Ben Hur; Ballard Rosville Bledsoe, Route 4, Jonesville; Robert Lee Eldridge, Route 1, Jonesville; John Bascom Lipps, Ben Hur; James William Sutphin, Rose Hill; Porter Ray Greer, Route 1, Jonesville; Marco Cottrell, Rose Hill; Tee Hampton Johnson, Route 1, Blackwater; Samuel Edward Via, Jonesville; Floyd Herman Pace, Rose Hill; James Franklin Minor, Route 2, Jonesville; Earl Mullins, Route 2, Rose Hill; Cecil Long, Rose Hill; Teddie Collins, Ben Hur; Carl Willard Duncan, Ben Hur; Charles Hagan Carter, Jonesville; Josh Taylor, Jr., Route 1, Jonesville; James Olin Bacon, Jr., Route 2, Rose Hill.

Clay Franklin Burke, Ewing; Fred Garrett, Route 4, Jonesville; Glen William Olinger, Fairview; Edwin Paul Burchett, Route 1, Jonesville; William Adison Fee, Jonesville; J. W. Fletcher, Rose Hill; Henry Paul Hill, Rose Hill; James McCoy Russell, Gibson Station; Hoye Lee Brooks, Route 1, Ewing; Ted Carson Sprinkle, Jonesville; Grover Glen Terry, Route 4, Jonesville; Raymond Clarence Terry, Route 4, Jonesville; George Winston Phipps, Route 4, Jonesville; Robert Lee Fields, Route 1, Jonesville; William Ralph Lybrand, Route 1, Ewing; Olin Cecile Eldridge, Ewing; Elmer Kyle Edwards, Route 4, Jonesville; James Olin Dingus, Jonesville, Leonard Ayers, Rose Hill; Don Joe Foster, Route 2, Pennington Gap.

William Edds, Jr., Rose Hill; Daniel Morgan Ayers, Gibson Station; Tilmon George Muncy, Route 1, Ewing; Hobert Franklin Williams, Jonesville; Champ Wade Lipps, Ben Hur; Lewis Grant Cavin, Route 1, Rose Hill; Omar Thomas, Route 2, Jonesville; Hancel Barlow Newman, Route 3, Jonesville; James Lacey Bledsoe, Route 3, Jonesville; Lester Duff McDaniel, Gate City; Claude Swanson Kelly, Ewing; Robert Hubert Ayers, Ewing; Robert Thomas Nelms, Route 4, Jonesville; Marr Hensley, Ewing; George Tankersley, Kyles Ford, Tenn.; Arthur Lewis Crockett, Jonesville; John Jacob Fee, Jonesville; Will Pat Osborne, Route 4, Jonesville; Paris Lafayette Burke, Route 4, Jonesville; Silas Henry Glass, Route 2, Jonesville;

Arthur Glen Pearson, Route 2, Jonesville; Arthur Harrison Wade, Route 2, Jonesville; Olin B. Byington, Jonesville; Howard Finney Moore, Route 1, Kyles Ford, Tenn.; Gratin Earl Sumpter, Gibson-Station; Earl Monroe Rouse, Route 2, Rose Hill; Bill Hatfield, Jr., Ewing; Joseph Garfett Campbell, Route 1, Rose Hill; Echol James Lawson, Route 1, Blackwater; Benjamin Franklin Bowen, Route 1, Jonesville; Olin Edward Greer, Jonesville; Willard Carson Lipps, Ben Hur; William Robert Barnes, Rose Hill; Bill Kinder, Route 1, Jonesville; Bernard Lee Scott, Route 1, Jonesville; Samuel Ray Daugherty, Route 2, Pennington Gap; Martin Collins, Route 1, Jonesville; Frank Sewell Bray, Route 1, Ewing; James Omer Eldridge, Route 4, Jonesville; Ford Sherman Roop, Route 4, Jonesville.

Roe William Fannon, Route 1, Blackwater; Claude Reece Hurd, Route 1, Kyles Ford; Joe Ellis, Route 1, Rose Hill; George Emery Ingle, Route 1, Rose Hill; Charles Lacen Middleton, Route 1, Rose Hill; William Richard Warf, Gibson Station; Meek Franklin Hammac, Ewing; Henry Tip Brooks, Jr., Route 1, Ewing; Charles Wade Johnson, Route 2, Jonesville.

Induction:

Chester Henry Rogers, Ben Hur; Charles Sherman Ward, Jr., Jonesville; Otis Eugene Fisher, Ben Hur; Hugh V. Crumley,

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IN THE GOLDEN STATE

TM. 3-C EVERETT STEWART

Torpedo Mate Third Class Everett Stewart enlisted in the Navy on September 28, 1943, taking his boot training at Sampson, N. Y. He went to Norfolk and stayed for three weeks, then to Texas and caught his ship. He served in the Atlantic for 18 months.

He was transferred the 14th day of May, having 49 days delayed orders, 45 of which he spent at home. He is now in Shoemaker, Calif., awaiting further orders.

Seaman Stewart has been awarded the Presidential Citation Campaign Bar, and other decorations while serving in the Atlantic. He is the son of Rev. and Mrs. Henry Stewart, of Jonesville.

Lee and Wise Have New Scout Field Executive

J. A. McGlothin, of Coeburn, Va., has been selected as Field Scout Executive for Lee and Wise Counties, which are a part of the Lonesome Pine Council.

Mr. McGlothin entered professional Scouting June 15, and during the month of July attended the 110th Nat'l Training School for Scout Executives at Schiff Scout Reservation, Mendem, N.J.

He is a member of the Baptist Church of Coeburn, and a member of the Shrine. He was lieutenant in the Army for 27 months, serving in Africa, Sicily and Italy with the Tank Corps. Mr. McGlothin attended V.P.I.

Lee County Became Officially Dry August 4

On Saturday, August 4, Lee County became officially dry and the sale of beer, wine and alcoholic beverages other than 3.2 beer is no longer legal.

This measure is the result of the local option election held last May 29, in which the dry forces, led by Rev. C. D. Mehaffey as chairman, led the vote by a majority of approximately 8-1. The election was confirmed five days afterwards by Judge George Morton, who named a 60-day period for it to become effective.

Previously at one of the sessions of a Big Stone Gap District Conference a motion was placed and recommendation made that all the counties in the Big Stone Gap District area be made dry, and a committee to lead the dry forces was appointed. Members are: C. D. Mehaffey, H Powell Richardson, Sam Leidig, A. S. Pennington and Herbert Wheeler.

Former Schoolmates Get Together

Miss Doris Carter, of Rockymount, Va., and Mrs. Edna Hash Whitlock, of Ferrum, enjoyed their first visit to Lee County last week, returning to their respective homes Sunday. They were guests of a former schoolmate at Radford College, Mrs. Hayes Parsons (Sarah Osborne) and Mr. Parsons, at their home in the Robbins Chapel community near Keokee. They also visited Mrs. Parsons parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Osborne, of Blackwater.

FAMILY REUNION

Kirk and Cooper family reunion Sunday, August 12, at the Cooper home on Puckett's Creek.

By Haven R. Parsons.

PENNINGTON GAP TO SEE NEW COMEDY

Lions Club Presents "Pep Parade" August 16 and 17

Rehearsals are under way for "Pep Parade", the local talent show being sponsored by the Pennington Gap Lions Club, to be presented August 16 and 17, at Pennington High Schol auditorium for the beenfit of the blind.

The play is under the personal direction of Miss Helen Ferrar, a university-educated girl of Kansas City, who has had much experience in this type of work. "Pep Parade" has the unqualified recommendation of many other towns where it has been played. The Lions Club is confident that this production will be a worthy addition to the entertainment season.

The committees report fine cooperation on the part of business men, members of the Lions Club and local talent. The sponsors have shown a tremendous amount of interest and an exceptional cast of characters, choristers, soloists and feature artists will appear in this production.

Some of the leading people in town, who are participating in this benefit performance for the blind are: Mrs. Perry R. Stubbs, Mrs. Guy Kauffman, Mrs. C. C. Carr, Mrs. Walter Adams, Miss Floravista McKinnon, Messrs. O. A. Vaughan, R. G. Pugh, Roy Fletcher and other prominent leaders in this community.

A baby contest will be held in conjunction with the production of the play. It will be interesting to see who will be the winner in this newest of contests that has the whole town talking. The contestants in this clever contest are up to school age, and are sponsored by the leading business men and any members of this community. There are prizes, honors and plenty of fun connected with this unusual contest.

Everyone can take part. Enter your baby now! The winners will be presented on the night of the show and prizes awarded. So far, twenty-five babies have been entered A list of these babies can be obtained at Cuma's Shoppe.

This contest is starting today, and will close at 4:00 o'clock on August 16 Watch the vote boxes in the store sponsoring your favorite contestant, and watch the bulletin board in Cuma's window for the daily score. It will be posted each day. Cast your vote for your favorite baby TODAY. Anyone desiring to enter a baby in this contest please get in touch with Mrs. Cuma Hayes at Cuma's Shoppe, who is chairman of this baby contest.

There will be a parade Saturday, August 12, at 4:00 o'clock. All the leading business men and prominent people of this community are taking part, Mayor, the city officials, members of the Lions Club, Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, and some of the babies entered in the contest.

Every ticket purchased for this show will entitle the holder to a 2-pound bag of SNOW GOOSE FLOUR. Watch this paper, Cuma's window and the screen of your local theater for further announcements, and for the news of "PEP PARADE".

Ten dimes will be distributed among the people of the town. To get one of the dimes just ask someone on the street: "Have you heard of the Pep Parade to be held at the high school auditorium on the 16th and 17th?" If that person is a lucky dime holder, he will give you the dime.

Lee Demos and GOP Nominate Candidates for House of Delegates

On Friday afternoon, August 3, Lee County Republicans assembled in a mass meeting at the Town Hall, Pennington Gap, Va., and nominated by acclamation Fred Kirk as their candidate for the House of Delegates. Election for this office will be held Tuesday, November 6.

The mass meeting, which was well represented from every section of the county, was called to order by Republican County Chairman W. M. Bellamy, of Jonesville. Miss Meda Parsons was made temporary chairman of the mass meeting, and Roxie Wyatt was selected as secretary.

Mr. Kirk was placed in nomination by C. T. Combs, of Jonesville, and seconded by Dr. M. H. Robbins, of Pennington Gap. A motion was made that nominations be closed, and that Mr. Kirk be nominated by acclamation.

Mr. Kirk, in his speech of acceptance, expressed his appreciation to the mass meeting for the nomination, and pledged himself to make a vigorous campaign.

Mr. Kirk is a life-long resident of the Maness section of Lee County, and for a good many years has been employed by a coal company at Crummies, Ky.

Democratic Convention

Lee County Democrats met in a well-attended and enthusiastic convention in the Courthouse at Jonesville, Va., on Saturday, August 4, and nominated the present member of the House of Delegates, the Hon. A. P. Hamblen.

The convention was called to order and a hearty welcome extended by County Chairman H. E. Gibson, of Pennington Gap. Judge George P. Cridlin, Jonesville, was made chairman of the convention, and Snyder Harris, of Rose Hill, secretary. Mr. Hamblen was placed in nomination by C. W. Bondurant, of Dryden, and was seconded by W. F. Minton, of Pennington Gap.

Motion was made and carried by Commonwealth Attorney Robert B. Ely, seconded by Sam C. Blackwell, of Pennington Gap, that nominations be closed and that Mr. Hamblen be nominated by acclamation.

After being nominated, Mr. Hamblen addressed the convention, thanking the party for electing him two years ago, and for the confidence placed in him by re-nominating him for another term. In his acceptance speech Mr. Hamblen briefly gave an account of his term in the last General Assembly, and enumerated some of the objectives for which he will strive and will support in the coming session of the General Assembly if re-elected to that body.

After several speeches by members of the convention, complimenting Mr Hamblen on the achievements accomplished during his first term as a member of the House of Delegates, expressing their whole-hearted support and confidence for his re-election, the convention was climaxed by a very impressive speech by State Senator Lloyd M. Robinette, who is now serving his fourth term from the 16th Senatorial District.

Senator Robinette in his speech discussed at length the advancement and accomplishments in education and other things since he entered the Senate. He has always been a strong supporter of better pay for teachers, and better facilities for education of children in Virginia.

HOW LEE COUNTY VOTED IN THE DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY ELECTION, TUESDAY, AUGUST 7

Precinct	Tuck	Plunkett	Collins	Fenwick	Muse
St. Charles	31	13	19	2	23
East Pennington	37	10	2	0	48
West Pennington	12	9	3	0	20
North Jonesville	94	10	9	65	40
South Jonesville	55	16	4	22	52
Dryden	14	16	2	0	30
Keokee	7	17	2	0	23
Seminary	45	0	0	0	45
Stickleyville	22	11	1	1	40
Hurst Store	11	15	0	0	31
Blackwater	79	78	0	0	157
Morgan's Store	99	12	2	1	109
Bales' Mill	74	3	2	20	53
Dixie	54	2	0	44	12
Maness	2	10	0	0	12
Robbins Chapel	2	7	0	0	10
Rose Hill	21	35	3	6	53
Bales' Forge	14	0	0	0	14
Bishop's Store	9	3	0	6	15
Hunter's Gap	7	0	0	9	10
TOTAL	658	246	49	173	727

D. C. Sewell, Jr., Died At Jonesville, Sunday

Prominent Lee Counian

D. C. SEWELL, JR.

Lee County Circuit Court Clerk Since 1935 Victim of Heart Attack

David C. Sewell, Jr., Clerk of Lee County Circuit Court since 1935, and widely known throughout Southwest Virginia, died at his home in Jonesville about 7:30 o'clock Sunday morning, August 5, at the age of 48.

Mr. Sewell suffered a heart attack about three months ago while attending to business in Norton, and was confined to a hospital for about six weeks. He had recovered sufficiently to look after his extensive business interests, but early Saturday night suffered another attack, which resulted in his death next morning.

Mr. Sewell was the son of the late D. C. Sewell, Sr., outstanding attorney of Jonesville, and the late Mary Pridemore Sewell. His maternal grandfather was the late Col. A. L. Pridemore, also a prominent attorney at Jonesville, and member of Congress from the Ninth District of Virginia.

He entered business at an early age, and for more than thirty years had been actively engaged in various business enterprises, including farming and livestock, as well as the political life of Lee County.

He was elected Clerk of the Circuit Court in 1935, and after serving eight years was re-elected to that office in November, 1943. He was a member of the Jonesville Methodist Church and of the Masonic fraternal organization.

Funeral services were held at the Methodist Church in Jonesville at 10:00 o'clock Wednesday, August 8, in charge of the pastor, Rev. L. D. Perkins, assisted by Rev. S. O. Fry, pastor of State Street Methodist Church of Bristol, Va., and Rev. J. C. Jackson, pastor of the Baptist Church of Jonesville. Burial was in Hill Cemetery at Jonesville.

Mr. Sewell is survived by his widow, Mrs. Vesta Ely Sewell; three daughters, Mrs. Geraldine Southern, Norton, Va.; Mrs. Mary Etta Varner, Hinesville, Ga; and Miss Vivian Sewell, at home; four sons, Cpl D. C. Sewell, III, of the United States Marines, now stationed in the Philippine Islands; Phm. 3-C. Winston G. Sewell, also of the Marines, stationed at Okinawa; George W. and Sidney R. Sewell, both of Jonesville; two grandsons, David Charles Varner and Sidney Winston Varner; two sisters, Mrs. Doni Graham, of Appalachia, and Miss Saluda Sewell, Supervisor, Lee County Welfare Department, Jonesville; and three brothers, H. P. Sewell, Montgomery, Ala.; Hagan S. and Ben A. Sewell, both of Jonesville.

Southwest Virginia Burley Tobacco Growers Will Meet In Bristol

A meeting of the leading tobacco growers of the burley tobacco counties of Southwest Virginia will be held at Bristol, Va., in the Bristol City Hall, Wednesday, August 15, at 10:00 a. m., County Agent R. C. Carter, of Jonesville, announces.

The purpose of this meeting, Mr. Carter says, is to discuss a proposal to form a Virginia Burley Tobacco Growers' Association, and is being called by the Southwest Virginia Agricultural Association, of which Hubert Wheeler, of Lee County, is president.

Congressman John W. Flannagan, Jr., of our District, is very much interested in this proposed organization, and will be present at the meeting.

Tuck-Fenwick Winners In Democratic Primary

The Democratic Primary, held August 7, for the purpose of selecting a candidate for Governor and Lieutenant Governor of Virginia, today, in an unofficial count, showed William M. Tuck, of Halifax, far ahead of his opponent, Moss M. Plunkett, of Roanoke, in the race for candidate for Governor.

Charles R. Fenwick, of Arlington, leads as candidate for Lieutenant Governor by a close margin over his closest opponent, Lewis Preston (Pat) Collins, of Marion.

The unofficial returns today from 1,609 of the State's 1,715 precincts credited Fenwick with 50,768 votes against 49,043 for Collins.

Five Lee County Boys Enlist In U. S. Navy

Lee County Navy Recruiter Nicholas Mack, Specialist 2-C., from Bristol Recruiting Station, announces the following men have applied for the Navy this week in Pennington Gap:

Henry Clyde Garrison, Willoughby, Va.; Troy Gibson and Raymond Paul Mosley, Pennington Gap; Charles Douglas Daniels, Leona Mines.

Young men 17 years old and young women 20 to 36 interested in the Navy, see the Navy Recruiter at Collier Furniture Store every Monday from 1:00 p. m. to 6:00 p. m.

Mack also announces that Kenneth Myncy Martin, Jonesville, has been accepted for the Navy in the July group.

John L. Lewis, U.M.W.A. President, Visits Norton

John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers of America, was a visitor in Norton, Sunday, August 5. After having lunch at Hotel Norton, he crossed the mountains into Eastern Kentucky for visits to the mine fields at Jenkins and Pikeville.

In answer to questions by reporters, he merely replied: "No comment."

Lloyd Smith, of Newport News, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Dorothy Smith, and other relatives.

Leaders, Church, Civic And Legal Bodies Meet

To Assemble At First Baptist Church At 2:00 P. M., Sunday

Rev. C. D. Mehaffey, chairman, Lee County, Dry Forces, has announced a meeting of ministers, mayors, county officials and interested citizens at the First Baptist Church of Pennington Gap on Sunday afternoon, August 12, at 2:00 o'clock.

Among the other measures to be taken up, approved and sponsored by the Citizens' Law Enforcement or Cooperative League, will be a movement to organize a Truant Bureau in the county, which will have as its purpose the duty to see to it that school laws are enforced, and that children of school age who have been permitted to loaf on streets or back alleys be ushered back to school next month.

Steps to provide necessary means to complete this very needed movement will have the full support of the league.

Other very important issues involving various matters will be taken up.

News From
EWING

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Thomas and son, of Cumberland, Ky., were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milt McDaniel. Mr. McDaniel is improving after a serious illness.

Sgt. Franklin Cole, of Greenville, S. C., is visiting his mother, Mrs. Jennie Cole.

S. 1-C. Herman S. Cowans is at home on furlough from the South Pacific.

Misses Margie and Phyllis Rowlett have returned home after spending a few days with their aunt, Mrs. J. M. Rowland, of Cumberland, Ky.

Pfc. Sewell Johnston, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Johnston, is spending his furlough here with his wife and little son.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Rowlett attended church services at Shawanee, Tenn., last Sunday.

Don H. Rowlett, S. 2-C., son of Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Rowlett, has landed safely somewhere in the Northwest Pacific, according to word received here.

Pfc. Clyde Brown visited his sister, Mrs. Ryland Grace, here last week. Pfc. Brown has just returned from 18 months' service in England.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Dixon, of Central City, Ky., were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ryland Grace last week; also Mrs. Dixon's father, Mr. Brown, at Pennington Gap.

Tech. Sgt. Elmer Brown is at home on a 30-day furlough from somewhere in the South Pacific. He was overseas 33 months.

H. H. Brooks is slowly improving after several weeks' illness at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Rowlett and children are visiting this week with Mrs. Rowlett's parents at Pruden, Tenn.

Mrs. Nat Eldridge is very ill at her home here.

Houston Rowlett, who is employed at Montgomery, Ala., is spending a few days here with his family.

News From
KEOKEE

The tent meeting continues successfully, with a large attendance. There have been several conversions, and some very impressive sermons delivered by the Rev. Morris.

Many children attended the Vacation Bible School held last week at the Baptist Church, conducted by Miss Parker, of Richmond.

Lt. and Mrs. James Gates are visiting relatives at Clinton, Tenn.

Holland Cooper, of Benham, Ky., was here last week visiting his brother, R. P. Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Barker, of North Wilkesboro, N. C., spent last week her with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Barker.

Pvt. Rudolph Shuler is spending a 30-day furlough here with his father, Leonard Shuler, and other relatives, after spending 14 months in service in Europe.

Miss Juanita Knight, of Oak Ridge, Tenn, is at home visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Knight.

Mary Lee Watkins, of Appalachia, spent last week here with friends.

Ralph Witt, son of Mrs. Ernest Young, left July 30th for service with the U. S. Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Corbin Flanary and daughters, of Barbourville, Ky., are here visiting relatives.

Knox Legg and family spent last week with relatives in Dryden.

Miss Helen Howard, of Poor Valley, was a guest last week of Mrs. C. R. Asher.

Ed Stipes left last week for Washington State, where he will seek employment.

Miss Eunice Roberts is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ruby Warren, of Benham, Ky.

Sgt. Virgil Calton is spending a 15-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Calton.

News From
BONNY BLUE

Mrs. Margaret Grabeel and son have returned from a week's visit in Harlan, where they have been visiting friends.

Mrs. Bernice Stooksburg, the former Miss June Bacon, gave birth to a daughter August 3.

Mrs. Nelson King and family have returned from a visit in Baltimore.

Mrs. Vestel Miller, from Pineville, Ky., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ruby Campbell.

Betty Lou Campbell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Campbell, will return to school son at Staunton, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Carter were called to Indiana recently, due to the illness of Mr. Carter's mother.

Miss June Estes, employed at Oak Ridge, has completed a vacation visit with home folk here.

Miss Ella Kirkland is back at her job as postmistress after a vacation.

Mrs. Jack Gains has returned from Norton, where she visited with Mrs. Harold Kirk and family.

Mrs. McKinley Thompson was called to Gate City recently on account of the serious illness of her brother.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 23rd day of July, 1945.

William Swanson Scalf, who sues by J. W. Scalf, his guardian and next friend . . . Complainant

vs. Order of Publication

Vernon M. Wells, Eppie Wells and Otie Brummitt Defendants

The object of this suit is to have deed from J. W. McLemore, Special Commissioner, to Vernon M Wells, dated —— day of December, 1940, for 7 acres of land in Wild Cat Valley, Lee County, Va., set aside, to have deed from Vernon M Wells and wife to Otie Brummitt for said land dated on April 7, 1941, and of record in Clerk's Office of Lee County, Va., in Deed Book 104, page 426, set aside or reformed; to require an accounting of the said Vernon M. Wells and Otie Brummitt, and if mistaken as to right to have said deeds set aside or reformed, then to have said land partitioned.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendants, Vernon M. Wells and Eppie Wells are non-residents of the State of Virginia, and their last know address is Eppie Wells, of Kingsport, Tenn., and Vernon M. Wells, of Kingsport, Tenn.; it is ordered that they appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to each of the defendants at their last known address; and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:

D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
L. M. Robinette, p. q.
Adv. No. 30-4t

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 1st day of August, 1945.

F. A. Stacey, Minnie Livingston, Maude Manning, C. E. Stacey, Hascue Lawson, Dorothy Baker, Nellie Lawson, Sue Oliver, Margaret Willis, Harmon Lawson, William Lawson, Howard Lawson, and Marie Lawson, who sues by Hascue Lawson, their next friend, Lloyd M. Robinette, executor of F. A. Maness, deceased, Complainants

vs. Order of Publication

Laura Kiser, Mary Begley, Martha Robinette, Frances Sizemore, Maude Osborne, Fred Charlton Stacey, Henry Stacey, Mildred Ford, Earl Maness, Ed E. Maness, Roy E. Maness, Josie Irvine, Mary Catron, Grace Wilder Williams, Claude Wilder, Wiley Wilder, Alice Burchett, Nellie Warner, George Wilder, and Emma Lee Tonker . . . . .. Defendants

The object of this suit is to sell a certain 200 acre tract situated in the Hickory Hill section, Jonesville Magisterial District, Lee County, Virginia, formerly belonging to F. A. Maness, deceased, and to distribute the proceeds of said sale according to the terms of the last will and testament of the said F. A. Maness, deceased, dated July 18, 1928.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendants, Laura Kiser, Mary Begley, Fred Charlton Stacey, Ed E. Maness, Roy E. Maness, Alice Burchett, Nellie Warner, George Wilder, Emma Lee Tonker, Claude Wilder and Wiley Wilder are non-residents of the State of Virginia, and their last known address is Laura Kiser, Marion, N. C., R.F.D 1; Mary Begley, 117 W. Tague St., Greenefield, Ind.; Fred Charlton Stacey, ASN 3388571, Co E, A.P.O. No 15665, c o Postmaster, New York, N. Y.; Ed E. Maness, Ridge, Tenn; Roy E. Maness, Oak Ridge, Tenn.; Alice Burchett, Salem, Illinois; Nellie Warner, 406½ Days Ave., Buchanan, Michigan; George Wilder, ASN No. 33531112, 823rd Sig. Co., A.P.O. No. 492, c-o Postmaster, New York, N. Y.; Emma Lee Tonker, 406½ Days Ave., Buchanan, Michigan; Claude Wilder, address unknown; Wiley Wilder, SSMB 3-C., S. I., Division U.S.S. Hornet, c-o Fleet Postoffice, San Francisco, California; it is ordered that they appear here within ten days after due publication hereof, and do what may be necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to each of the defendants at their last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:

D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p. q. L. M. Robinette.
Adv. No. 31-4t

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Good for Herb! But I'd like to say a word for Mary, Herb's wife. She runs the house, cooks the meals, takes care of the children, and works on salvage drives and bundles for the Red Cross. Believe me, that's tiring work for any woman!

Yet when Herb comes home—too tired to talk or watch where he drops his ashes, maybe—she makes allowances, keeps smiling, brings him a restful glass of beer, and makes enough conversation for them both. Next morning, Herb goes to work refreshed and cheerful.

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Joe Marsh

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T. C. Barlow

St. Charles Gold Star Soldier Eulogized

Sgt. Delbert Parsons, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Parsons, of Virginia-Lee, was killed while on patrol in enemy-held territory on Occidental Negros, Philippine Islands, May 24, 1945. He was at the head of his section leading them through the jungle when he was struck by enemy rifle fire.

William E. Black, 1st Lt., 503 Precht Infantry, in a letter to the mother, gives the following details of Sgt. Parson's death, together with words of praise for him as a man and as a soldier:

"Del's first and last thoughts were for his men. Ignoring his wound, he ordered them to 'get out of here' before he died.

"The loss of Del is a very personal one to me. We had been together all of the time since coming overseas. After several months' intensive training at Cairns, North Queensland, Australia, he participated in our first combat jump against the Japanese garrison at Lae, New Guinea. Later on he participated in activities at Dutch New Guinea and made the combat jump on tiny Nolmfoor Island.

"We came to the Philippines together and made an amphibious assault on another islands in the Philippines. It was during this campaign that Del participated in the liberation of a small Philippine town by one company, and remained with his section to garrison the town for a month.

"Del was in my plane for the jump on Corregidor when it caught on fire and we had to make an emergency jump on Luzon, we came back to Corregidor in an amphibious landing under intensive enemy fire. It was my pleasure and privilege to recommend Del for his well-earned and much deserved Silver Star for heroism and gallantry in action on Corregidor. Del was pursuing his duties as a section leader on Negros with his usual cool courage when he was killed."

Lt. Black went on to eulogize the fine friendship and comradeship of Sgt. Parsons, all of which is of profound interest to his many surviving relatives and friends back home.

Survivors of the immediate family are: The parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Parsons; three sisters, Anna Mae, Dimples and Betty Jo; two brothers, Charles and Bobby.

First Christian Church

Sunday, August 12th: Bible School at 10:00 a. m., H. O Hines, Supt. Worship with communion at 10:45. Lt. Wayne W. Livesay will speak on his experience as a soldier and German prisoner, during the sermon period. An opportunity to hear one of our boys who has had the trying experience of war.

Christian Endeavor Societies meet at 6:30 p. m. No preaching at night as the pastor goes to [illegible] Christian Church for [illegible]

Midweek prayer and praise service Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., followed by choir rehearsal. May we work and worship that we may merit a place with our Heavenly Father.

W. B. Moore, Minister.

Theodore Forester is here from Cincinnati, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Forester.

S. F. Smalley is back home from Dr. Botts' Hospital at Norton, where he unrerwent an operation on the eye. The operation was a complete success, he [illegible]

M. J. Pennington is back from a visit with his daughters, Amy Jo, in Richmond, and Mary Elizabeth, in Washington, D. C.

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D. H. LIVESAY,
[illegible] Park Ave.,
[illegible]more, Md.
Adv. No. 2[illegible]

Certification of Divorce

This is to certify that Mr. Happynear D. Greatwinn, of Route 4, Jonesville, Va., was granted a divorce from Miss Golden Barker, of St. Charles, Va., on the 2nd day of May, 1945, by the Circuit Court of Lee County, Va. Decree recorded in the Clerk's Office of Lee County in Chancery Order Book No. 17, at page 90.
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VIRGINIA
In the Clerk's Office of the [illegible] Court of Lee County, the [illegible] day of July, 194[illegible]
[illegible]
Order of Publication
[illegible]
Defendants
The object of this suit is to [illegible] Lot No. [illegible] Block No. [illegible] in the town of Pennington Gap, Va., to the payment of certain [illegible] owing by L. [illegible] Horne, at time of his death, and for funeral expenses.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendants, Hugh Hicks Horne, Mary Ellis Horne Woody, Pvt. Jimmie Don Horne and George Olen Horne are non-residents of the State of Virginia, and their last known address is Hugh Hicks Horne, 299 Leonard Street, Bristol, Tenn.; Mary Ellis Horne Woody, 39 Halsey Drive, Dayton, Ohio; Pvt. Jimmie Don Horne, P.A.S. N 44120192, Co. A, 14th P.N., 4th Regiment, Camp Gordon, Ga.; and George Olen Horne, Corner Haynes St. and 7th Ave., Bristol, Tenn., it is ordered that they appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to each of the defendants at their last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p. q. L. M. Robinette.
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A DIFFERENT JOHNNY IS MARCHING HOME

For one thing, he won't parade up Main Street the way you always expected. He doesn't much care for the ticker tape and bunting. By day coach or sleeper, Johnny is coming home with the experiences of battle vivid in his memory.

He may be back for the job he left when the call to colors came. You know you'll be proud and happy to have him with you.

But it's a different Johnny. Not quite the happy-go-careless guy you knew before. He's older for one thing. More thoughtful. You may even find him brusque or restless now and then.

Why?

When a man's been through the hell and pandemonium of battle . . . . or the terrible boredom of lonely, inactive outposts, it's hard to readjust to a paradise of peace and plenty. It will take Johnny time to settle in a civilian groove, and the call's on you for friendly tact and patience.

Pull with Johnny. Give him time to come through at home, as he came through on the fighting front. Play ball with Johnny. He made a swell soldier. And he's going to make a swell civilian.

Knight Comments On Gov. Darden's Action Against Snake Rites

Carl B. Knight, editor and publisher of the 53-year-old Big Stone Gap Post, came forth editorially on page 1 of his paper last week with his public opinion of Governor Darden's reaction toward Stone Creek's snake handlers: Mr. Knight's statements:

"Governor Darden ordered the State Police to kill the snakes Sunday at the Stone Creek rites, first being very careful to explain to the the 'preachers' that the snakes were being killed under authority vested by the mad dog law and not in an attempt to suppress a religious demonstration.

"The troopers had been told to watch for a box in which the snakes would be brought to the rites, but when the snake handlers had worked themselves into a high emotional pitch, the snakes appeared from beneath the shirts of the men and from the bosoms of the women. The cops waded into the midst of the howling handlers and the snakes disappeared as suddenly as they appeared. The cops found and killed only four. Governor Darden and the folks of the lowlands should be embarrassed, not that residents of Virginia participate in snake handling religious rites, but that the school system of Virginia is so backward, so unprogressive that conditions of illiteracy and ignorance exist, giving birth to religious superstitions such as the snake handlers of Stone Creek.

"For the Governor to sit back in Richmond and order State Troopers to snake handling rites of the Virginia mountains shows he has only a smattering knowledge and little understanding of these people of the Virginia mountains. It is remembered that Governor Darden had never visited the Virginia mountains until after his election as chief executive, and has been in Wise and Lee Counties during his term of office only on very rare occasions, not over once or twice.

"It is also remembered that when the people of this section go to Richmond after money for school and other improvements, they get the cold shoulder from the lowland members of the legislature. Another election for Governor is coming up this year. This paper is tempted to recommend support of any candidate who agrees to visit Lee and Wise Counties at least twice a year during his term of office.

"The fact that Lee and Wise Counties are closer to the capitals of eight other States than to the capital of Virginia, gives an additional reason why the chief executive should make visits to the Virginia mountains and make an effort to understand its people."

Hallie Perry of Ben Hur, visited friends and relatives on Blackwater last week

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St. Charles Tightens Hold On League Lead; Pennington Gap Loses

Lonesome Pine League schedules were featured with breathtaking games filled with excitement over the week-end. St. Charles won a very exciting 3 to - contest at Cumberland; Dunbar beat Jonesville 1 to 0 for the thriller of the season, while the Oreton-Pennington game was a bit looser, being won by Oreton 8 to 2.

All clubs change schedules next Sunday. St. Charles will play a doubleheader at Jonesville; Cumberland comes to Pennington Gap; and Dunbar plays Oreton at Andover.

Both Dunbar and Jonesville are protesting last Sunday's Dunbar-Jonesville game, scheduled for Jonesville, because Dunbar did not show up. Jonesville claims Dunbar failed to fulfill their schedule, which naturally means a forfeited game. uDnbar claims, Jonesville reported to them grounds were too wet to play, and should have played a double bill Sunday.

Legue President Gene Livingston of the Lonesome Pine has called a meeting of all managers, to be held at The Powell Valley News office in Pennington Gap, Friday, August 10, to iron out many protests and difficulties that have arisen.

At Dunbar, Jonesville and Dunbar fought frantically for the contest, which was won by Dunbar 1 to 0. Porter toed the slab for Dunbar, while Ben Bowen opposed him for Jonesville. Porter gave up three hits, Bowen allowed five. The game was won with the lone tally in the fourth inning. Red Young was safe on en error; the next two men were put out easily; Sage sent a double into deep center, scoring Young. Jonesville got a runner on third with none out in the ninth, but was unable to get him across to tie the score.

The veteran "Red" Walker again hurled the St. Charles Miners to a beautiful 3 to 1 victory over the fast Cumberland club before a large crowd at St. Charles. Walker blanked the Kentuckians last Sunday at Cumberland and deserved another shutout Sunday, but an error in the ninth inning broke the scoreless inning parade set-up by Walker, which had lasted for 17 innings. He, however, held them to four scatteerd hits, whiffing seven. Darnell started on the mound for Cumberland, with F. Knoll relieving in the eighth.

Litton, Pennington, Walker Pope and Pannell led the 13 hit offensive parade for St. Charles, with two hits each, Litton being credited with knocking in two runs in the eighth. Fawbush led the visitors with two.

Oreton trimmed Pennington Gap at Andover 8 to 2 behind the steady pitching of Mabe.

THE OFFICIAL STANDING

	W	L	Pct
St. Charles	11	2	.846
Cumberland	9	5	.643
Dunbar	7	6	.538
Jonesville	6	6	.500
Oreton	5	9	.357
Pennington	2	12	.143

Lee Co. Coal Operators Association Organized

Approximately fifty or more prominent coal operators of Lee County coalfield area met Monday night at Rich Cooper's office at Stone Creek and organized the Lee County Coal Operators Association.

The purpose of the meeting, as stated by D. H. Stallard, Sr., secretary and treasurer, is to coordinate selling prices from the mines and to negotiate better freight rates, thereby putting the small operator on an equal basis with other shippers to all points. Officers elected at the meeting are:

J. M. Fry, president; W. J. Richards, vice president; D. H. Stallard, Sr., secretary-treasurer; board of directors: Charles D. Cole, Sr., chairman; H. R. Parsons, E. R. Cooper, J. Roy Tomlinson, Grover Robinson, J. M. Fry.

The mines represented at this meeting employ a total of about 500 men, with an output of approximately 2,000 tons of coal a day. The organization fee is 1 cent per ton produced by each mine. The organization will meet the first Tuesday in each month at Hotel Pennington.

Powell River Association Meets At Admant Church

Powell River Association will meet in the 52nd annual session August 16-17, with the Admant Baptist Church on Stone Creek, with J. W. Quinley as moderator and Rev. P. R. Stubbs, clerk.

Opening session will begin on Thursday morning, August 16, at 10:00 o'clock, with an interesting and informative program featuring local and visiting speakers.

There will be services each day by the hostess church.

IN MEMORIAM

RAYMOND MINOR

Raymond Minor was born on March 8, 1909, departed this life July 13, 1945, age 36 years, 4 months and 11 days.

He was united in marriage to Rosa Nell Delp, October 1, 1927, who preceded him in death. His second marriage was on January 8, 1938, to Osa Childress, who survives. He is also survived by his aged mother, Mrs. R. V. McPherson; five brothers, Mack Minor, of Bristol, Tenn.; Marion Minor, of Pennville, Ind.; Elbert, Charles and Leonard Minor, of Jonesville; and one sister, Mrs. A. L. Hilbig, Bristol, Va.

Raymond's death was so sudden that it came as a great shock to his many friends and relatives. All that doctors and nurses could do could not stay the hand of death, but he died with a smile, and we know he is gone to a better world wheer there is no more parting nor death.

The night was never too dark nor stormy for Raymond to go to anyone sick or in distress. The community has lost a good neighbor and friend, the wife a true and faithful husband, and the mother a devoted son.

Deaths AND FUNERALS

Mrs. Bessie Buchanan

Mrs. Bessie Buchanan, 32, of St. Charles, died at Evans Hospital in Middlesboro, July 30, 1945, after an illness of several weeks.

Funeral services were held at the Baptist Church at Kemmerer Gem, August 1, at 1:00 p. m., conducted by Rev. Charles Wilson assisted by Rev. Clinton Greene. Burial followed in the Odd Fellows Cemetery at Woodway.

Mrs. Buchanan is survived by her husband, Bert Buchanan; three children, Ella Sue, Ralph James and Wanda Lou; one brother, Leon King, St. Charles; and four sisters, Pearl Sowders, Crab Orchard, Ky.; Rebecca Gibson, Dalton, Ga.; Ollie Mae Rutherford, Kemmerer Gem; and Julia Cox, Dalton, Ga.

Mollie Flanary Marcum

Mrs. Mollie Flanary Marcum died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. E. Legg, Tuesday morning, August 7. She was the widow of the late P. W. Marcum, formerly one of Lee County's leading public school teachers.

Born at Jonesville December 7, 1864, Mrs. Marcum was the daughter of the late Zion Flanary and Phoebe Parsons Flanary. She lived most of her life in Lee County, but for a few years resided at Appalachia.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock at the Methodist Church of Pennington Gap, in charge of the pastor, Rev. Charlie D. Mehaffey, assisted by Dr. S. C. Beard, of Appalachia. Burial followed in the Flanary Cemetery at Dryden.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. C. E. Legg; three grandsons, Clayton Legg, of Baltimore, Md.; Pfc. James Legg, serving with the U. S. Army on Luzan; Sgt. Harold Legg, with the U. S. Army at Cacablanca, Africa; and one sister, Miss Rebecca Flanary, of Jonesville.

Card of Thanks

We wish to take this method of expressing our appreciation for the kindness and sympathy presented during the illness and death of our beloved daughter and sister, Mrs. Bessie Buchanan, July 30, at St. Charles, Va., with special thanks for the many beautiful floral offerings.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. King
and Family,
Dalton, Georgia.

Mrs. Vinton Valentine has returned to Charlottesville after visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Hill, at Virginia-Lee.

Scheduled Meetings For August, I.O.O.F.

The scheduled meetings of Odd Fellows beginning August 16 are as follows:

August 16: Grand Lodge Officers of Grand Encampment will meet with Cawood Lodge, Cawood, Ky., and will be accompanied by Grand Canton Militant Officers.

August 17: Grand Canton Militant and Grand Encampment Officers will meet with Pennington Lodge, Pennington Gap. This meeting for members of Encampment and Militant Degrees only.

August 18: An open meeting to all branches of the Order and their families. Special invitation is given for service boys to attend.

August 19: Annual celebration at Woodway. We are expecting good attendance at all the above meetings. This is a week of important events for Odd Fellowship, and one of greater activities than we have had in a long time—a period on which we can look back with pride and reverence.

Ellis Roberts, D.D.G.M.

News From BLACKWATER

Victor Lawson, of the U. S. Army, has recently returned from overseas.

Mrs. A. O. Robinette and daughter, Mary Joyce, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Robinette, near Greeneville, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Flanary, of Benham, Ky., visited relatives here over the week-end.

Miss Sallie Frank Hickam is enjoying the sights of New York City.

Melvin Johnson has returned from overseas service.

Mr and Mrs. Kyle Flanary and family, of Benham, Ky., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Flanary this week.

Mr and Mrs. Hobart Hall, Pearl Willis, C. W. Barker and William Moore were visiting Florence Robbins, who is ill, recently.

Mr and Mrs. Lloyd Willis and family and Mrs. Roy Richardson were visiting Mrs. Willis' father, Zachary Osborne, recently.

Misses Arneda Sanders and Carrie Lawson are visiting in Kingsport, Tenn.

News From JONESVILLE

Route Four

The revival here was brought to a close Saturday night, due to the fact that Rev. Loudy, the evangelist, had engagements to meet elsewhere.

We can truthfully state that through his association with the people here we have never had a visiting minister who more completely won his way into the hearts of the people, and we are looking forward to a time when he can be with us again. Besides the good that has already been accomplished, he has laid the foundation for a greater work in the future. His family were with him at the closing service.

Quite a number of out-of-the-community attended the closing service on Saturday night, including several from Miller's Chapel.

Mrs. Thelma Bowling Davis, of Big Stone Gap, was a guest of her uncle, John Davis, and family over the week-end. Thelma tells us that her husband, Edgar Davis, is still overseas.

Lura Jean Rutherford was a guest of Doris Bledsoe over the week-end and attended Sunday School Sunday morning.

Miss Nell Wade, of Jonesville, was in our midst from time to time during the revival.

LINCOLN MEMORIAL UNIVERSITY PLANS FOR FALL OPENING

Increased Attendance Is Expected — Appoints Veterans' Council

Plans are well under way for an increased attendance at Lincoln Memorial University at the opening of the fall term, September 25th. Lafrentz Poole Hall for girls is being painted, and all of the rooms are being set in order for a full house. Girls attending the summer session are rooming in Norton Hall, which also will be full next year.

Dr. Stewart McClelland, president, has appointed a committee to act in an advisory capacity for veterans of World War II who are making inquiries about their plans for further education. This committee consists of Dr. T. A. Frick, dean; High Trent Ramsey, registrar; and Dr. W. I. Jones, administrative secretary. This committee will be able to advise veterans on any problems that they may have about their educational plans.

The campaign for $75,000 for a new Physical Education Building has now passed the $55,000 mark, and Sam A. Mars, of Middlesboro, Ky., chairman of the campaign, announces that he expects the remainder of the fund to be raised this year.

Back To The Woods 30 Years Ago

By

CAM J. LEWIS

Thirty years ago I came back here with wife and three children. Had no home, no milch cow, or nothing except my good wife, who has stuck with me calico or silk. But what saved us was my willingness to work and go back into the woods and get out of town. I did go back to the woods. Now let good and hard times come and go—looks like we are safe. If you don't believe I practice what I preach, come out and see me in my woods.

What I was going to say: I have three other places like this for other people who might want to go back to the woods.

No. 1 BACK TO WOODS:

38 acres, 5-room home, barn and other outhouses. good spring flowing from bosom of earth. Six acres cleared, 32 acres timber; saw and mining timber. Lots of people tell me plenty of timber to pay for the whole farm. House now empty. Price $2,000, cash, or $1,100 down, balance 6 and 12 months. Possession at once.

This farm located 1½ miles east of Pennington Gap on south side of Poor Valley Ridge, ½ mile off on good road from main highway. Owner, Don Myers; part of late John Pennington land. Go look, if wanted see me at once—if not sold you can get it.

No. 2 BACK TO WOODS

My 25 acres. Two houses, barn, crib, orchard, garden, pasture land and corn lands; running water; 1 acre allotment tobacco. Light on place. Price $1,800, cash or easy terms.

Some of you people who have looked at it and backed off because it was not on main highway may soon wish you had bought it and moved there, where this winter you would have had corn in crib, meat and lard in smoke house, apples, potatoes, and cabbage in hole, and pumpkins under the bed. Folks, better listen to me now; chilly winds are coming. Silas Johnson place, 1 mile south Ben Hur.

No. 3 BACK TO WOODS

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Judy Peck - - - - - Miss Floravista McKinnon
Tommy Meadows - - - - - - - Guess Who?
Aunt Hattie - - - - - - - Mrs. Perry Stubbs
Madame De La Claire - - - - - - Mrs. C. C. Carr
Keith Treveleyen - - - - - - - Guess Who?
Hortense Yohnson - - - - Mrs. Walter Adams
Roseola Ricketts - - - - - - - Guess Who?
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With Our Service Men

Pvt. Claude Ely In Hospital

Pvt. Claude L. Ely, son of Mrs. Rena Ely, of Pennington Gap, has been admitted to the AAF Regional and Convalescent Hospital, Miami District, for treatment and rest.

In addition to receiving regular treatment from a staff of Army physicians, nurses and specialists, he will participate in physical training, recreation and class room activities which are part of the hospital program to help soldiers attain complete recovery.

Marched Into Berlin

Among the first troops to enter Berlin was Technical Sergeant Harold E. Quinley, son of Mrs. Ethel Quinley, of Pennington Gap. He is a part of Major General Floyd L. Park's First Airborne Army which will establish U. S. Headquarters in Berlin District.

Helps In Redeployment

Pfc. Calvin C. Hall, of Jonesville, is helping speed the redeployment of American troops to the United States and to the Pacific through the huge Assembly Area Command in its vast redeployment project of processing 8,000 men daily. Headquarters of the command is in the "little red school house" at Rheims.

Pfc. Hall was formerly a Second Infantry Division soldier who landed in Normandy on D+1. He was wounded while the Division was street fighting in Brest, and received the Purple Heart. He is a veteran of five major campaigns and also holds the Bronze Star Medal for heroic action against the enemy in the Normandy campaign.

In Enroute Home

Pfc. Willard H. Brewer is enroute home from the European Theater of Operations with the veteran "Bloody Bucket" Division which in eight months saw vicious combat action from Normandy's hedgerows to the heart of the Reich. Willard is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Brewer, of Pennington Gap. He holds the Combat Infantryman Badge, E.T.O. Ribbon and three battle stars.

Wins Good Conduct Medal

Award of the Good Conduct Ribbon to Pfc. Tilda J. Laws, transportation Corps, was announced at headquarters, Camp Patrick Henry, Va. The award was presented "for exemplary conduct and service demonstrated by faithful and exact performance of duty, and behavior worthy of emulation."

Pfc. Laws is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Laws of Pennington Gap, and is now serving as a driver with the Third WAC Company at the Virginia Staging Area.

Will Go To Pacific Area

After eight months in the European Theater of Operations, Staff Sgt. Ty Harber son of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Harber, of Pennington Gap, has reported to Camp Arles, France, redeployment camp for the Pacific Area of Operations. Camp Arles, one of the huge staging areas near the Mediterranean port of Marseilles, has a capacity of 100,000 soldiers.

Sgt. Harber describes his most interesting combat experience as follows.

"My most interesting combat experience was crossing the Rhine at Mainz, Germany. We crossed while the city of Mainz was still in flames, after a shelling and bombing by our artillery and rocket throwing tanks. One of our cavalry squadrons faked a crossing up the river from where we crossed, and the only fire we received was from snipers. we sent patrols across the river went sent patrols across the river to find out the enemy strength. We were looking for the Germans to try a crossing before we crossed. We crossed without the loss of a man from our squadron.

"Give my regards to all the boys."

S. Sgt. Ty Harber.

Assigned As Chief Clerk

Sgt. Alvin C. Arnette, son of Mrs. Hazel H. Arnette, Keokee, Va., recently transferred to the 1360th AAF Base, has been given a duty assignment as chief clerk in the Personnel Section, it was announced by the base commander, Lt. Col. Joel V. Ledbetter, of Little Rock, Ark.

His new duties primarily consist of issuance of special orders, general orders, field directives, and other official publications.

Sgt. Arnette has served in the China Wing of the Air Transport Command since June 3, 1945.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jones and family, of Portsmouth, Va., visited relatives here last week.

News From BENEDICT

Kenneth Lyttle and George Sharp, both of the U. S. Navy, were visiting friends here last week.

Mrs. Cassie Estep and daughter, of Calvin, visited relatives here over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Scarborough and family and Mrs. Bonnie Sturgill visited friends at Lee General Hospital in Pennington last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Cox and daughter, Marie, of Pine Knot, Ky., spent last week with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tackett and family, of Big Stone Gap, visited friends here Sunday.

Miss Kate Lynn, of Harriman, Tenn., spent last week here with Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Lynn and family.

The Rev. Bascom Dickson, of Wise County, filled his regular appointment at the Benedict Church over the week-end.

Mrs. Fred Thompson and children spent the week-end with relatives in Jonesville.

Pfc. Luther Baltimore, who has just returned from Germany, together with Mrs. Baltimore and little son, of Crossville, Tenn., were Sunday visitors here.

Clarence E. Vanzant, of the U. S. Navy, visited relatives here last week.

Cpl. Robert Holman, of the U. S. Army, is at home spending a 15-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holman.

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STAND BY FOR WAR WORK

Trench mortar powder is made at Radford. The Army needs so much of this powder for fighting the Japs that Radford Ordnance Works is being greatly enlarged. About 2,000 more men and women workers will be needed at Radford as buildings are finished. There will be a good job at high pay waiting for you real soon, stand by. Plan now to be ready when the call comes for more workers.

Watch the newspapers for further announcement.

Heavy artillery powder is bagged at New River. Work slowed down at this plant when the war in Europe ended.

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HOW SMART PEOPLE AND JACK BENNY LATCH ON TO THEIR MONEY

by Fred Allen

1. Smart people hang on to their money by buying War Bonds —and *holding* them. Jack Benny does, too. But don't let that stop you. Buy some anyway. All high-class people do this. For example, I do. Lowlifes like Benny imitate us upper-crust denizens by buying Bonds just so they can get their picture in the *Police Gazette*.

2. Among polite circles, it is no longer considered *de rigeur* to trip up the waiter or cash in your War Bonds. In these circles, in which Benny is considered a square, it is also deemed a trifle *gauche*—that's hog Latin for sloppy—to dunk your feet in the finger bowl. When Benny finds this out, he'll probably be so embarrassed he'll break down and start wearing shoes.

3. The boys coming back from Europe and Okinawa probably won't lope up to you breathlessly and dangle a medal around your neck for buying War Bonds, but you can bet your bottom Jap yen they won't give you the water cure, either. They know the importance of Bonds—they buy enough every month themselves to make Benny's toupee turn green.

4. The laziest way in the world to make extra money is to let those War Bonds accumulate interest. You get back 133% on your original investment in ten years. So let all your spare cash snooze away in War Bonds. If you *must* tuck something under your mattress, try your mother-in-law.

5. And don't think because your Aunt Cracklethroat's tea leaves spelled "rat" last Sunday that the end of this war is in sight. It's not even within swooning distance. So make like Benny and pinch that penny. Or, as the farsighted zoo keeper said to the careless elephant keeper, "Till V-J day, hoard that hay!" Then, *keep* hoarding till the Bonds mature.

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Social and Personal

The John Dillinger Gangster Picture is coming to the Lee Theatre soon. Don't miss it!

Home Again

Rev. and Mrs. C. D. Mehaffey and Rev. and Mrs. P. R. Subbs and family are back on the home front. The Mehaffeys, accompanied by Misses Elise Rhea and Pearl Cornette, have been attending a Training Conference at Lake Junaluska; the Stubbs on their annual vacation trip down east.

Survives Combat With Japs

Foster F. Keck, S. 1-C., has been spending a 30-day furlough with his wife, Dorothy, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Castle, of Stickleyville, Va. He also visited with his parents at Tazewell, Tenn. Seaman Keck was a member of the crew of the U.S.S. Hugh W. Hadley, that engaged in a great battle with Japanese warplanes off Okinawa on May 11.

Visit Johnson City

Mrs. C. C. Carr, Mrs. T. L. Burchette, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Burchette and children, and Mrs. Bessie Gentry, who is house guest of the Burchettes, from Knoxville, were visiting and shopping in Johnson City, Monday.

Here On Vacations

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Collins and daughter, Barbara, are here from Newport News on vacation, visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Collins and Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Howard.

Mrs. Ty Harber and little son, of Middlesboro, Ky., are spending a few days at the home of her parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Harbet.

Miss Nancy Shackleford is spending a two weeks' vacation with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Tomlinson, at Johnson City, Tenn.

Mrs. George Reep, who has been seriously ill for the past ten days, is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chumley, Myra Glyn and Harry Selfe, of Bristol, spent part of last week with Mrs. Chumley's mother, Mrs. J. D. Russell.

Miss Flora Mae Fugate is back home following the close of summer classes at the Conservatory of Music, Cincinnati, Ohio. Miss Fugate was enrolled in courses in piano, harmony and piano master classes.

The store force of Service Grocery enjoyed a picnic last Wednesday at High Knob. Those enjoying the affair were: Bobby Jean Cooper, Mrs. John Bailey, John Javan Adams, Henry Pugh; former employees were T-Cpl. and Mrs. Levoy Grable, Pvt. and Mrs. Walter Stewart, Nancy Anderson, and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Anderson.

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Julian and Jimmy King, of Kingsport, Tenn., are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Overbay.

Mrs. Carrie Crowell, of Baltimore, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Stewart.

Pfc. Lawrence (Dixry) Dean is at home on furlough. Pfc. Dean is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Dean. He has been stationed at Fort Benning, Ga., for the past few months.

Cpl. and Mrs. Arthur Crowell and little daughter, Songia Gene, og Newport News, visited Cpl. Crowell's grandmother, Mrs. Crowell, and Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Stewart, last week.

Mrs. H. J. Kaiser, of Wise, mother of Mrs. Arthur Crowell, also visited Mrs. Crowell and the Stewart family. Cpl. Crowell has recently returned from Germany, where he has been for several months.

Kenneth Little, of the U. S. Navy, is home after finishing his boot training. Seaman Little is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Little, of Bonny Blue. He graduated from St. Charles High School with the class of '45.

J. T. Fleenor, of the U. S. Navy, has completed his boot training at Bainbridge, Md., and is home on furlough. Seaman Fleenor is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fleenor, of Woodway.

Jimmy Ross, of Bowling Green, Ky., is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Ida Smith.

Virginia Richardson visited her brother, Earl Richardson, and family last week.

Mrs. Clyde McElyea visited her daughter, Mrs. James Gibson, Mr. Gibson and little daughter, Rita Anne, of Corbin, Ky., last weekend.

Miss Cornie Orr and Mrs. Gordon Ely, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., spent part of their vacation with relatives here.

Elenor Housley visited her mother, Mrs. Bob Housley, of Fountain City, Tenn., recently.

Sgt. and Mrs. Talmadge Middleton are visiting his mother, Mrs. John Goins, and sisters. Sgt. Middleton has recently arrived from Europe.

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Rev. and Mrs. C. D. Mehaffey have with them as visitors Mrs. Mehaffey's mother, Mrs. T. J. Lee, of Fairfield, Iowa, and her sister, Mrs. Frances Rygals, of Lansing, Mich.

A party was given August 7th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clark, of Monarch, in honor of Miss Pauline Cooper and Mrs. Francis Woodard, who left for Richmond today. Among those present were: Juanita Scott, Lois Travis, Rita Stapleton, Cledith Criddlin, Edna Stapleton, Myrtle Clark, Ralph Criddlin, Garvain Travis, George Gibson, Cpl. Clyde Parks, Hubert Napier, Delmar Clark, Clarence Clark, Harley Reynolds, Elmer Baker, Larance Scott, and several others. They all reported a nice time.

Shower For Miss Lewis

A bridal shower honoring Miss Virginia Lewis was given by Mrs. O. H. Reasor and Mrs. D. H. Stallard, Saturday evening at Mrs. Reasor's home in West Pennington.

The entertainment was a musical romance presented by Misses Cora and June Lewis. Miss Boots Richards won the prize. Also each guest gave the bride-to-be a written word of advice. Then a very delicious frozen salad plate was served by the hostesses. Each guest received a lovely corsage, after which the bride-to-be was presented many lovely and useful gifts.

Class Party

Mrs. J. C. Smith, assisted by Mrs. J. M. Smith and Mrs. Pearl Rhea, was hostess to the Ladies' Bible Class, Methodist Church School, at her home Tuesday evening. After the usual devotional and recreational programs a dessert course was served by the hostesses.

The September meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Stallard, at Woodway.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stewart, of Lancaster, Pa., are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Stewart, of Keokee, and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McElyea. Mrs. Stewart is the former Miss Grace McElyea.

Jonesville Girl Hurt in Bicycle Accident

Miss Golden Moore, 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Moore, of Jonesville, suffered a broken back and other injuries last Sunday when her bicycle overturned on the State highway, throwing her against a rock. She is in Lee General Hospital, where her condition is reported serious.

Pre-Induction, Induction Calls For August

(Continued from page 1)

Ewing; Fred Thomas Williams, Ben Hur; Morgan Lee Fleenor, Ocoonita; Alfred Clifton Moles, Route 1, Rose Hill; Earnest Ray Ely, Route 4, Jonesville; Quillen Combs, Ewing; Birgus Moody Hensley, Route 2, Jonesville; Harold Hedrick, Route 1, Jonesville; Joel Lee Vicars, Route 1, Fairview; Archie Dewey Delph, Route 4, Jonesville; Willard Harold Marcum, Route 1, Rose Hill; Paul Neal Barber, Jonesville; Glen Baker Anderson, Route 2, Blackwater; Gale Sherman Johnson, Ocoonita; Grover Cleveland Lyttle, Route 4, Jonesville.

LEWIS — SULLIVAN

The wedding of Miss Virginia Lewis and Mr. Daily Sullivan, of Radford, Va., took place Tuesday afternoon, August 7, at 4:00 o'clock, in the Pennington Gap Methodist Church, with the pastor, Rev. Charlie D. Mehaffey, reading the marriage ceremony.

Miss Cora Lewis, sister of the bride, gave a program of prenuptial organ music which included "Lievestraum", "The Rosary", "Melody" by Dawes, "Ah Sweet Mystery of Life", "Because" and "Theme" by Tschaikowsky. Miss Boots Richards sang "Ave Maria" and "Oh Perfect Love". 'Gene Philip Reasor, cousin of the bride, sang "At Dawning" and "I Love You Truly".

The vows were spoken before a large white arch covered with green ivy and flanked with floor baskets of white gladoli. White canlelabra holding candles of white were arranged on each side of the arch.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a street length dress of powder blue and black. Her veil was of powder blue, and her bridal corsage of pink asters and gardenias.

Mrs. Howard W. Logan, of Princeton, W. Va., sister of the bride, was matron of honor. She wore a dress of yellow-flowered sheer, with full skirt. She wore a white sweetheart hat and her corsage was of yellow gladoli. Joan Kelly, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kelly, was flower girl. She was dressed in white organdie and carried a basket decorated in blue.

Mr. O. H. Reasor, uncle of the bride, served as best man. The ushers were Don Stallard and W. N. Beverly. Each wore boutonnieres if white asters. Following the ceremony a reception for the bridal party was given at the home of the bride, with around 40 guests present.

The bride's table, covered with pure white linen, was centered by a three-tier wedding cake, a beautiful creation with frosting in white and silver. Bride's roses were strewn around the cake and table, and six white candles were burning. Punch, nuts, mints, in shapes of roses, all in pastel colors, and dainty, open-face sandwiches were served. Miss Lorene Kelly presided at the punch bowl.

Immediately after the reception the couple left on a honeymoon trip.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cam J. Lewis, of Pennington Gap. She is a graduate of Pennington High School and of Radford State Teachers College, and for the past two years has served as dietitian in the Community Hospital at Radford. She also taught Home Economics at Pennington High School for two years.

The couple will make their home at Radford.

DIFFENDERFER - BURKE

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Diffenderfer, Route 2, Jonesville, Va., announce the marriage of their daughter, Girzelle, to Prtr.M.1-C. James H. Burke, Jr., of Chicago, Ill. The ceremony took place in St. Vincent's Church, Newport News, Va., on June 16, 1945.

The bride is a graduate of Jonesville High School, class of '43. For the past two years she has been employed in the War Department in Washington, D.C.

The groom is the only son of the late Mr. and Mrs. James H. Burke, Sr., of Chicago, Ill. He was a student of Chicago University until he joined the Navy a few months before Pearl Harbor. He is now aboard the USS Portsmouth in the Pacific.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Stewart have been advised that their son, Pfc. Chilton Stewart, has been released from the U. S. Army hospital in the Philippines after about five months' confinement. Pfc. Stewart suffered shellshock in the invasion of Luzon.

Cpl. Bob Housley, Jr., arrived home from Germany, Monday.

MAN HAD BRICK IN HIS STOMACH FOR 10 YEARS

One man recently stated that for 10 years he felt like he had a brick in his stomach. This feeling was due to a lump of undigested food he always had inside of him. He was weak, worn out, headachy, swollen with gas and terribly constipated. Recently he started taking ERB-HELP and says the feeling like a brick in his stomach disappeared the second day. Bowels are regular now, gas and headaches are gone and he feels lige a new man.

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Will Discuss His Experience Of War

LT. WAYNE W. LIVESAY

First Lt. Wayne W. Livesay will speak at the worship hour, First Christian Church here Sunday morning, August 12. He will discuss his experience as an American soldier and as a prisoner of war in Germany.

Methodist Church

Sunday morning, August 12: Church School at 9:30, Clyde M. Kirk, Supt. Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon theme: "Life At Its Best." Special music.

Evening: Youth Fellowship Groups met at 6:30. Communion service at 7:30. Meditation: "Why Communion?"

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday eevning at 7:30 o'clock

W.S.C.S. picnic at Jonesville Camp Ground, Thursday, August 16, from 10:00 a. m. to 2:00 p. m. W.S.C.S. Societies from other churches in the district will meet with them. Mrs. S. C. Beard, of Appalachia, will lead a discussion on "The American Indian".

Eugene Brown, of Detroit, Mich., is visiting his grandparents, Rev. and Mrs. Jim Ely.

C. H. Howard, patrolman at the U. S. Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md., is spending a 30-day leave with relatives and friends in Lee County. Patrolman Howard is a native of Lee County, having been born and reared near Jonesville. This is his first visit home in several years.

COLLINS — DEXTER

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Collins, of St. Charles, Va., announce the marriage of their daughter, Ethel, to Curtis E. Dexter, Aviation Chief Machinist Mate, of the U. S. Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md.

The wedding took place at Harlan, Ky., August 4, and was witnessed by the bride's father and brother-in-law, Starling West. The couple will make their home in Baltimore.

News From
MILLER'S CHAPEL

Miss Erma Jean Terry and sister-in-law, Mrs. Leslie Terry, of Virginia Beach, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Terry, this week.

Mrs. Bob Williams has been on the sick list for a few days.

Mrs. M. B. Johnson, of Ben Hur; Morris and Mary Lou Loffey, of Chevrolet, Ky., were visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Johnson the first of the week.

Sgt. Joe Livesay, of Jonesville, was visiting Pfc. Marshall Williams, Sunday.

Sally Bea Johnson has returned home after making her home for some time with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Clawson.

Mrs. Babe Williams, Robert James, Pfc. Marshall Williams, and Flora Williams made a business trip to Middlesboro, Ky., Saturday.

The following went on a weiner roast Saturday night: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Clawson, Pfc. Roy Hall, Flora Williams, Pfc. Marshall Williams, Sally Bea Johnson, Estelleen Williams, Clara Helen Fisher, Henry DeVault, Lora Williams, and Denver Clawson. All report a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Terry have announced the marriage of their daughter, Mary Jane, to Blaine Hines, of Virginia Beach, on August 1. Mr. Hines spent six years in the Army, most of this time overseas. He received his honorable discharge a few weeks ago. The couple will make their home at Virginia Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Meade are happy to have their son, James Meade, home from the European theater of war. James has been in Europe the past three years.

Pvt. Roy Burns, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Burns, left for Baltimore, Tuesday.

BRIDE OF JULY 30TH

MRS. DON R. CARTER

The marriage of Miss Geraldine McElyea to Mr. Don R. Carter at Harlan Ky., was announced in our last week's issue of The Powell Valley News.

STEWART — DEAN

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Stewart announce the marriage of their daughter, Emmalou, to Pfc. Lawrence Dean, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Dean, on August 7, at Harlan, Ky.

The marriage took place at the parsonage home of the Rev. A. R. Perkins, pastor of the Methodist Church, who officiated, using the double ring ceremony.

The bride's attendant was Miss Marguerite Hargraves, as maid of honor, and the groom's best man was Robert F. McCullough.

Pfc. Dean has recently completed his paratrooper's training at Fort Benning, Ga., and is here on leave.

Mrs. Dean will make her home with her parents and continue her work at Lee Drug Store for the duration.

First Baptist Church

Sunday morning, August 12th: Sunday School at 9:30, A. T. Burchette, Supt. Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon theme: "The Hardest Thing in the World to Be."

Evening: Training Unions meet at 6:30 p. m. Evening worship at 7:30. Sermon topic: "The Test of a Man's Religion."

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

P. R. Stubbs, Pastor.

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Town Talk

About This, That, And The Other

Our Post-War World

And now here is our post-war world that we've been talking and dreaming of. Very suddenly late Tuesday evening we stepped onto the magic rug that wafted us out of a war-torn world into a new world of peace. People on every hand are declaring "they just can't believe it, that we must be dreaming."

Yet already many items are being taken off the rationed list, and slowly but surely we will find the normal way of life returning to us. A manager of one of the mining camp commissaries even said they had secured 2700 pounds of old-time "fat back" for cooking purposes. This will require points, of course. Just as well many other foods, but surely we can afford to be patient, and await the readjustment of conditions. Above all, make the best use of our new post-war world.

A Strolling Visitor

One day last week a gentleman strolled into our office, who, on first sight, was seemingly a stranger. A second look, however, revealed that he wasn't a stranger at all, but a man known far and wide for his interesting stories in the Knoxville News-Sentinel.

Yes, you guessed it—BERT VINCENT!

Family Total

The ages of four living members of one Lee County family total 343 years.

They are: Mrs. Mary P. ("Grandma") Kelly, Pennington Gap, 94. A sister, Mrs. Sarah Snavely, Ewing, Va., 85; another sister, Mrs. Martha Hamilton, Shawanee, Tenn., 83; their brother, R. L. Graham, Jonesville, 81.

End of the Song

Mrs. W. F. Bonham was telling us the other day about the death of Jerry. Jerry was eleven years old, she said, and had been in the family ever since he was a baby. Every morning he would start the day with a gay, happy song. Even on the morning of his death he poured forth his song as usual. Then suddenly in the midst he stopped singing and fell over dead. That's just the way canaries usually die, it is said.

"Traveling On"

Mrs. M. S. Levacy, 91, almost decided to settle down and not do very much traveling, since traveling is crowded these days; however, on second thought she felt that she'd like to make another return trip to Texas to visit with her children. Accordingly, she left the first of the week, which makes her 34th annual return trip to Texas.

Relief Movement

Clayton Cox is heading a relief organization of some kind. For particulars see him.

Mrs. Murphy King had as her guests her two brothers, John and Bert Barlow, also the two Mrs. Barlows this week.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Weather Bureau report for week ending Aug. 18th, 1945, for Lee County, furnished by Cam J. Lewis, official observer:

Date July August	Temperature Highest	Temperature Lowest	Rainfall Inches and 100ths
6	91	69	.21
7	84	67	1.07
8	84	57	.00
9	80	52	.00
10	81	51	.00
11	84	56	.00
12	90	58	.00

All Lee County Celebrates V-J Day

Both Young and Old Jubilant Over News of Victory

Pennington Gap, St. Charles, Jonesville and other Lee County towns burst into demonstrations of estatic joy late Tuesday evening, August 14, when a radio message from President Truman announced that Japan had accepted the Potsdam terms of surrender, and that War was officially ended.

Within a few minutes after the announcement came, the citizens, both old and young, even children, were parading through the streets, on foot, in automobiles and trucks, while fire whistles, tooting of auto horns, beating of drums and other jubilent sounds filled the air.

With all the celebrations, there were no signs of drunkenness or disorder. Policemen either look-happily on or joined the happy throng.

"Let 'em alone," one officer was heard to remark, "No harm done, just as long as they stay sober."

Annual Camp Meeting At Jonesville Camp Ground August 25-26

The annual camp meeting, more than a century old, will convene at Jonesville Camp Ground August 25-26.

A union revival meeting between the Powell Valley Circuit and the Jonesville Circuit is now in progress. The meeting begun Monday evening, August 13, and will continue through the Camp Meeting date. This meeting is being led by Rev. C. H. Loudy, of Exeter, Va., and Rev. C. R. McPherson, of St. Charles, Va.

The meeting is being held under the "old shed" and each evening has witnessed a splendid audience. Morning services will be held each day at 10:00 a. m. except on Sundays, when preaching will begin promptly at 11:00 a. m.

Services every evening.

C. G. McKay, L. D. Perkins, Pastors.

Revival Planned For Smith's Chapel

A revival meeting is announced to be held at Smith's Chapel, Pennington Gap, Route 2, beginning September 15, and continuing two weeks.

The meeting will be in charge of Rev. Robert Tickle, assisted by an evangelist.

Every one is invited.

Ely's Memorial, on Dry Branch, will also have a revival sometime in September.

Card of Thanks

We wish to take this method of expressing our appreciation for the kindness and sympathy presented us during the illness and death of our beloved husband and father, with special thanks for the many, many beautiful floral offerings.

During a time like this we learn how much our friends really mean to us. Your expression of sympathy will always be treasured.

Mrs. D. C. Sewell, Jr., and Children.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to our many friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness and sympathy during the illness and death of our dear father and husband, and for the beautiful floral offerings.

Mrs. C. B. Musick and family.

Serving With 7th Army

PFC. ROSCOE L. LUNDY

Pfc. Roscoe L. Lundy, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Lundy, of Pennington Gap, enlisted in service June 17, 1943, and is now serving with the Signal Service Corps somewhere in Germany, with the Seventh Army. He has served 17 months overseas.

Pfc. Lundy holds the Good Conduct Medal, Expert Driver's Badge, the Combat Infantryman Badge and three battle stars for participation in three major battles.

YOUNG ARMY OFFICER RECENT VISITOR

Major Joe Gibbs

St. Charles, in Lee County, has the distinction of furnishing the U. S. Army one of their youngest ranking officers. He is Major Joe Gibbs, son of Mrs. Nancy J. Gibbs, of St. Charles.

Major Gibbs is only 33 years old, and has been in Army service for a period of more than ten years. Entering the Army in 1933 he served for two and a half years in Panama, and upon returning to the U. S., enlisted in the Army Air Corps and was stationed in Washington, D. C.

Accompanied by his wife, Major Gibbs recently visited here with his mother, two sisters, Mrs. J. T. Adams of Pennington Gap and Mrs. Alvin Taylor, of St. Charles; his grandmother, Mrs. Minnie Gibbs, and many other relatives here, also they visited their uncle, Eddie Chesher, of Knoxville.

Major Gibbs wore a Bronze Star Medal for participation in the Normandy invasion. At the time of his visits here he had enough points to his credit for discharge, but stated that he wanted to "see the war through," so he reported back to Washington, D. C., and from there went to Hanover, Maine, for a week's temporary duty.

In his military travels Maj. Gibbs has covered England, Italy, North Africa, Holland, Belgium and France; and as an enlisted man in the regular Army saw service in Hawaii, South and Central Americas, and West Indies.

Major Gibbs entered the Army as a private, and has advanced to the rank of Major by outstanding performance and ability.

Lee County Scientist Declined Work On Atomic Bomb

The Akron Beacon Journal, dated Akron, Ohio, August 8, carries the story of Dr. W. L. Davidson, Jr., research physict, the only man of science in industry who is known to have turned down an invitation to join in the work on the atomic bomb.

Dr. Davidson did not decline the government proffered invitation because he failed to realize the importance of the work, the Journal stated, but because he was deeply engrossed in some work of his own at the time.

Currently, Dr. Davidson is engaged in special studies with X-ray and electronic defraction in the research division of the Akron Co. He began his studies of atomic energy while in Yale University Graduate school in 1940. He is co-author of a principal text book on the subject, now used in many Universities.

In writing on the subject in 1942, Dr. Davidson says: "This finding in connection with atomic energy promises to exert a er influence on the shape of things to come than any other discovery in the past century of scientific miracles."

Dr. Davidson joined Goodrich shortly after receiving his Doctor's degree at Yale. He is the son of Attorney W. L. Davidson, of Jonesville.

Citizens League Is Organized In Lee County

A number of leading citizens and leaders of the County met at the First Baptist Church Sunday afternoon and organized a Lee County Citizen's League.

Rev. C. D. Mehaffey, of Pennington Gap, was elected chairman; Mayor O. M. Hyatt, of Jonesville, Vice Chairman; Rev. W. H. Parrot, of Pennington Gap, Route 1, Secretary, and W. H. Creech, Pennington Gap, Treasurer.

The League will have various purposes and functions for the betterment of the County, the chairman stated. Generally speaking, they will give special interest to supporting the law enforcement agencies of the County, getting truant children enrolled in schools; putting into effect election laws, coping with the bootlegging and road house situations ,and many others. In addition, the League will be interested in co-operating with supervisors and others in providing means of organized recreation in the county, and will be concerned in the general problems of the total life of our community.

The League is to be strictly non-partisian, and members will include ministers, mayors, officers and interested citizens.

Supt. of Schools, S. J. Shelburne, gave an interesting discussion at the meeting Sunday, outlining the legal steps to be taken in coping with the situation of children being out of school. The committee appointed to work with him in this line were Mrs. P. R. Stubbs, Mrs. C. D. Mehaffey, and M. H. VanDeventer.

Interesting talks were made by Mayor E. E. Parsons, of Pennington Gap, and Mayor O. M. Hyatt, of Jonesville.

Chief of Police, Claude H. Benfield spoke of the improved conditions of our town since the local option election became effective, and made an earnest appeal to the members of the League to give their cooperation in enforcing the law. In his discussion, Officer Benfield stated that the best behavior had been maintained in our town last Saturday night since he had been in office. He said that as far as he could discern, only three persons were under the influence of drink.

Rev. P. R. Stubbs as chairman, S. J. Shelburne and John Richmond were designated as a constitutional committee to determine the purposes and policies of the orginazition.

Chester Haburn Post, American Legion, Elects New Officers

A meeting of Chester Haburn Post No. 33, was held Monday evening, August 13, at Pennington High School, for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year. Officers elected were as follows:

Commander, Clyde E. Sprinkle; 1st. Vice Commander. J. B. VanDeventer; 2nd. Vice Commander, Dan V. Richmond; Adjutant, Elmo David; Finance Officer, Z. C. Flanary; Service Officer, C. F. Connelly; Historian, W. R. Pennington; Chaplain, M. H. VanDeventer; Sgt. at Arms, Adlai Litton; Membership Chairmen, C. F. Connelly and J. E. Jessee; Publicity Officer, Sam C. Blackwell.

Officers will meet the second Monday night in each month.

Mrs. Sewell Appointed County Court Clerk

Mrs. D. C. Sewell, Jr., of Jonesville, was this week appointed Clerk of the County Court at Jonesville, by Judge George Morton, to fill the unexpired term of her husband, the late D. C. Sewell, Jr.

Pvt. Clyde Rhea visited his wife and small son last week. He also visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Rhea and family.

1945-46 Public School Teachers Announced

SERVES ABOARD LST

Coast Guardsman L. E. Hinkle

Coast Guardsman Lawrence E. Hinkle, fireman first class, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Hinkle of Pennington Gap, operates an anti-aircraft gun aboard his Coast Guard manned LST somewhere in the Pacific War Zone. He also served aboard two other Coast Guard manned vessels prior to his Pacific assignment.

Fireman Hinkle is a graduate of Pennington High School and of Hiwassee College at Madisonville. He also attended V. P. I. at Blacksburg, Virginia. At the time of his enlistment in service he was principal of the school at Darbyville.

His father is a rural mail carrier.

Pennington Lions Club Now In New Home

Harlan Lions and Kiwanians Guests of Club

Pennington Gap Lions Club met in their new quarters at the Town Hall Thursday night, August 9. This newly equipped room will henceforth be the permanent meeting place for the Club.

Visitors at this meeting included the following members of the Kiwanis and Lions Clubs of Harlan:

Kiwanis: Dr. W. N. Parks, Judge F. M. Meadows, George S. Ward, J. A. Gregory.

Lions: J. T. Ledington, C. W. Denham, Sherman Burkhart, Frank Hastie, J. R. Robinette. Also Prof. L. F. Shelburne, of Staunton, Va., and Miss Helen Ferrar of Kansas City, were guests.

The leading topic of the evening was that of securing a National Airport for Pennington Gap, and the visiting citizens of Harlan are co-operating in this effort. The National Aeronautic Association has made a general survey of Lee and Harlan counties, and found the most suitable grounds for this proposed airport to be in the Hickory Flats community near Pennington. Speakers on the subject at the Lions Club meeting were:

Dr. Parks, Judge Meadows, representing the Kiwanis; Mr. Ledington, Mr. Denham, Mr. Burkhart and Mr. Robinette representing the Lions.

Rev. P. R. Stubbs, president of the Pennington Gap Lions Club, will appoint a committee to work with other committees on the project.

Due to the lack of suitable location for an airport to meet the specifications of the National Aeronautic Board in Harlan County, the civic organizations and business people of Harlan have offered their whole-hearted support to Pennington Gap in securing an airport.

Majority of Teachers Reassigned to Schools Taught Last Year

Supt. S. J. Shelburne announced today the following placements by Lee County School Board of teachers and principals of Lee County schools for the term 1945-46, beginning September 3.

The principals of the eight High Schools in the county will return to their respective schools; the list of teachers is subject to change, Mr. Shelburne states.

Dryden High School: E. S. Tyler, Principal; Reba Gilley, Mary Virginia Flanary, Lucille Orr, Sada G. Bishop, Elizabeth Boyd, Edith Jessee.

Keokee High School: J. C. Wolfe, Principal; Ethel Garbus, Edna Clarkson, Hallie Burton, Ruby Bailey, Mrs. Edna Rutherford, Helen Howard, Hattie Sorah.

Calvin: Ruth S. Carter, Principal; June Parsons, Mrs. Nell M. Carter, Alma C. Hobbs.

Robbins Chapel: Mrs. Joe W. Robinson, Principal; Virgie S. Cooney, Sarah O. Parsons.

Deep Springs: Emily [illegible], Pat Wygal.

Stanley: Pearl Roller.

Olinger: Louise Slemp, Lewis Scott, Mildred Collier.

Jasper: Nina Wells, Mayme Tomlinson.

Pennington High School: B. E. Beeler, Jr., Principal; N. N. Munsey, Ruth Campbell, Cora Keller, Ida Gish, Golden Smith, Etta Ramic, Mary A. Davidson, Bernice Orr, Mrs. Eva D. [illegible], Mrs. Pauline Lyle, S. L. Carpenter, Leona Hobbs, Julia Slemp; Co. Library: Ruth S. Keith, Theodore Livingstone, Mary Helen Fry, C. E. Myers, Katherine McFarland, Minnie Myers, Mabel Turner, Myrtle Langley, Ethel Osborne, June Lewis, Leatha D. Boggs, Lorene Kelly, Ida R. McKinnon.

St. Charles High School: Rufus Fugate, Principal; Loraine R. Ball, Oscar P. Orr, Arletta Robbins, Ida Stacy, Martha Langley, Docia Vandeventer, Jetta Z. Rogers, Malue E. Osborne, William Reece, Virginia Myers, Evelyn H. Sturgill, Mrs. Curtis Evans, Maude Brown, Lyda Myers, Meda Parsons, Ann Collier, Hazel Peters, Flora Mae Fugate, Mabel O. Barker, Ruby M. Myers.

Bonny Blue: W. I. Dickinson, Principal: Julia Pankow, Pearl Johnson, Jessie Myers, Alice Johnston, Ruby Lee Cox, Viola H. Ely, Pearl Cornett, Mary Lou Smith.

Elk Knob: Joe S. Orr, Principal; Mrs. Bessie Livingstone, Pauline Myers, Mary C. Chappell, Opal Pennington, Hazel S. Harber.

Benedict: Jack Reasor, Principal; Beatrice Johnston, Mrs. Mattie Newman.

Monarch: Mrs. Walva Robinette, Principal; Gladys Orr, Willie Joe Evans, Mrs. Sada Stout.

Stickleyville: Miss Doris Dishner, Principal; Eleanor Ball, Mrs. S. Anderson, Maude Stout.

Manese: Mrs. Ann Hurd, Principal; Ruth Sheets, Rovern Ely.

Leona Mines: Mrs. Gertrude Howard, Immogene Burgan.

Darbyville: Janette Thorpe, Mrs. Frances Carter.

Dry Branch: Julia Stanley, Frances Johnson.

Meadow Fork: Mrs. Worley Myers, Elizabeth N. Holmes.

Pine Grove: Mrs. Joan Kirk, Jamie Ball.

Puckett's Creek: Mrs. Laura B. Muncey.

Rock Lick: Ollie H. Dickinson, Kate E. Livesay.

Dominion: Mrs. Christine Greene.

Lorrimer: Mattie Miner.

Stone Creek: Mrs. Blanche Wolfe.

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L. P. Race Tightens With Secondary Clubs

Dunbar, Jonesville, Oreton Fight for Important Third and Fourth Spots

Lonesome Pine league managers selected a supreme judge this week and used actual legal proceedings to dispose of three protests that had been pending for several days.

At a special meeting of managers at the Powell Valley News office in Pennington Gap, the managers employed Attorney Guy A. Kauffman as their appellate judge whose decision would be final. League President Gene Livingston had ruled on one case, that of St. Charles protesting a game against Dunbar for not having legally listed a player that appeared in the official lineup against St. Charles. Livingston gave his decision in favor of St. Charles. This case was upheld by Kauffman in the final hearing.

Another was between Dunbar and Jonesville. The latter charging that Dunbar failed to show up at Jonesville, giving as their reason, wet grounds, which was not official by the Jonesville manager Merle Horton, who stated he had not told anybody the game would be called off because of wet grounds. Dunbar's manager Sam Riddle claimed he phoned someone at Jonesville for his information. This game was ruled in favor of Jonesville by Kauffman who ruled that a direct contact between managers must be effected before a game is allowed to be continued to another date.

The third protest was between Jonesville and Cumberland, Ky., on a screwy play at Cumberland which Jonesville doubted its officiality.

With one out, a runner on third, a Jonesville bataman bunted down first base line, sacrificing the man on third across the plate. In the meantime, the batter who bunted the ball, interferred with the first baseman's throw to the plate which permitted the runner to score. The umpire ruled interference, sending the runner back to third. This run if it had counted, would have tied the game at 3-3. Without the run, Cumberland won 3-2. Kauffman ruled the umpire was right, thus permitting Cumberland to retain the game.

Week-end results gave the St. Charles Miners a double win over Jonesville at Jonesville with the Miners taking the first game 6 to 0 and the second 13 to 2.

Oreton defeated Dunbar 2 to 1 in the toughest contest of the week, while Cumberland captured a 6 to 2 win from Pennington Gap at Pennington.

Next Sunday, Jonesville plays at St. Charles; Pennington goes to Cumberland, while Oreton goes to Dunbar.

In the St. Charles-Jonesville clash, Tommy "Red" Skiles shut Jonesville out 6 to 0, allowing two singles, retiring the first 16 men in order while St. Charles blasted Ben Bowen for 16 hits and six runs, in the first game.

Salty Foster and Wooliver led the St. Charles hitting with 3 hits each, Holman, Pannell, Stallard and Skiles followed with two each, Holman slamming a long triple into left.

Allen and Carter collected Jonesville two hits.

In the second encounter, Pearl Scott limited Jonesville to 5 hits and 2 runs while St. Charles blasted out 19 hits and 13 runs off Roy Chance.

Salty Foster led the St. Charles batting barrage with 3 for 3 for a perfect day, Jimmy Shelbourne had 4 for 5, Conn Holman had 3 for 5, while Litton, Pennington and Scott got two each.

At Andover, Oreton trimmed Dunbar 2 to 1 behind the very effective pitching of Junior Mabe who allowed the visiting "Riddlers" but four scattered hits and one run.

Bob Peters opposed Mabe on the mound, allowing the Oretoners 5 hits and 2 runs. Each pitcher whiffed 8 men.

Cumberland defeated Pennington Gap at Leeman Field in Pennington, by a score of 6 to 2. Cumberland's defensive showed improvement as well as better slugging to account for their 6 tallies.

The official standing:

	Won	Lost	Pct.
St. Charles	13	2	.866
Cumberland	10	5	.667
Dunbar	7	8	.466
Oreton	6	9	.400
Pennington	2	13	.133

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First Baptist Church

Sunday, August 19: Sunday School at 9:30 a. m., A. T. Burchette, Superintendent.

Morning worship at 10:45 sermon topic, "The meaning of Discipleship."

Evening: Training Unions meet at 6:30.

Evening worship at 7:30: Topic, "Sins of Omission."

Monday evening, August 20: Teachers and Officers of Sunday School meet at 7:30.

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Perry R. Stubbs, Pastor

Methodist Church

Sunday morning, August 19: Church School at 9:30, Clyde M. Kirk, Superintendent.

Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon theme, "Unconditional Surrender."

Special Music: Solo by Miss Boots Richards.

Sunday evening: Young Peoples Groups meet at 6:30.

Evening worship at 7:30. Sermon by Chaplain McKinnon, who is here from Belgium on a 30-day furlough, visiting his wife, daughter, and other relatives. Mrs. McKinnon was formerly Miss Ida Russell, daughter of Mrs. J. D. Russell.

Pfc. Clyde Brown has returned home on 30-day furlough after serving 18 months in England, and is now back at his post in Florida.

St. Charles PERSONALS

On Tuesday evening, Aug. 14, when V-J Day was proclaimed, there was every kind of celebration, including church services, street parades, street dancing, etc., but no drunkenness or disorder reported. One of the interesting church features is the fact that on the Baptist Church service flag, with 97 blue stars, there are no gold ones. The pastor, Rev. Clinton Green, puts spiritual stress on this.

"Through the period of war," Rev. Green stated, "Members of this church met every Saturday night, regardless of weather conditions, and prayed for the safe return of the young men in service, represented by the blue stars on the flag."

Mrs. George Brummett and children are visiting in Rogersville, Tenn. Mr. Brummett will begin his vacation next Sunday, and will join his family at Rogersville.

Mrs. Bill Cress is home from Clinton, Tennessee, on a leave of absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith, Mrs. Dorothy Smith and Mrs. Bill Conkins, of Barbourville, Ky., visited with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Smith last week.

J. D. (Jimmy) Myers has completed his boot training at Naval Training Station, Bainbridge, Md., and will be home next week on a few days leave.

Walter Herman Wilson and Charles Raymond Wilson are visiting relatives in Philadelphia, Tennessee.

Mrs. Celia Raines is back at her job with Modern Cleaners after a long absence due to the illness of her son, Pascall Raines.

Mrs. Harold Rowe visited at Cumberland, Ky., last week end.

Ulyes E. Morrison has returned to his post at Miami ,Beach, Florida, after spending 60 days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Morrison.

Curt Evans, with the Naval Air Corps in Texas, visited here last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Evans of Maness.

Mrs. Lyla Holmes, St. Mary's Hospital, Knoxville, is spending a vacation here with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Copeland.

Miss Emma Tomlinson and sister-in-law, Mrs. Minnie Tomlinson, have returned from Seattle, Washington, where they visited with their son and nephew, Seaman Billy Tomlinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Enos Doss announce the birth of a son on August 12, to whom has been given the name Olen Enos, Jr.

Bronze Star For Jonesville Soldier

Billie V. Hedrick, of Jonesville, has received the following citation:

"By direction of the President the Headquarters of the Seventh United States Army, on June 17, 1945, awarded the Bronze Star Medal to Technician Fourth Grade Billie V. Hedrick, armored Headquarters Company, combat Command "A," 7th Armored Division, United States Army, for distinguishing himself by meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy of the United States in Belgium and Germany, from 13 January 1945 to 8 May 1945. Entered military service from Virginia."

COOKED A FINE DINNER; THEN THREW IT TO DOG
One lady recently stated that she used to throw her own dinner to the dog most of the time. It made her sick just to look at anything to eat. She was swollen with gas, full of bloat, had headaches, felt worn out and was badly constipated. Finally she got ERB-HELP and says she now eats everything in sight and digests it perfectly. Bowels are regular and normal. She is enjoying life once more and feels like "some other woman" since taking this New Compound.
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Campaign Launched For State Of Virginia Children's Home Society,

The local campaign to raise funds for the Children's Home Society of Virginia is now under way under the direction of Dr. G. B. Setzler, who is chairman for Lee County. Last year a total of $119.78 was contributed to the Society by individuals and Sunday Schools in Lee County, and a special effort is being made this year to increase the amount, in order to help the Society meet its increased State-wide budget.

"The local campaign is a part of the State wide effort of the Society to raise a budget of $127,596, which is the minimum amount necessary to carry on the present program of the Society during 1945. Similar campaigns are being held in practically every county in the state. Most of the funds raised are used to provide temporary care of babies under one year of age, while they are being prepared for placement in adoptive homes. Last year of the 121 new children accepted for care 113 were under one year of age.

The children are kept in temporary boarding homes until adoptive parents are found, and remain under supervision of the Society until legal adoption is completed. The average period of care of children in 1944 was four and one-half years, and the average cost of care per child was $217.95.

Funds for carrying on the work of the Society are provided almost entirely by contributions, and all funds are raised by volunteer campaign workers.

St. Charles Boy Makes Baseball Record

E. H. Engle, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Engle, now living at Pennington Gap, Route 1, has been furnishing the Virginia State Guard Baseball Team, at Clifton Forge, Va., a fast brand of ball this season, according to the Clifton Forge Review, published at Clifton Forge.

Mr. Engle serves the club as business manager, and also plays on the team.

The State Guards recently won at Waynesboro, N. C., by a score of 8 to 2; took Covington by 11 to 6 and Augusta Springs 8 to 6.

The Engles formerly lived at St. Charles, where E. H. graduated from St. Charles High School.

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ENJOYS THE NEWS

The following note, which is highly appreciated, comes from one of our boys in service, who, admist all his duties finds time to enjoy the home town news:

July 00, 1945.
Germany,

Dear Editor:

I am writing you a few lines to inform you of my new APO number, and to say I have been receiving The Powell Valley News regularly, and find the news from home very interesting.

It means a lot to us fellows over here who are a long way from home, and it makes us feel good to be able to sit down in spare time and read what is going on in Lee County.

Thanks, and keep the paper coming.

Pfc. Alex H. Gardner.

Brothers Reunited In Philippine Islands

Two sailor brothers had a happy reunion recently in the Philippines. They were Lester Carroll, SC. 2-C., and Vernon Carroll, S. 2-C., sons of Mr. and and Mrs. John D. Carroll, of Hubbard Springs.

When the two brothers discovered their ships were near each other, Lester got a three-day leave and spent it with Vernon. In a letter back home the boys write that seeing each other was almost like being home again.

Lester is serving abroad an L.C.I. boat and Vernon aboard an aircraft carrier. They expect to be together again soon.

News From

BIG HILL

Mr and Mrs. Newt Burton were called to Rogersville, Tennessee, Thursday, due to the death of his brother, Mack Burton.

Frank Bailey and son, J. G., and Elmer Greene of Poor Valley, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Bailey Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs Paul Boggs of Olinger, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Brownlow Burton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Raye were visiting in East Stone Gap Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Long and family, of St. Charles, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ramey.

Edward Carter and son, Eddie, of Pennington Gap, spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Gertrude Carter.

Mrs. Merrill Merchant and brothers, Everette and Tom Bailey, attended a movie at Lee Theatre Saturday.

Misses Sada Tankersley and Margaret Bailey were shopping in Dryden Thursday.

Mrs. Geneva Ferge and small son, Delbert, were recent guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Bailey.

Mr and Mrs. Cline Perry and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray, were shopping in Pennington Gap Saturday afternoon.

News From

BENEDICT

Mrs. Henderson Robbins and children, of Middlesboro, Ky., were visiting Mrs. Jeff Stapleton and family here Monday.

Mrs. Bill Kinsler, of Blackwater, spent last week here with Mr. and Mrs. Harve Edwards.

Friends here of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Yates will miss this family, who, after living here for many years, have moved to Ben Hur.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Lipps and Mrs. Elmer Witson and children, of Indiana, are visiting their parents here, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Lipps.

Harmon Daniels, of the U. S. Navy, was visiting his brother, Robert and family, here last week.

Revs. Ben Powers, Wade Powers and Bascom Dickson of Wise County, will be at the Benedict Church Sunday night, Aug. 19. Everyone invited.

Elmer Scarborough left Sunday to work at Royal Blue.

Cpl. Floyd Kennedy and Pfc. Percy Kennedy, both of the U. S Army, are home on furlough visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Kennedy.

Walter Weston was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fults Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Scarborough and Mrs. Worley Alsup, of Monarch, visited relatives here Sunday.

Charlie Maxie, of Kentucky, visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Weston here last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Haskew Nickles and family visited relatives at Blackwater last week end.

Several friends and relatives from this place attended the funeral of Chad Ewing at Pucketts Creek Sunday. All extend their sympathy to the family.

Pfc. Burlie Carter, of the U. S. Army, is home on furlough visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rich Carter and family. Pfc. Carter has just returned from Germany.

RESOLUTIONS

To the Worshipful Master, Wardens and Brethren of Preston Lodge, No. 47 A.F. & A.M.:

At a call communication of Preston Lodge No. 47 A.F. & A.M. held at their hall in Jonesville, Va., on August 3, 1945.

Your Committee on Resolutions respectfully reports:

That whereas the dread monster, Death, has taken from our midst our beloved Brother, David C. Sewell, Jr., long a faithful and true member of this Lodge. A man of broad mind and strong intellect, and devoted to every public interest of his country, beloved and esteemed by his neighbors and acquaintances, on account of his splendid character and manifested interest in humanity, and the uplift of his people.

Resolved; that in the death of our Brother, this Lodge has lost one of its most bright and faithful members, and our country one of its best citizens.

Resolved; that we tender the bereaved family our sincere sympathy and insure them that they are not without hope of a glorious reunion beyond the river, and under the shade of the trees, where their dear one rests today from his faithful labors.

Resolved; that the Lodge wear the usual badge of mourning for thirty days and that these resolutions be spread on the minutes of the Lodge, and a copy be furnished the family of the deceased, and a copy be published in the Powell Valley News.

O. M. Hyatt
R. P. Hines
M. D. Couk
Committee.

News From

SLABTOWN

Little Shirley Jean Brown is visiting friends in North Carolina this week. Her father, Pfc. James M. Brown, is serving somewhere in the Pacific, and writes that he is getting along fine.

Rev. Elmer Carter will conduct church services at Burkhart's Chapel Saturday night, August 18, and Sunday, August 19.

Miss Esther Calton, of Robbins Chapel, was visiting friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wynn and daughter, Shirleen, and granddaughter, Loretta Wynn, of Calvin, visited friends here Sunday.

Mrs. Joe Wallens, of Ridge Creek, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Minnie Stapleton of this place.

Mrs. Elmer Carter and daughter, Hazel are visiting friends and relatives in North Carolina, this week.

St. Charles Woman's Club Is Organized

Mrs. Roy C. Kyle of Hillsville, Virginia, who is the District President of the Virginia Federation of Women's Clubs, met with a group of Saint Charles women in the high school auditorium on Friday, August 10th, and organized a Woman's Club. She discussed the purposes of the club which were primarily civic.

The following officers were installed:

President: Mrs. N. S. Wood
1st Vice President: Mrs. Mahoney
2nd Vice President: Mrs. L. B. Hagy, Jr.
3rd Vice President: Mrs. R. H. Grigsby
Secretary: Mrs. Hazel Peters
Treasurer: Mrs. Willard Barker.
Historian: Mrs. Rufus Fugate.

Anyone interested in becoming a member of the club, please notify Mrs. R. H. Grigsby as the charter membership will be held open until the next meeting on Sept. 13.

Members of the club are: Mrs. Ed Minks, Mrs. S. G. Hill, Mrs. R. H. Grigsby, Mrs. N. S. Wood, Mrs. W. L. Winchester, Mrs. Mahoney, Miss Millicent Watkinson, Mrs. L. B. Hagy, Mrs. L. B. Hagy, Jr., Miss Hazel Peters, Mrs. Willard Barker, Mrs. Rufus Fugate, Mrs. Bill Reece, Mrs. John Slover, Mrs. J. J. Whipple, Mrs. Carl Evans, Mrs. Curtis Evans, Mrs. Dexter Rains, and Mrs. Everett Gilliam.

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VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 23rd day of July, 1945.

William Swanson Scalf, who sues by J. W. Scalf, his guardian and next friend ..... Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Vernon M. Wells, Eppie Wells and Otie Brummitt. Defendants

The object of this suit is to have deed from J. W. McLemore, Special Commissioner, to Vernon M. Wells, dated [illegible] day of December, 1930, for 7 [illegible] of land [illegible] Valley, Lee County, Va., [illegible] deed from Vernon M. Wells and wife to Otie Brummitt for said land dated [illegible] April 7, 1941 and of record in Clerk's Office of Lee County, Va., in Deed Book 104, page 126, set aside or reformed, to require an accounting of the said Vernon M. Wells and Otie Brummitt, and if mistaken as to right to have said deeds set aside or reformed, then to have said land partitioned

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendants, Vernon M. Wells and Eppie Wells are non-residents of the State of Virginia, and their last know address is Eppie Wells, of Kingsport, Tenn., and Vernon M. Wells, of Kingsport, Tenn., it is ordered that they appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to each of the defendants at their last known address; and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
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L. M. Robinette, p. q.
Adv. No. 30-4t.

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With Our Service Men

Aiding the Chinese

Sgt. Henry Dean, 25, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dean of Pennington Gap, is now on duty with the Chinese Combat Command, the United States organization working in the field with the Chinese Army to increase their effectiveness against the Japanese invaders.

He arrived in China with the 475th Infantry Regiment when most of that organization was flown from Burma by the Air Transport Command, it has been revealed by Lt. Gen. A. C. Wedemeyer, commander of all American forces in China Theater.

Sgt. Dean was a miner for Blue Diamond before entering the Army in October, 1942. He was trained at Ft. Bragg, N. C., and Camp Carson, Colo., before going overseas in May, 1944. He has been awarded the Combat Infantry Badge and has two campaign stars on his Asiatic Pacific Theater ribbon for his service in Burma.

Returning Home

Pfc. Charles P. Belcher, 28, veteran of 35 months in the European Theater of Operations where he served as clerk, returned to the States recently aboard an Air Transport Command, landing at LaGuardia Field, N. Y. He plans to visit his wife, Edith, at Route 1, Pennington Gap, Va.

Pfc. Belcher holds the ETO Ribbon with three Stars; the American Defense Ribbon, Good Conduct Medal, Combat Infantry Badge, Presidential Unit Citation, the Purple Heart and Oak Leaf Cluster.

At Home on Leave

Petty Officer 2-c Harmon Daniel, of Rose Hill, Va., is enjoying a 15-day leave with his parents, and with his girl friend, Miss Pauline Harber of Pennington Gap.

Returns From 44 Months Service Overseas

Sgt. Herschel Blair, 25, of Pennington Gap, Va., has been returned to the Continental United States from the Pacific areas under the Army's readjustment program. His mother lives at Pennington Gap, Route 1, and his wife, Mrs. Anna Mae Blair, lives at Persia, Tennessee, Route 1.

Sgt. Blair has served overseas for a period of 44 months. He was with the A. C. branch of service, has been awarded the ... Badge, A D W Clasp, A. T. Asiatic P. T. with four battle stars, and scored 117 points.

Becomes Naval Aviator

John Hugh Wygal, 20, son of Mrs. Ruth Wynn Wygal, of Jonesville, Virginia, was commissioned an ensign in the Naval Reserve and designated a naval aviator recently in ceremonies at the Naval Air Training Bases at Pensacola, Florida.

Prior to entering the Naval service, Ensign Wygal attended the Virginia Military Institute of Lexington, Va.

Assigned to Miami Beach

S. Sgt. Andy Stanley, 25 of Pennington Gap, Route 2, has arrived at Army Air Forces Redistribution Station 2, in Miami Beach, for reassignment processing after completing a tour of duty outside the continental United States.

Aerial Gunner Stanley flew nine missions on a B-17, in the European Theatre and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Stanley, of Route 2. He entered the Army October 31, 1940.

Sgt. Hobbs at Miami Beach

Sgt. Clyde W. Hobbs, 28, of Dryden, RFD, has arrived at Army Air Forces Redistribution Station No. 2, in Miami Beach, Florida, for reassignment processing after completign a tour of duty outside the continental United States.

Sgt. Hobbs flew as an aerial engineer and gunner on a B-17 Flying Fortress in the European Theatre, and has two "probables" to his credit, both being enemy fighters. Son of Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt E. Hobbs, he entered the Army July 27, 1942.

Wins Good Conduct Medal

Pfc. Leslie M. Thacker, Jr., son of L. M. Thacker of Pennington Gap, was recently awarded the Good Conduct Medal for exemplary behavior, efficiency and fidelity at the large Air Service Command depot in the European Theater of Operations.

Join Navy

N. Mack, Specialist 2-C, Bristol, Virginia, interviewed the following men this week who applied for the Navy in Pennington Gap and Jonesville:

Roger William Lowe, Rose Hill, Va.; Tip William Combs and Lloyd Palmer Combs, Jonesville; Clay Franklin Burke, Ewing; Henry Clyde Garrison and Clifford M... Burnette of Pennington Gap.

The Navy has openings for ... in the Radar field. Men interested in Radar will be given the examination by Recruiter Mack. Qualifications to take the test, applicant must have two years high school or more.

Recruiter Mack is in Jonesville from 10:30 a. m. to 12:00 noon, and in Pennington Gap from 1:00 to 6:00 p. m.

Rebekah Lodge to Have Ice Cream Supper

Members of Rebekah Lodge are planning an ice cream supper for Saturday night, August 18, honoring the president of the Rebekah Association, Anna Mae Furlow, who will be present at the lodge that night.

FORMER LEE BALL PLAYER

Elver Terry

Elver Terry, native of Ben Hur, Va., and former ball player at Stickleyville, Va., had a perfect day on the closing Sunday of the baseball season in Dayton, Ohio.

Terry played Class A amateur baseball in Dayton for the past two years, batting .311 and .373 respectively. He played this season with Marshall Bros. and the "Perfect Day" record was 5 for 5, 4 singles and 1 double.

He hopes for another chance with the Phillies, as he failed to to make the grade last June 20 at their tryout camp at Hudson Field, in Dayton.

Deaths AND FUNERALS

Chad B. Ewing

Funeral services for Chad B. Ewing, 67, who was killed instantly by falling slate in a coal mine at Puckett's Creek on August 9, were held in the church yard at Puckett's Creek Holiness Church, August 12, at 1:30 p. m. in charge of Rev. Paris Parks and Rev. Clinton Green. Burial was in Cooper Cemetery on Pucketts Creek.

Mr. Ewing was a member of U. M. W. A. No. 7453. He is survived by the following:

The widow, Mrs. Cora Lee Ewing, Puckett's Creek; five daughters, Mrs. Minnie Carter, Mrs. Pearlie Rogers, Mrs. Nan Stapleton, Mrs. Beulah Parsons, Miss Mae Ewing; four sons, Coy, Virgil, Ted and Leonard; two sisters, Mrs. Mary Cooper, of Puckett's Creek, Mrs. Bell Witt, of Laurel County, Ky.; four brothers, Creed Ewing, of Puckett's Creek, Neil Ewing, Benedict; Paul Ewing, Pennington Gap; W... Ewing, W...ness.

Elmer Lee Waddell, Jr.

Elmer Lee Waddell, Jr., five month old son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lee Waddell, Sr., died Monday, August 13, at their home in Portsmouth, Virginia. The body was brought here for funeral and burial, which were held Wednesday, August 15, at 2:00 o'clock. Funeral was at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wallen, at St. Charles, and burial was in Sand Lick Cemetery.

The parents survive.

Jacqueline Litton

Jaqueline Litton, daughter of Mr and Mrs. Jack Litton, of Woodway, died Monday morning, August 13, at the age of one year, one month and three days.

Funeral services were held at Woodway Community Church at 2:00 o'clock Tuesday, August 14. Burial in Litton's Cemetery on Big Hill.

Surviving are the parents, seven brothers and sisters.

Edith Marie Miles

Edith Marie Miles, one-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Miles of Leona Mines, died August 16, and was buried the following day in Miller's Chapel Cemetery, near Jonesville. Funeral services were held by Rev. Clinton Green.

The baby is survived by the parents, five sisters, Mrs. Charles Woliver, of Woodway, Dorothy Miles of Woodway, Mary Ella, Jenette and Dinah Miles of Leona Mines; two brothers, Jimmy and Bruce Miles, both of Leona Mines.

There was a man who fancied
That by driving good and fast
He could get his car across the track
Before the train came past.
He'd miss the engine by an inch
And make the train hands sore.
There was a man who fancied this;
There isn't any more.

Dorothy Bright On Duty With Navy in Washington

Among the Women Reservists now on duty with the Navy in the nation's capital, releasing a man to fight at sea, is Dorothy E. Bright, Sp. Q. 2-C., daughter of C. S. Bright, of Pennington Gap.

Sp. Q. 2-C. Bright was sworn in as a member of the Women's Reserve of the U. S. Naval Reserv on December 18, 1942. She is now stationed at the Navy Department, where she reported for duty on May 21, 1943. She received her recruit training at the U. S. Naval Training School, New York, N. Y. She now lives at WAVE quarters, where living is comfortable, friendly and typically Navy.

1945-46 PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS ANNOUNCED

(Continued from page 1)

Elijah's Knob: Mrs. Dorothy Keck.

Pennington Gap, Colored: Mrs. J. L. Spears.

Bonny Blue, Colored: Mary Jessee Williams.

Jonesville High School: O. M. Hyatt, Principal; Grace Davis, Mrs. Pearl Ewing, Elizabeth Harris, Ethel Roop, C. R. Sprinkle, Sr., E. A. Davis, Jamie Davidson, Mary Ruth Williams, Jim Wynn, Beatrice Roop, Gladys Watson, Georgia A. Tritt, Mrs. Ruth Wygal, Mrs. Mae Davis, Mrs. Sallie McDowell, Mrs. Alma Cox.

Blackwater High School: Carson Robinette, Principal; Reba Watson, Alice Russell, James K. Osborne, Edith Roop, Mrs. Mimie Osborne, Amos Osborne.

Ben Hur: Fred M. Orr, Principal; Inez Daugherty, Ida Pendleton, Mrs. Gertrude Keel.

Maple Hill: E. T. Russell, Nora Kinzer.

Miller's Chapel: Mae Cecil Orr, Mrs. Berta Munsey.

Sand Springs: L. A. Maness.

Flower Gap: Mona McPherson.

Hunter's Gap: Mrs. W. B. Flanary.

Mt. Washington: Mrs. Pauline Albert.

Oak Grove: Maude Kinzer.

Long Hollow: Mrs. Flora Boatright.

Sarepta: Irene Robinette.

Steep Rock: Mrs. Jane Combs.

Ocoonita: Mrs. Augusta M. Evans.

Flatwood High School: James F. Reasor, Principal; Mrs. Waive Howard, Georgia Jones, Gladys Roop, Betty R. Laningham, Lucille Wolfe, Bertha W. Taylor, Inez Yeary Armes, Lucille Litton.

Hagan: Esther Speak, Julia Fletcher.

High Top: Ethel Osborne, Mrs. Jean O. Hines.

Hubbard Springs: Alpha S Lehman.

Bethel: Gaither Graham.

Low Gap: Mae Kiser.

Beech Grove: Nettie N. Hopkins.

Beech Springs: Nell Matlock.

Hamblin: Ella H. Bailey.

Horton: Mrs. Lee Osborne.

Lone Branch: Nancy Kate Burchette.

Long Hollow: Maurine G. Musick.

Midway: Hazel Adkins.

Cedar Hill: Ora L. Grabeel.

Thomas Walker High School: A. D. Yeary, Principal; Ruth Fulton, Ethel R. Fugate, Wandaleen Miles, Mabel Rambo, Olga Chadwell, Mary Ruth Osborne, Kathie E. Harris, W. H. Starnes, Oda Dave Farnham.

Ewing Elementary: Augusta Bays, Gear Combs, Lillian F. Fugate, Lynn G. Willis.

Pleasant View: Pearl McNeal, Mrs. Vida Flanary.

Rose Dale: Mrs. Mae L. Wolfe, Rosebud Smiddy.

Brooks Hall: June Davis.

Brown's: Mrs Maud Gibson.

Dean's: Mrs. Minnie Dean.

Gibson Station: Mrs. White Dean.

Mt. Davidson: Mrs. Cornie Lovings.

Walnut Hill: Mrs. Maude Hoskins.

Woodbine: Mrs. Elisa Manning.

Butcher's Gap: Dollie Mae Ball.

Dry Branch: Mrs. Smith Fugate

Evergreen: Laura M. Martin.

Rose Hill: Mrs. John Seal, Principal; Anna Mae Hawes, Juanita Neff, Vivian H. Flanary, Fern Cawood, Florence Bayless, Mary K. Stickley, Pat Roller.

Elydale: Bess Fugate, Lynn G. Willis.

Prominent Lee Countian Celebrates 92nd Birthday

On August 9th, George C. Jessee, one of Lee County's most prominent citizens, celebrated his 92nd birthday with a family dinner at his home near Dryden, Va. Those present for the happy occasion were his children, grandchildren, great - grandchildren, and one great-great-grandchild.

Mr. Jessee is enjoying the best of health and retains his keen sense of humor which makes him an asset to any gathering of friends.

Visual Education Program Planned For Lee Co. Schools

Lee County School Board is planning a visual education program for Lee County public schools, according to Superintendent S. J. Shelburne.

The project is financed by an appropriation of $2.00 per pupil enrolled, making a total of $17,588.00, plus a sum of $2,000.00, matching the library. The following equipment has been ordered, to be available, Mr. Shelburne says, by the time school opens September 3, or soon after:

11 sound projectors; 11 silent projectors; 11 screens to be used in connection with the projectors; 101 sound films; 47 reels of photoplay; 60 silent films; 6 silent picture projects; also maps, globes, charts and other teaching aids, involving a cost of $19,588.

Films will be purely educational, Supt. Shelburne says, based on outstanding events and persons in American history, Science and nature, including all kinds of plant and animal life, approved by the State Board of Education. No advertising.

Supt. Shelburne and his School Board members are very enthusiastic about this program. They express the belief that it will be of greater service in helping children to thoroughly understand what they are studying about; to keep them in school and in holding their interest, than any other program that has ever been launched.

The Teachers' Meeting to be held Sept. 3rd will be based on an audo visual instruction.

The project is state-wide.

Lt. Arnold Payne is home on furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Payne. Lt. Payand Mrs. J. S. Payne. Lt. Payne has been stationed in Texas for several months and was recently transferred to Alabama.

Labor Day and Fair Opening Taking Shape

Balloon Ascension, Circus Acts, $1,000.00 Horse Show, Musical Stars to Feature

The gala Labor Day program and grand opening of the Lee County Fair Monday, September 3, at Pennington Gap, is developing into the greatest show of the year or perhaps in many years.

The Flying Allens who will drop from the sky in a delayed parachute jump from the nation's largest balloon on Labor Day is a spectacle never before seen in this section. The aerial act, featuring the dare-devil Aetenos, will open on Labor Day continuing each day and night throughout the week. This is another death-defying act on a 100-foot pole with two dare-devils taking your breath, standing on their heads, doing the loop-deloop on wheels high in the air and numerous other antics that will make you take the jitters.

Radio stars from many stations will broadcast in person from the open air stage in front of the grandstand. Their programs will be heard in many states over WJHL and WHLN broadcasting direct from the field.

A $1,000.00 horse show will bring to Lee County some of the finest horses and riders ever to be seen here. Twenty-five outstanding classes will be presented by the gaited stallions.

Horse pulling contests, livestock day, children's programs and the fanciest fireworks in many years will also hold the interest of every spectator.

On the midway will be one of the leading carnivals of the road, the Jones Greater Shows, plenty of rides and entertainment for all the family.

Watch next week's Powell Valley News for more features yet to be announced.

First Christian Church

Sunday morning, Aug. 19: Bible School at 10:00 a. m., H. O. Hines, Superintendent.

Worship with communion at 10:45.

No preaching during morning or evening; all are invited to go to Union Christian Church for Powell Valley District Convention.

Convention sessions both Saturday and Sunday. All day Saturday, and morning and afternoon on Sunday. Sermons and addresses will be delivered by the following:

Rev. Cleo Purvis of Williamsburg, Ky., Rev. John Tate, Richmond, Va., Rev. C. B. Reynolds, of Lynchburg, Va., Rev. F. M. Wolfe, Big Stone Gap, Va., and Mrs. Allen B. Stauger, of Richmond, Va.

Reports of church activities and many other special features.

W. B. Moore, Minister.

Jonesville Boy Commissioned Ensign

John Hugh Wygal, 20, son of Mrs. Ruth Wynn Wygal, of Jonesville, was commisioned an Ensign in the Naval Reserve and designated a naval aviator recently in ceremonies at the Naval Air Training Bases at Pensacola, Florida.

Miss Delores Napier of Kingsport, spent last week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Finley Napier.

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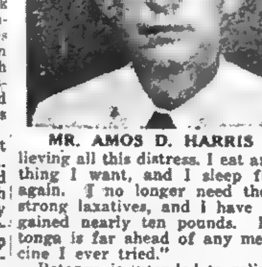

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News From BLACKWATER

A large crowd attended the services at Flag Pond Sunday, August 12th.

Mr. and Mrs. Hermes Couk, of Pennington Gap and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Kirtly, of Monarch were visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hickam Sunday.

S. Sgt. Loyal A. Flanary, of Blackwater, and Miss Patsy Burnside, of Spokane, Wash., were married at the home of the groom's parents last Thursday.

Miss Janette Russell of Kingsport, Tenn., was visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Russell, over the week end.

Miss Arweda Sanders and Betty Lou Scott have returned home from a week's visit in Kingsport, Tennessee.

James Bledsoe, Oak Ridge, Tenn., is visiting his parents here.

Eugene McPherson, of the U. S. Navy, is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. McPherson.

Mr. and Mrs. Elza Willis and daughter, Joyce, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Willis Sunday.

News From DRYDEN

Mrs. Martha Astrop recently entertained a number of guests at her home. Among those present were Mrs. E. R. Gilbert and Miss Eura Musick, Dryden; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wagner, Bonny Blue; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Sprinkle, Baltimore; Mr. Jones, Norton, and also some friends from West Virginia. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Astrop assisted by Mrs. E. R. Gilbert, and a wonderful time was enjoyed by all.

Among those who attended the movie "God is my Co-Pilot at Lee Theatre, Monday, were Mrs. Irene Crawford, Mrs. Senora Crawford, Mrs. Pearl Quillen, Mrs. Carrie Cox, Mrs. Martha Astrop, Mrs. Inez Huff, Mrs. Margaret Bailey, all of Dryden. Miss Margaret Bailey, all of Dryden.

Mrs. Inez Huff was recently visiting friends in Pikeville, Ky.

Mrs. Ruby Watson, who has been employed at Oak Ridge, Tenn., has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Cox, and other relatives.

Mrs. James Shotwell of Corbin, Ky., has been visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Huff, Misses Geneva and Ruth Willis, Mrs. Geneva Ferge and small son, Delbert, Jr., and Miss Margaret Bailey were guests of Mrs. Ines Huff last Sunday.

Miss Winnie Mae Collins of Big Stone Gap, visited relatives here recently.

Mrs. Jack Skidmore and small daughter, Barbara Sue, visited Mr. and Mrs. Coy Huff and Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Johnson Sunday.

Mrs. J. B. Bailey of Pennington Gap, Route 2, spent Saturday night with her daughter, Mrs. Inez Huff.

A number of relatives have visited Mrs. Martha Aistrop here this summer. Among them are: her two brothers, L. A. Bruney, BM 2-c, who is now stationed at Norfolk, Va., another brother, Lindsay Bruney and family of Roanoke, Va., a niece, Mrs. Clyde Sprinkle and children, of Baltimore, Md., two nephews, Bobby Clinton, of Washington, D. C., and Harold Lewis and family of Portsmouth, Va.

Little Miss Betty Sue Aistrop is visiting relatives in Baltimore, Md.

Mrs. Inez Huff is expecting visitors from New York sometime in September; Mrs. Nina Nisita, Sr., and daughter, Mimi. They will probably be accompanied by Mrs. Nisita's son, Lt. (jg) Nino Nisita, Jr, of the U. S. Navy. Lt. Nisita, who is stationed at Paxtuent River, Md., will probably get leave the last of August or the first of September.

The Nisitas, who reside at Long Island, will stop to say hello to Mrs. Huff enroute to New Orleans, La., where they will visit Mrs. Nasita's mother, Mrs. Venia Galetti and other relatives in the South.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Flanary had as their guests last week their nieces, little Misses Rita and Eleanor Ritchie, of Ewing, Va.

Miss Myra Cox, who is employed at Atlanta, Ga., spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. Maxie M. Cox, here.

The old-timers around here are longing for the good old days when one could go to a neighbor's house and borrow a ham, and think nothing of it. Some of the young folks think it wouldn't be a bad idea either, if Grandfather's dream came true; they think it would be a wonderful thing to bring back the good old days, but how many of your neighbors have any hams to loan??? That is the sixty-four dollar question.

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From where I sit ... *by* Joe Marsh

Best Way to Celebrate The Peace

We were sitting on Bill Webster's porch the other night, talking about how we'd celebrate when the Japs surrendered.

Lem Toller allowed as how he was going to start his vacation then and there—and spend it fishing. Ed Mapes was going to take his family to Mountain City for a big feed and a picture show.

Bill Webster had the last suggestion. "I'm going to pour a glass of beer and drink a toast to our fighting men," he says, "and that is just as far as my celebrating's going to go. I'm going to make sure of being on the job next morning."

From where I sit, Bill Webster has the right idea. When Peace comes, there's going to be a whole new world to build. There's a really big job to be done. A glass of beer, the beverage of moderation, and a good night's sleep to be ready for the task ahead—that's the right way to welcome Victory!

Joe Marsh

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News From KEOKEE

Miss Juanita Knight, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Knight, became the bride of Pvt. Rudolph Shuler, son of Leonard Shuler, on August 9.

WAC Pvt. Mary Calton, who is stationed in Oakland, Calif., is spending a ten-day furlough with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Calton.

Cpl. Ralph Barker has returned from the Pacific Area and is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Barker.

Mrs. Bradly Mullins and children, Anna Lee and Ferrill, have returned home after spending several days with relatives in Derby.

Mrs. Clifford Trent of Kingsport, Tenn., was visiting relatives here last week.

Little Charlotte Helen Wolfe celebrated her fourth birthday Friday, August 10th.

Mrs. Howard Kirk has returned to her home here after a stay of several months in Lynchburg, Virginia.

Miss Virgie Arnette is visiting friends in Bakersville, N. C.

Katherine Townsend was the Sunday guest of Misses Maxine and Pauline Johnson of Calvin.

Bobby Grace Stanley is visiting her aunt, Mrs. John Stidham of Big Stone.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Asher and daughter, Margaret, were huckleberry picking on Black Mountain Sunday.

Mrs. Jimmy Estep of Calvin, spent last week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Morris.

News From DARBY

Week of August 9th

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. King, of Dalton, Ga., have returned home after spending several weeks here, due to the illness and death of their daughter, Mrs. Bessie Buchanan.

Mrs. Roy Corbin, of Poor Valley, spent Sunday night here at the home of her brother, Rufus Fultz.

Mrs. Jim Duncan, of Clinton, Tenn., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mart Sudgs.

Miss Thelma Jean Robbins was visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Orban Stewart, Jonesville, recently.

Miss Estelle Woodward, of Jonesville, visited her aunt, Mrs. Ernest Robbins, recently.

Junior West is improving nicely from a serious burn.

Rev. and Mrs. D. A. Brooks, of Tazewell, Tenn., spent a week with friends here recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Syders, of McRoberts, are visiting Mrs. Syder's sister, Mrs. Paul Rutherford.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Robbins and children, Ronald and Thelma Jean, were visiting Mrs. Robbins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orban Stewart, of Jonesville, a few days ago.

News From JONESVILLE

Route 4

Garnet Ball called with us last Thursday on his return from a visit with his father, C. D. Ball who has been quite ill at his home on Route 2.

Miss Helen Price of Jonesville, was a visitor in Sunday School at York, Sunday.

Clarence Ramey is spending a furlough with his family here.

Clifford Ball, youngest son of C. D. Ball, is home on a second furlough due to his father's illness. C. D. is much improved at this writing.

News From JONESVILLE

Route Two

Pvt. Graddie Collins is spending a furlough with his family.

Mrs. Neal Jenels is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cole.

Nancy Standifer is very ill at this time.

William Presley, of Baltimore, Md., is visiting with his wife and children.

Sgt. and Mrs. Harold Couk visited Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Couk over the week-end.

Mrs. Roberta Shell and son, David, are visiting Mrs. Robert McConnell.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 1st day of August, 1945.

F. A. Stacey, Minnie Livingston, Maude Manning, C. E. Stacey, Hascue Lawson, Dorothy Baker, Nellie Lawson, Sue Oliver, Margaret Willis, Harmon Lawson, William Lawson, Howard Lawson, and Marie Lawson, who sues by Hascue Lawson, their next friend, Lloyd M. Robinette, executor of F. A. Maness, deceased, Complainants

vs. **Order of Publication**

Laura Kiser, Mary Begley, Martha Robinette, Frances Sizemore, Maude Osborne, Fred Charlton Stacey, Henry Stacey, Mildred Ford, Earl Maness, Ed E. Maness, Roy E. Maness, [illegible] [illegible], Grace Wilder [illegible] Claude Wilder, [illegible] Wilder, Alice Burchett, [illegible] Warner, George [illegible] Lee [illegible] Defendants

[illegible] of this suit is to [illegible] 200 acres [illegible] Hickory H[illegible], Jonesville Magisterial District, Lee County, Virginia, formerly belonging to F. A. Maness, deceased, and to distribute the proceeds of said sale according to the terms of the last will and testament of the said F. A. Maness, deceased, dated July 18, 1928.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendants, Laura Kiser, Mary Begley, Fred Charlton Stacey, Ed E. Maness, Roy E. Maness, Alice Burchett, Nellie Warner, George Wilder, Emma Lee Tonker, Claude Wilder and Wiley Wilder are non-residents of the State of Virginia, and their last known address is Laura Kiser, Marion N. C., R.F.D. 1; Mary Begley 117 W. Tagoe St., Greenefield, Ind.; Fred Charlton Stacey, ASN 3388571, Co. E, A.P.O. No. 15665, c-o Postmaster, New York, N. Y.; Ed E. Maness, Ridge, Tenn; Roy E. Maness, Oak Ridge, Tenn.; Alice Burchett, Salem, Illinois; Nellie Warner, 406½ Days Ave., Buchanan, Michigan; George Wilder, ASN No. 33531112, 823rd Sig Co., A.P.O. No. 492, c-o Postmaster, New York, N. Y.; Emma Lee Tonker, 406½ Days Ave., Buchanan, Michigan; Claude Wilder, address unknown; Wiley Wilder, SSMB 3-C, S. L., Division U.S.S. Hornet, c-o Fleet Postoffice, San Francisco, California; it is ordered that they appear here within ten days after due publication hereof, and do what may be necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to each of the defendants at their last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p. q. L. M. Robinette.
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BACK TO THE WOODS NOW

Just listed 160 acres in one boundary, 1 mile from State Highway and on good county road at Hagan, Va. Faces Wash Fee county road and Hardy's Creek road. Contains one old house, orchard and large barn. About 75 acres cleared. Balance in timber, will cut 5,000 cords pulpwood, and 1,000 truck loads mining timber; also 100,000 feet hardwood, oak and other saw timber. 1½ acres tobacco allotment; farm land good soil; timbering easy to do. Price only \$7,000.00. Cash or terms. This is a bargain for the right person who might want to go back to the woods and work, cut and sell his timber and do farming.

TRACT NO. 2:

14 acres land and timber at Hagan, Va. Fronts Poor Valley road just east of underpass at Myers' Store and west of Union Church. Iron ore rights and timber goes with it. Price \$550.00, all cash or terms. The two above tracts belong to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hobbs of Hagan, Va. Reason selling, they don't need them. Anyone interested go look then phone or see me. Subject to being sold.

WANTED FOR SALE

Two or three homes with bath, in Pennington Gap, Va., anywhere. Priced between \$3,000.00 and \$5,000.00. Will pay all cash.

Wanted: Two or three farms on or near highway. Must be good land, with house, water and lights. Will pay cash if right property. Anyone who might want to sell see and list with me. I have a good many people wanting such.

Real Estate For Sale

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Nice, new six-room dwelling and 20 acres of good land; water in the house, gravity. Two miles west of Pennington Gap. Good price for quick sale.

One nice 7-room practically new house — 1½ acres land; hot air furnace; hardwood floors; watered by deep well automatic pump. Beautiful location on St. Charles road, adjoining Pennington Gap corporation. Possession at once. Good price for quick sale.

Five beautiful residential lots in East Pennington Gap, just in front of Robert Campbell's residence, and owned by the late Elbert Thompson. Good price for quick sale. If interested, call me at my office, Monte Vista Hotel, Big Stone Gap, Virginia.

Best Farm In Lee County

320 Acres, all level; two large barns, nice six-room farm home and three tenant houses; 200 acres in cultivation; 120 acres of first-class bluegrass land. Sold over \$15,000.00 worth of livestock and grain off of this farm last year. All of it can be cultivated with machinery. All crops go to the purchaser. Already threshed 4,000 bushels of barley this year.

THREE NICE DWELLINGS IN PENNINGTON GAP FOR QUICK SALE

40-Acre Farm, 5-room house, good orchard, good spring; 30 acres level, five acres river bottom land. Very low price for quick sale. 3 miles from Dryden.

One nice building lot, 60 x 140, in front of J. O. Gibson's residence; good price for quick sale.

Six nice building lots in Barlow subdivision, just south of the Hospital.

One nice, 7-acre tract, just slightly rolling; beautiful location to build—real good land, in the Barlow subdivision, on top of Skaggs' Hill.

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Social and Personal

Enters Red Cross Work

Miss Fannie Orr, former teacher in Lee County Public Schools, and who for the past several years taught at Dryden, has completed a six-weeks' training course in Red Cross work at Washington, D. C., and has been assigned to her post at Moore General Hospital, Swannanoa, N. C.

Birthday Party

A birthday party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harrell Head Saturday night, August 11, in honor of Miss Carrie Turner. Games were played and refreshments served. Those present were:

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Matthews, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Head, Misses Lucille Parks, Stella Parks, Johnnie Parks, Wanda and Geneva Dean, Mary and Martha Turner, Reba and Effie Smith, Geremа Rogers, Carrie and Elma Kirk, Shirley Head, Mollie Napier, Aileen Langham, Ruby Rogers, Thurman Rogers, Lawrence Middleton, Art Middleton, Harold West, Billy Joe Speers.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Levacy for the past week are their two sons, Robert, from Williamsburg, Va., Paul from Great Lakes, Ill., their daughter, Mary Jane Levacy, of Dayton, Ohio; two daughters-in-law, Mrs. R. D. Levacy of Portland, Oregon, and Mrs. G. P. Levacy and two sons, of Seagraves, Texas, and their nephew, S. Sgt. Edgar H. Lambert at home from overseas, where he has served 24 months.

Mrs. Charles Meech of Ft. Ft. Eustis, Florida, is here visiting her father, J. R. Legg, and brother, Everette.

Tech. Sgt. Elmer D. Brown is home on 45-day furlough after serving 30 months in the 32nd Red Arrow Division in the Pacific.

Charles Sally is spending his summer vacation in Bristol with the Tate family.

Misses Irene Russell and Helen Middleton are visiting friends in Knoxville.

Miss Virginia Tate of Bristol, was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sally of Pennington and of friends in St. Charles.

Dinner Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sally entertained the following guests at dinner Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Haynes of Bonny Blue; Arthur England of Bonny Blue, Mr. and Mrs. Don Carter and son, Pat, of Pennington Gap.

Mrs. W. H. Seagraves has received announcement of her two grandsons, the first one born to Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Howard of Dryden, August 4, and the second to Rev. and Mrs. Glenn F. White, of Louisville. The latter was born August 9, and has been given the name Donald Glenn White.

Rev. White is former pastor of the First Baptist Church here, and Mrs. White was formerly Miss Ruth Ann Stout.

Mr. and Mrs. William Duff and son, Donald, of Lebanon, Ind., visited here with Mr. and Mrs. Worley Hall and other relatives last week.

Surprise Birthday Supper

Miss Nola Myers was surprised with a birthday supper Tuesday evening, given by Mrs. Joe Myers at the home. The guests were:

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Myers and Jim; Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Cross and Patsy; Mr. and Mrs. Bascom Myers and Wayne; Milford Myers and Lee. Many nice gifts were received by the honoree, and all the guests reported a nice time, departing for home at a late hour.

Miss Mary Sam Keel of Oak Ridge, Tenn., spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Keel of Jonesville. Miss Keel has completed a Technician course at Radford College, and accepted a position with the Tennessee Eastman Laboratory at Oak Ridge.

Miss Nell Holbrook of Coeburn, Va., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Sam Keel of Jonesville.

Vacationers

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Sheely of Newberry, S. C., and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sheely of Columbia, S. C., are spending a few days' vacation here with their sister Miss Claudia Sheely, Supt. of Lee General Hospital.

Ardath Jo Green, SK (D) 1-c., is spending a few days here, and will return to her post at Bainbridge, Md., Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Sullivan of Bristol is visiting here with Rev. and Mrs. C. D. Mehaffey and family.

Family Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Collins, Sr., were host and hostess to various members of their family at their home here last Sunday. The guests included: Their sons, E. H. Collins, Jr., S. 2-c of Almeda, California; Bernard Collins and family of Tazewell, Va., Clarence Collins, wife and daughter, Barbara, of Newport News, Va., the two sons at home, Billy and Gene; Mrs. Collins' mother, Mrs. Julia Wells and three brothers, Owen, Copher and Irvin Wells of Jonesville; Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Province and family of St. Charles; Mr. and Mrs. Gifford Robbins of Norton; Mrs. Wort Wyatt and little son, of Bonny Blue; Edward Howard of Kingsport, Tenn.

Mrs. C. E. McNiel, accompanied by her granddaughter, Anna B. McNiel, has returned from a visit with her son at Knoxville.

Mrs. C. W. Bryant and son, Gene Dudley, of Norton, and Mrs. Ellen Bryant, spent a most enjoyable day with their friends, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Fritz of Benedict, last Sunday.

The John Dillinger Gangster Picture is coming to the Lee Theatre soon. Don't miss it!

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Wainscott and daughter, Davene, are back from a vacation trip to Cincinnati and other points.

New Baby

Cpl. and Mrs. Clarence E. Tilley are the parents of a son born Monday, August 13, and named Timothy Eugene. Mrs. Tilley was formerly Miss Ann Smith, daughter of Mrs. Ida Smith. Cpl. Tilley is at present in Germany.

Mrs. D. E. Melius left today for her home in Seattle, Washington, after a visit here with Mrs. A. J. Stacy and other relatives and friends. Her hussband, Captain Melius, is sailing soon for Europe where he is serving with the General Army Staff. Mrs. Melius is a native of Lee County, being the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Riddle.

Cpl. and Mrs. Jack D. Willis, recent bride and groom, are here for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Willis.

Cpl. Willis has been in overseas service for almost three years.

Mrs. Robert Lane and daughter, Patricia Ann, of East Stone Gap,, visited Mrs. Bill Goins, Jr. this week.

Drucilla King of Knoxville, was home last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy King.

Jenelle Ann Howard has accepted a position at Oak Ridge, as typist for Tennesee Eastman.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bailey and daughter, Judy, of Kingsport, visited his mother, Mrs. Elbert Bailey and family, this week.

The John Dillinger Gangster Picture is coming to the Lee Theatre soon. Don't miss it!

Jack Litton, of Oak Ridge, spent a few days with his family at Woodway and his mother, Mrs. Bradley Litton, recently.

Pvt. Lawrence Dean left this week to report for duty at Fort Benning, Ga.

Virginia Tipton, Oak Ridge, was home Tuesday and Wednesday.

Vera Litton is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Litton.

Jetta Rogers was in Appalachia, this week.

Mrs. Roy Fletcher returned this week after an extended visit with friends in California.

Gene and Hilda Orr, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Orr, of Oak Ridge, are visiting relatives here this week. The Orrs are former residents of this place.

G-M and Mrs. Harry Litton left Wednesday for Dayton, Ohio, where they will visit relatives before G-M Litton reports to Norfolk.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown returned to Detroit, Michigan, Monday. They were called home due to the serious illness of Mrs. Brown's father, Rev. Jim Ely of Dry Branch.

Ely Family Together

The Rev. and Mrs. Jim Ely had the pleasure of having their five children all at home for the first time in more than twenty years. They are: Mr. and Mrs. Collinsworth and children of Atlanta, Ga.; Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell and children of Appalachia; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown and son, Eugene, of Detroit, Mich.; Mrs. Pearl Parsons of Detroit; and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Slemp and children of Dry Branch.

Mrs. Jim Tipton and son, Bob were in Rockwood, Tenn., last week.

BRIDE OF LAST WEEK

Mrs. Daily Sullivan

Mrs. Sullivan, nee Miss Virginia Lewis, was married to Mr. Daily Sullivan, of Radford, in the Pennington Gap Methodist Church, August 7, at 4:00 p. m.

Last week's issue of The Powell Valley News carried a full account of the wedding.

Yost-Hinegardner

Mrs. Minnie Sprinkle, of Pennington Gap, announces the marriage of her daughter, Lois Yost, of Ellicott City, Maryland, to S. Sgt. Bill Hinegardner, also of Ellicott City.

The ceremony took place July 6, with the Rev. Paige officiating.

Mrs. Hinegardner will continue to make her home in Ellicott City, where she is employed in a defense plant.

S. Sgt. Hinegardner has returned to duty somewhere in the Pacific.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Payne had as their guests this week Mr. and Mrs. Y. C. Payne and children of Detroit, Mich., and Mrs. Paul McArthur and daughter, Sherlyn.

Seaman end Mrs. Lacy Neal and son, Arthur Gene, of Norfolk, are visiting relatives here. Seaman Neal spent nineteen months in the European Theater of war.

Elmo Skidmore, of the U. S. Army, was home with his mother a few days this week.

Mrs. Jake Howard entertained the former members of the Young Women's Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church with a luncheon at her home Wednesday. Those present were, Misses Jetta Rogers, Irene Russell, and Helen Middleton. Mesdame Wayman Burden, Michael Johns, Bill Goins, Jr., and daughter.

Mrs. W. R. Fletcher is back home after a visit of several weeks with relatives in California

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lipps and children, of Indiana, were here over the week end visiting Mrs. Lipps' father, M. D. Kelly and family.

School Lunches

During the past school year, the Commodity Credit Corporation, Office of Supply, in cooperation with the County School Board and Superintendent of Schools, has assisted financially three schools in Lee County in their program of supplying hot lunches to school children. These lunches consisted of a minimum of one—half pint milk (if obtainable); two ounces meat or a protein substitute; three-fourths cup of fruit or vegetables, or both; one or more slices bread; two teaspoons butter or oleo (1 pound per 50 meals).

The above named lunch was designated Type A, for which the Commodity Credit Corporation reimbursed the school 9 cents per lunch if milk was served, and 7 cents if not served. This part payment allowed the school to sell the lunch at a minimum charge of 10 to 15 cents. This type of lunch is designed to supply from one-third to one-half the daily nutrient requirements of a child. A less adequate lunch designed for inadequate equipment is provided in some schools and is designated Type B. Type C lunch is for milk only. It is furnished the child for 2 cents per-half-pint. Commodity Credit Corporation reimburses the school 2 cents, thus making up the 4 cents which is the usual cost of the milk. Plans are now under way whereby contracts are being negotiated with the Commodity Credit Corporation and the County School Board preparatory to resumption of the program at the beginning of the incoming school year. The program will be conducted in substiantially the same manner as it was handled last year.

The schools receiving Government aid in this County were Deep Springs Grade School, Ewing Grade, and Pleasant View.

During the year in these schools, there were 28,542 meals served. For serving these lunches, the schools were reimbursed $1,861.61. During the same period on a State-wide basis, there were 11,158,046 Type A or B meals served, and 1,562,022 type C lunches (milk only) served. Reimbursements for $907,910.23.

The following Lee Countians attended themeeting of the Republican Club and the speaking of several Republican leaders at Hotel Bristol Saturday: Mrs. J. B. Cox and Meda Parsons of Dryden; Mrs. Pearl Ewing, Mrs. Milford Martin and Jim Bellamy of Jonesville.

Mrs. Maude Brown and Mrs. Jake Howard and son Billy Gordan, left Thursday forNashville, Tenn. Mrs. Brown will visit her husband and Mrs. Howard and Billy will visit her grandmother, Mrs. J. W. Gibson and other relatives. Mr. Howard will join Mrs. Howard and Billy in Monterey the first of the week for a visit with his mother, Mrs. Rosa Howard and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stewart and son, E. Howard returned last week from a visit with relatives in Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Wainscott returned Sunday from Cincinnati where they have been visiting relatives.

Pfc. Willard Brewer of the U. S. Army, is home on a 30-day furlough after spending 8 months in Germany.

NOTICE

All persons having claims against or for the estate of Emulous Conner Hall, deceased, please file them with the undersigned.

Katherine Hall,
Executrix
Pennington Gap, Va.
Adv. No. 33-4t.

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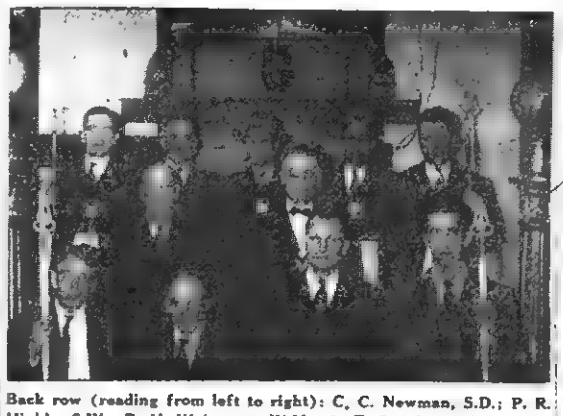

Back row (reading from left to right): C. C. Newman, S.D.; P. R. Hinkle, S.W.; B. H. Wainscott, W.M.; A. T. Burchette, Immediate P.M.; P. R. David, J.D. Second row: W. T. Hall, Treasu.; G. B. Setzler, Sec'y. Front row: J. B. Catron, Senior Steward; Sam Hall, Tiler; Rev. P. R. Stubbs, Chaplain; and E.D. David, Junior Steward.

Miles Lodge's Contributions To Grand Bodies

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TOWN TALK

About This, That, And The Other

Frankly speaking—
She went to the butcher's for spareribs and suet,
But found that some others had beaten her tuet.
She said she would settle for sausage and liver,
But the butcher insisted he had none to give 'er.
She pleaded for pork chops, for meat balls, for mutton,
The butcher said, "Lady, I just aint got nutton."

Summer is passing!

These days are mighty hot—so hot that we almost swelter as we wipe the perspiration from our faces, and grunt. But the nights are cool and pleasant. About dark the jar flies begin their jarring; baskets of marigolds, asters and zennias—all early fall flowers, were brought to church last Sunday; the shop windows bear the signs "Summer dresses 1-3 off." Every time a school teacher appears on the street folk are ready to ask "where you going to teach this fall?" All tell-tale signs that "fall" is just around the corner. . Yes, summer is on the wane, but as long as time lasts two days will stand out clear and strong; June 8, V-E Day and August 14, V-J Day.

Faithful attendant

Rev. A. E. Robertson, of Ewing, states that Powell Valley District meetings have been held annually in Lee County for the past 41 years and that he has attended 40 of them.

New street lights

The darkened corners of Pennington Gap have been brightened considerably by the addition of several new street lights. Mayor Parsons says he has ordered still more, which will be placed when they arrive.

HOW ABOUT IT?

Kids who compose the juvenile set up have been working for hours and into the night for disobedience and misdemeanors which they should not have committed.

May we make a suggestion? How about forcing loafing and neglectful parents to get out on the streets and work the same number of hours as punishment for not taking better care of those children?

In Hospitals Now

Three of our business men are being missed, on account of being "laid up" in hospitals. They are: J. V. Kelly, L. & N. Operator, in the Hospital at Harlan; J. E. Laningham, at Richmond, and G. E. Harber in Lee General.

St. Charles Lady Is Injured In Accident

Mrs. Elizabeth DeBusk, of St. Charles, is reported in a serious condition at Lee General Hospital from a very unusual accident.

Mrs. DeBusk, who makes her home with her nephew, White Wolfenbarger, and family, was sitting on the porch Tuesday, according to reports, and had asked Mr. Wolfenbarger to take down the porch swing. In removing the screws from the ceiling the axe which he was using flew out of the handle, striking Mrs. DeBusk on the back of the head and rendering her unconscious.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Weather Bureau report for week ending Aug. 18th, 1945, for Lee County, furnished by Cam J. Lewis, official observer:

Date July August	Temperature Highest	Temperature Lowest	Rainfall Inches and 100ths
13	91	57	.00
14	91	57	.00
16	90	59	.00
16	86	57	.45
17	86	52	.00
18	84	53	.00
19	81	56	.00

J. J. Reasor of Seminary Dies in R. R. Accident

Prominent Lee Countian Fatally Hurt When His Truck Hit By Train

John J. Reasor, 65, who lived at Seminary, in the Turkey Cove Community, upper Lee County, was fatally injured about one o'clock Tuesday afternoon, August 21, when the livestock truck he was driving was struck by a local freight train at a crossing about two miles east of Ewing. He died in Lee General Hospital about three hours after the accident.

According to his daughter, Mrs. Morgan Hobbs, who lives near the scene of the tragedy, the details are about as follows:

Mr. Reasor was on his way to Ewing Stock Markets, and had a calf in the truck. He stopped to visit for a few minutes with Mrs. Hobbs, and had just entered the truck to resume his journey. He was about halfway across the track when an L. & N. freight train struck the truck, killing the calf, almost demolishing the truck and throwing Mr. Reasor into the air several feet over the train and truck. He fell across the track, Mrs. Hobbs said, and she believed the back of his head struck a railing. A doctor and ambulance were called and Mr. Reasor rushed to Lee General Hospital at Pennington , where he died without regaining consciousness.

A life-time resident of the Turkey Cove section, he was president of the Rural Electrification Administration in Lee County, chairman of Southern States Cooperative of Big Stone Gap, trustee of the Baptist Orphonage of Virginia, was engaged extensively in farming and livestock, was a member of the Baptist Church of Deep Springs.

Funeral services were held in the Seminary Church at 2:00 p. m., today in charge of Rev. Akers, of Abingdon, and Rev. Clinton Green of St. Charles. Burial was in Glencoe Cemetery at Big Stone Gap.

Survivors include the widow, Mrs. Beatrice Reasor; two sons, Earl M. of Elizabethton, Tenn., and Sheffie Reasor of Big Stone Gap; two daughters, Mrs Otis Flanary of Bristol and Mrs. Morgan Hobbs, of Ewing; six grandchildren, three sisters, five brothers, also survive.

Dr. and Mrs. Henderson Take Vacation

After faithfully looking after sick folk for the Blue Diamond Coal Co., at Bonny Blue for a period of about fifteen years without time off, Dr. C. H. Henderson decided he'd like to try a little vacation trip. Accordingly, he and Mrs. Henderson "took off" for a two weeks stay at Hensel Springs, in the Smokies.

They were joined there by their daughter, Mrs. Martin Johnson, and some close friends from Knoxville, and altogether, as the Hendersons express it they had a most wonderful time.

2nd Lt. Loretta Williams has returned to her post at Indian Town Gap, Pa., after a two weeks' leave with her mother, Mrs. Emma Williams.

Church Affairs Bring Outstanding Visitors To Our Community

The 52nd annual meeting of Powell River Baptist Association held at Admant Baptist Church on Stone Creek Thursday and Friday, Aug. 16-17, and the Powell Valley District Convention held at Union Christian Church on Station Creek last Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 18-19, were very outstanding affairs and brought many prominent visitors to our community.

Leading speakers at the Association were Dr. J. B. Bell, Rev. E. J. Wright and Rev. H. W. Connelly of Richmond, who were on the program the first day of the meeting; also on the second day the people had the privilege of hearing Dr. Hundley Wiley, of the University of Richmond, and R. F. Huff, superintendent of the Baptist Orphonage at Salem, Va.

Large crowds attended the meeting and both days dinner was served on the ground. Officers elected for the ensuing year were:

Rev. Clinton Greene, Moderator; Rev. J. N. Brister, Ewing, Va., Vice Moderator; Rev. P. R. Stubbs, Clerk; Rev. J. C. Jackson of Jonesville, Treasurer. The will meet next year with Calvary Baptist Church in Pennington Gap.

The District Convention at Union was attended by overflowing crowds, and plate lunches were served to all during the noon hour.

Speakers on the program included Rev. John Tate, of Richmond; Rev. Cleo Purvis, of Williamsburg, Ky., Rev. C. B. Reynolds, of Lynchburg College, Rev. F. M. Wolfe of Big Stone Gap, Mrs. Allan B. Stanger, of Richmond.

The Convention will meet next year at Mt. Olivet Christian Church, Rose Hill.

Lee County Men Who Have Been Discharged From Armed Forces

We wish to advise all employers of the following Lee County men who have been separated from the services of the Armed Forces of the United States. Re-employment Committeeman Cam J. Lewis, of the Local Selective Service Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, Va., or Miss Marie McNiel, chief clerk Selective Service Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va., will gladly assist employers in contacting men.

Mr. Lewis may be reached at Local Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, Va., and Miss McNiel at Local Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va

A list of Lee County men discharged from the Armed Forces will appear in this newspaper each week as they are furnished to us by the two Local Selective Service Boards in the county.

Noah Vernon, Rt. 1, Keokee; Silas Daner McCracken, St. Charles; Elmo Spears, Duffield; Alexander Hamilton Hurd, Jr., Keokee; William Joseph Nemeth, Calvin; Robert W. R. Clark, Keokee; Millard Wesley Thomas, Rt. 1, Keokee; Virgil Hasque Car-

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LEE CO. BOY WINS LETTER OF COMMENDATION

Winston G. Sewell

Cpl. David C. Sewell, III

Mrs. D. C. Sewell, of Jonesville, is in receipt of a letter of commendation regarding her son, Phm. 3-c Winston G. Sewell, serving with the 10th Army on Okinawa.

The letter is signed by the Commanding Major, Stanley F. Radyminski; Col. M.C. Surgeon 10th Army F. B. Westervelt, and the Commanding Officer, D. W. Lyon, and reads as follows:

"A letter of commendation for duty, high degree of professional work under adverse conditions and long hours, were an inspiration to our officers and enlisted men alike. These corpsmen are a credit to the United States Navy, and I cannot commend too highly the valuable services rendered to the armed forces by them.

Their valuable service rendered proved the admirable cooperation between the Navy and Army of our country during the period from 16th day of April to 19th day of May, 1945. Corps of the Evacuation Hospital No. 2, with 68th Field Hospital of Tenth Army on Okinawa."

Winston is the son of Mrs. D. C. Sewell and the late D. C. Sewell, Jr., of Jonesville, and volunteered for the Navy on his 17th birthday. He has been in service 22 months, was transferred to the Marine Corps on the first day of August, 1944, and has been in the Southwest Pacific for the past nine months.

He has an older brother, Cpl. David C. Sewell, III, of Marine Service Squadron No. 24, in the Philippines, and has been in service 25 months and in the Southwest Pacific for the part nine months.

Virginia Speed Limit Increased To 50 Miles

The speed limit in Virginia for all motor vehicles except school buses carrying children, is back to fifty miles an hour, by executive order of the Governor, effective Friday, August 24, at 1:p. m.

In making the announcement, the Governor warned, however, that old equipment and old tires do not warrant driving at fifty miles, and gave notice that State Police are to rigidly enforce the statute which gives them the authority to inspect and remove unsafe vehicles from the highway. The semi-annual inspection of vehicles will be resumed as soon as men and equipment are available, he said.

Major J. R. Nunn, acting Superintendent of State Police, has reported that approximately 1230 vehicles have been removed by State Police as unsafe since January 1, and added that in addition to the State Police he was today requesting the assistance of all law enforcement agencies in the State to assist in checking for defective equipment.

"The raising of the speed limit does not mean that all vehicles will be permitted to operate at that speed," Major Nunn said. "Thousands of Virginia vehicles, due to mechanical defects and bad tires, are not safe to operate above 35 MPH Driving unsafe equipment at unsafe speeds would be construed to be reckless driving and can result in the loss of driving privileges." He added that "a sudden epidemic of speeding in unsafe equipment could easily result in a tremendous loss of life, and we propose to prevent it if possible."

All State Troopers have been alerted for speeding and unsafe vehicles, Major Nunn said, and the removal of those unsafe may be expected without notice."

Wounded Va. Veterans Arrive At Camp Pickett

A news release from Post Headquarters, dated August 21, states that a number of Virginians were among the more than 160 wounded veterans arriving at the U. S. Army General Hospital at Camp Pickett within the past 48 hours.

Included in the group are some of the last remaining battle casualties who have been in hospitals on the European continent, and wounded and ill fighting men from the Pacific theatre. These men will undergo further treatment and convalescence at Camp Pickett.

One of the soldiers is T-4 Gordon A. Fletcher, 24, son of [redacted] Fletcher, of Rose Hill.

Automobiles Collide On River Road Today

Deputy Sheriff Shelby Carter, of Bonny Blue, attributes his and others escape from serious, if not fatal injuries today, to a large tree between the highway and the river, north of Pennington Gap, near the intersection of Poor Valley.

Carter states that he was coming into Pennington with the U. S. mail from Bonny Blue, and had in the car with him his ten-year-old daughter, Elsie Mae. He said that Buster Stapleton, a boy living near Pennington, had his car parked at the bridge and just as Carter approached, cut into the road and collided with Carter's car.

Deputy Carter said his car cleared the road about 30 feet, landed against a big tree and stopped without overturning. He said that had it not been for the tree in all probability the car would have gone a distance of about sixty feet into the river.

Elsie Mae received painful but not serious injuries and was given treatment at Lee General Hospital. The others were unhurt.

Deputy Carter said the damage to his car would amount to approximately $200.00, the Stapleton car not quite so much.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our friends for their many acts of kindness and sympathy in the recent illness and death of our mother, Mrs. Sallie Hughes.

We gratefully appreciate the beautiful floral offerings, and all who took part in the funeral.

The Family.

Jonesville Plays At Pennington Sunday

Men Who Passed Pre-Induction, Local Board

Selective Service Board No. 1, Jonesville, Lee County, Virginia, lists the following men who passed their pre-induction physical examination for August:

Earl Monroe Rouse, R.F.D. No. 2, Rose Hill; Benjamin Franklin Bowen, R.F.D. No. 1, Jonesville; Silas Henry Glass, R.F.D. No. 2, Jonesville; James Olin Dingus, Jonesville; Marr Hensley, Ewing; Olin Edward Greer, Jonesville; Henry Paul Hill, Rose Hill; Echol James Lawson, Blackwater; William Adison Fee, Jonesville; Glen William Olinger, Fairview; Fred Garrett, R.F.D. No. 4, Jonesville; Ross Clifton Wilder, R.F.D. No. 1, Jonesville; Albert Glenn Lawson, Blackwater; William Eddd, Jr., Rose Hill.

"Pep Parade" Delights Audience

"Pep Parade," the play sponsored by Pennington Gap Lions Club for the benefit of the blind and presented at Pennington High School auditorium Thursday and Friday evenings of last week, gave the attending audience a real "peppy" evening of fun and laughter.

The play carried throughout a trend of comedy, mixed with a serious situation that ended just right for the "Peck family" represented by the following characters:

Mrs. Peck, a domineering wife—Mrs. Guy Kauffman

"Hen" Peck, her husband—O. A. Vaughan

Judy Peck, their daughter—Floravista McKinnon

Tommy Meadows, Judy's heart interest—Jackie Hays

Aunt Hattie, crazy about fortune telling—Mrs. P. R. Stubbs

Madame De La Clair, a phoney French medium—Bobby Jean Cooper

Keith Trevelyan, a fortune hunter—Henry Pugh

Hortense Yohnson, the Swede maid—Jane Kauffman

Rosepla Ricketts, a Negro cook—Mrs. Joy Parsons

Dr. D. Druggins, a "lady" osteopath—Jack Reasor.

Mrs. Iris Burchette was pianist, Mrs. Anne Hurd, soloist, Nancy Lee Anderson, guest artist, Gene Phillip Reasor, guest pianist.

The program was interspersed by fancy dances and songs by many of the younger set.

J. E. LANINGHAM IS VERY MUCH IMPROVED

J. E. Laningham, who for several weeks has been confined to a Hospital in Richmond, Va., is reported getting along well, and his condition much improved.

Mrs. Laningham is visiting with Mr. Laningham this week.

J. Marion Smith, of Route 2, is home after an extended trip to New Mexico, and his daughter, Miss Mary Lou Smith, has returned from Washington, D. C., where she spent most of the [redacted]

St. Charles, Dunbar, Pennington Win Week-End Tilts

The St. Charles Miners practically cinched top place in the Lonesome Pine League by defeating Jonesville 13 to 3 at St. Charles Sunday. Pennington Gap lambasted Cumberland 6 to 1 at Cumberland while Sam Riddle's Dunbar Riddlers showed new life in returning to the win column with a 9 to 2 victory over Oreton on their own home lot.

The slugging Miners collected 16 hits off Roy Chance while Jonesville collected 4 hits and 2 runs off Wacks in six innings and 4 hits and one run off Walker in the last three frames. Jimmy Shelbourne led the Miners' slugging with 4 for 4 with Red Walker collecting 2 for 2 including a long home run over right field fence in the seventh scoring Woolliver ahead of him. Litton and Holman collected 2 hits each.

Graham led Jonesville with 3 for 5.

Pennington Gap hit the ball to every corner of the lot at Cumberland for a total of 15 safeties off Darnell to defeat the Mountaineers 6 to 1 behind the very effective pitching of Fugate Reasor who was never in trouble with the exception of the second inning when two Lions scored their only run.

Aside from an excellent job of chunking the horsehide, Reasor led his team's hitting with a double and two singles for four trips to the plate. H. Smith, Johnston, T. Smith, and T. Myers collected two hits each. Yonaski and Falls led Cumberland with 2 for 4 each.

Sam Riddle who manages both the Dunbar Commissary and the Dunbar ball club teamed up a peculiar battery to get his team back into the win column after dropping a couple of games. He sent eighteen-year-old Porter to the mound to use the arm and fifty-three-year-old Collins behind the plate to catch him and use the head . . . the result, they came out with a one-hit game and a 9 to 2 victory.

Dunbar batted out 15 hits off Lefty Mabe and Jr. Made, Lefty lasting until the eighth inning.

Sage led Dunbar's hitting with 3 for 5 including a home run, Porter had 3 for 5 while Collins collected two safeties. Moore hit a long double for Oreton's only safety which scored a run.

Next Sunday, all teams change fields and opponents. St. Charles goes to Dunbar; Jonesville journeys to Pennington Gap while Oreton travels to Cumberland.

The official standing:

	Won	Lost	Pct.
St. Charles	14	2	.875
Cumberland	10	6	.625
Dunbar	8	8	.500
Jonesville	7	9	.437
Oreton	6	10	.375
Pennington	3	13	.187

Local Lion Appointed Zone Chairman

R. G. Pugh, manager of the A. & P. Tea Company, has been appointed Zone Chairman of Zone 1, comprising the Appalachia, Pennington Gap and Jonesville Lions Clubs, for the fiscal year 1945-46. Mr. Pugh is immediate past President of the Local Club.

Dr. R. F. Gillespie, of Lebanon, was appointed chairman of Zone 2. The appointments were made by District Governor J. Elbert Large.

Squirrel Season In Lee Opens September 15 Closes September 30

Commission of Game and Inland Fisheries, Richmond, Virginia, announces the squirrel season in Lee and other counties west of the Blue Ridge to be September 15-30. The seasons will reopen from November 15 to January 1.

For hunting laws, rules and regulations see J O. Hines, Game Warden for Lee County.

Stewart Wants Your War Relics for Fair

Will Be Guarded, Enclosed And Safely Returned

If you have any kind of war relic of either World War 1 or 2, bring it to Perle Stewart, Chairman of the War Relic Display Department at the Lee County Fair, September 3-8.

You will be assured of their safe return, so don't worry or neglect sending in your entry for fear they may be lost. An M. P. will be on duty during the day and a guard at night to see that nothing is bothered or stolen.

Such collections are very highly cherished, have great history behind them and usually were sent back by your son as a lifelong memorial, so with this knowledge fully in mind, the Fair Committee has definitely arranged for the safe keeping of such articles.

Bring your weapons, arms, guns, grenades, souvenirs, and anything that is interesting, it may win a prize for you, and too, will gain notoriety for the boy who captured the equipment. Mr. Stewart wants the name of the serviceman so the display may be credited to him.

Come To the Fair, Get in the Movies

Cameramen to Make Many Scenes Daily Through Fair

You will get to see the Lee County Fair again long after it's all over—and yourself, too. Cameramen will shoot scenes of the big balloon ascension as the Flying Allens go to the sky; the death-defying Atenos as they do the tiltawhirl atop a 90-ft. pole with no nets or safety devises below—the stage acts, fireworks, and of you and you and you, as you stroll about the grounds from day to day.

The cattle, mammoth horse show and live stock will be filmed. The scenes will be released in the Lee County feature natural color picture, "Lee Has Everything," which has been in production for nearly a year. The completion of the picture was held up in order to record the Fair in it.

Other scenes and stories over the country will be completed immediately after the Fair with the pitture "LEE HAS EVERYTHING," being ready for release to theaters about the first of October.

An Eternal Commodity Divinely Advertised

"Buy the truth and sell it not." Proverbs 23:23.

A man has only to appear on the busy streets of a modern city to know the utmost of the value of advertising as viewed by the modern merchantman. The daily press speaks out in loud tones as to what the holders of various commodities think of the value of advertising. They pay large sums in order to get their wares before the public eye. Vast sums are being made today by men whose sole profession is that of selling advertisements. Many commodities advertised this world would be vastly better off without. Many other commodities there are unadvertised that it would be well if the world could know about. Many others there be still which are meanly advertised whose value is of such great worth as to merit much greater advertisement. Our text speaks of such a commodity. We notice:

I. THE THING OUR TEXT ADVERTISES

This reminds man of his human nature. The text says "buy the truth". Truth is that by which the heart must be guided and governed. Without truth there is no goodness. There are no regular practices without right principles. It is by the power of truth known and believed, that we must be restrained from sin, and constrained to duty. In the language of Pilate do we here press the question "What is truth?" Jn. 18:38.

1. There is a doctrinal truth.

He has a false conception of every angle of truth who does not have an appreciative understanding of doctrinal truth. Spurgeon says: "The gospel. The three R's—Ruin, Redemption and Regeneration, the doctrines of grace are the genuine articles of truth; but counterfeits are in the market. Men must learn to discriminate so as to righteously reject." He goes on to illustrate by saying: "There is a salvation offered without Christ, a pardon without any sacrifice, a life without any birth, a regeneration without any faith, a faith without any works and a safety without perseverance." These he brands as counterfeits, and rightly so. Jesus says in John 14:6, "I am the truth." So, doctrinally, Jesus Christ is Truth and nothing else is Truth. O, that men might get set right on truth. John 1:14-17.

2. There is experimental truth

Men may be able to give an orthodox statement concerning doctrinal truth and know nothing of it experimentally. Faith in the gospel of Jesus Christ begets experience. Jn. 8:28-32. It brings one to the experimental realities of the truth of the gospel. And there is no faith without experience. So we have it that truth is doctrinal in its expression, experimental in its realization and practical in its application.

3 Truth is practical.

That brings us to the serious consideration of our every word and deed. Are we putting truth to a daily application? Does truth obtain in our every performance of this life? It has its predominating influence in the life of all who have experienced it in the heart. Jethro cautioned Moses to select men of truth as Israel's judges. Ex. 18:21. His exhortation was that only such men as would conscientiously put truth to a practical demonstration should be considered in places of responsibility. How careful we should be to maintain that same standard today. The man who hears the truth on Sunday but does not heed it on Monday denies that truth is practical.

II. OUR TEXT DECLARES TRUTH TO BE WORTH BUYING.

"Buy the Truth." In the commonly accepted sense truth cannot be bought. Truth and grace are divinely bestowed; but our text is emphasizing the human acceptance side.

1. It declares the importance of a right consideration of truth.

"Buy it." I think this demands such measures of repentance as may be necessary in order to a proper consideration of truth. "Buy the truth" is to me a mighty call to sever connection with all sin and unrighteousness, for he is not truth's purchaser who willingly dabbles in sin. This is an appeal that we be willing to endure every test, make every sacrifice, run every risk, bear every cross and give up every worldly pleasure in order to be true to the Lord Jesus Christ. This is another cure to separation.

2. This emphasizes That Truth makes its demands upon the life

"Buy the Truth" declares that the man who would have truth in his inward parts must meet the demands for truth's entrance. Truth never abides in the same place with error. You can no more mix truth and error than you can mix oil and water. Matt. 6:24. That life that shines forth truth makes its demands upon the life.

III. OUR TEXT ADVERTISES TRUTH TO BE WORTH SO MUCH AS TO ENCOURAGE ITS PURCHASERS TO BUY IT WITH A VIEW TO PERMANENT OWNERSHIP OF IT.

The text advertises: "Buy the Truth and SELL IT NOT". Purchase it as a permanent investment. Do not ever part with it. Buy it at any price; but sell it at no price. How many buy it for temporary purposes.

1. Christ our example.

It becomes us at this point to review the temptation of Jesus. He would not barter with the devil. In this temptation is the three-fold appeal the devil makes in trying to get men to sell the truth. It is POVERTY, PROSPERITY, and POPULARITY. O, what appeals they make for the disposition of truth. Luke 4:1-13.

2. Judas our warning.

Judas sold the truth. He did it for silver. In these days of adversity the temptation is strong to go out after silver. Men think that self must come first; but that is not the teaching of Jesus. He did not consider self first when He took the sinner's place. He considered the SINNER first. And now, with His perfect life and substitutionary death, and victorious resurrection to put seal to His message, He comes to us from the Holy Bible and says: "Seek ye first the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things shall be added unto you." Matt. 6:33. But he who looks at the things of this life above the rewards of eternal life says with Judas: "What will ye give me, and I will deliver him unto you?" Matt 26 15. They for money, position, popularity, influence, or some other appeal surrender truth at the hands of truth's enemies.

3. The text our commandment.

Our text is a divine commandment to us. It says: "DON'T EVER SELL THE TRUTH." It is God's word from God's Book. And of it we read: "All scripture is given by inspiration of God and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness; that the man of God may be perfect thoroughly furnished unto all good works." II Tim 3 16-17 We call special attention to its declaration of being "profitable for correction". Men are selling the truth rapidly today God's word corrects them in that. Will we heed it?

E. B. HERNDON,
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From Out Of The Past

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Estes are located in their new home in West Pennington. The home is pretty and modern, but Mrs. Estes takes a keen interest in her collection of souvenirs, keepsakes and heirlooms that speak of a far-distant past. Among them are:

An old clock originally belonging to James Cecil, one of the early settlers of Tazewell Co., Va. His son brought it with him when he came to Dryden. It then was passed down to the son's eldest son, who was the late James Wilkerson Cecil, Mrs. Estes' grandfather, who has been dead 20 years and was 82 when he died. The clock then went to E. F. Cecil, who passed it on to Mrs. Estes.

Mrs. Estes said her great, great grandfather got the clock from his father and it was an old clock then. The inside works are made of applewood. The clock is in good condition, keeps good time and strikes every hour.

Mrs. Estes has a glass sandwich dish made in one of the first glass factories of America. Her great grandparents brought this across the mountains with them and it has been safely guarded all these years.

Engraven in the dish are 13 stars representing the 13 original colonies. It bears the oak leaf emblem of England, thistle of Scotland, harp of Ireland, and other emblems. Six small plates go with it, similar to our coaster sets, but were then used to set coffee cups in to keep them from soiling the table linens.

A Bible owned by her great grandfather, James W. Cecil, who carried it through the Civil War.

A quilt made by a woman slave belonging to her great grandparents, the late Dr. Burke and wife. The quilt is about twice the size of an ordinary quilt because, Mrs. Estes said, it was made for one of the old-time four poster beds, very wide and so high that one had to use "steps" to get into them.

The quilt is made in the "crows foot" pattern, in alternate colors of red, dark blue and green, set up with squares of white with small blocks of dark blue running diagonally from corner to corner. The workmanship on the quilt is perfect, not a stitch seems to be out of place and no parts misfitted.

A table linen and scarf made from flax grown on the old original Cecil farm near Pennington Gap.

Among Mrs. Estes' curios are some tax receipts dating as far back as 1829 on the Cecil farm.

An income tax receipt dated March 28, 1865, issued in the amount of $1,158.75, and signed by A. J. Litton, tax collector, to John E. Burke; a $5.00 bill drawn on the Treasury of the U. S. when it was at Lexington, Va., dated 1830, and printed on one side only.

The following unique receipt was made to J. E. Burke and signed by Captain A. C. Estes, Co., 2nd Scouts:

"April 6, 1865: Received of J. E. Burke, twelve (12) pounds of bacon which was not paid for." Mr. and Mrs. Estes are the great grandson and the great granddaughter of these contracting parties.

During the Civil War the soldiers camped on Cane Creek, and the following receipt is issued by G. R. Davis to John E. Burke:

"Received of John E. Burke two (2) bushels of wheat for bread. I certify that it was for the use of the detachment 21st Virginia Cavalry."

I. G. R. Davis."

One of the most perfect pieces of needlework is a linen collar designed and made by Mrs. Estes grandmother, Mary Burke, who married J. W. Cecil.

The collar is embroidered in satin and wheat stitch, and is so artistic in design and so perfectly finished that no modern machine made needlework can compare with it. In between the embroidered designs are arrangements of the finest cut work.

Join The Navy

Young men 17 years old are still being accepted into the U. S. Navy. Recruiter Mack, who is here in Pennington Gap, states that Major Lee Ely of Dryden, Va., has applied for the Navy this week.

Your Navy traveling recruiter is in Jonesville from 10:30 to 12:00 noon at the Court House, and in Pennington Gap at Collier's Furniture Store from 1:00 p. m. to 6:00 p. m.

Radar program is open to men with two years High School education or more. See your Navy recruiter for information.

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RURAL TELEPHONE SERVICE

"The intensive program for extending service to farm families, which was being carried on before the war, will be resumed as quickly as possible. Rural telephone service in this country is already more highly developed than in any other. Despite this, the telephone industry would like to see many more farms with telephones. To bring this about, the Bell System has developed important new facilities and methods. High-strength steel wire, permitting longer distances between poles, reduces the cost of extending lines into areas not previously covered. A method of sending telephone messages over rural electric power lines was under development by Bell Telephone Laboratories before the war and it is clear that a successful system of this kind can be produced. These and other improvements, including possible application of radio to reach remote spots, promise a substantial post-war increase in the number of farms having telephone service."

From the Annual Report of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company for 1944.

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To Whom It May Concern

By:
W. L. Jones

Our son is home again. For the past several months he has been a prisoner of the Germans.

He talks now and then of the hated S. S. troops, of destroyed towns and industries, of turnip soup, cold weather, and the forty pounds weight he lost and the dash and daring of General Patton. Right now the main topic of conversation is mother's pies and the many friends who were interested in his welfare.

Yes, our son is home again. For us, like it is for thousands of parents, the months have dragged, dread and grief were like lead around our feet. We are thankful that our prayers have been answered. We are humble because many parents will not be so fortunate, and we wish for them the faith and courage it takes to meet whatever the news may be.

There seems to be no limit to the things a healthy boy can stand. To go through the mud and rain and snow; the sorrow, the death of buddies, the grime and starvation of a German prison camp and come home ready to fish and visit friends and to sweep Shubert's Serenade across the keys of the piano requires youth and health and vigor. He says these experiences make him love and appreciate his country more.

When a boy puts on a uniform, He is then and there dedicated to his country. He is placed on the altar of freedom. Those whose sons return should be grateful for what their boys have done and that they have come home to help keep the country great. Those whose sons will not return have given their boys to die on the field of honor for the country and freedom they loved.

Yes, our son is home again. Once again, humbly and with gratitude we look at the motto we have read so many times—"Lo, I am with you always."

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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

Songs for a Better World

We were sitting around the embers of Ed Crumpit's barbecue last Saturday night, finishing our beer and hot dogs, while Ed strummed the guitar ... picking out old, friendly songs.

Soon everyone was singing. The harmony wasn't too good ... but the *spirit* was—a spirit of friendship and good humor.

And it made me think how music—music of the people—overcomes barriers of prejudice and intolerance. A Yankee folk-song or an English carol or a Southern melody—they all speak a common language of the heart ... bind folks together ... help us forget our grudges.

From where I sit, music can help to make the whole world kin. Maybe we ought to have a lot more of it ... informal sings around the fire, and in the home. And it's sure true that a mellow glass of beer fits into the picture. It just naturally goes with that kind of music.

Joe Marsh

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1945 Corn Crop Low

Virginia will have the smallest corn acreage in 1945 than in any year since 1868, L. M. Walker, Jr., State Commissioner of Agriculture, says. The total corn acreage for harvest will not exceed 1,223,000 acres, he said, which is 9 per cent below the 1944 acreage and 11 per cent below the 10-year average (1934-1944).

"The reason for the reduction is well known to the Virginia farmer," Mr. Walker said, "and while the new Secretary of Agriculture has been quoted as saying that the present ceiling prices on corn are designed to reflect parity prices for farmers, and farmers are now receiving the full parity prices, nevertheless, this does not help the corn grower who is not now getting the cost of production. Federal officials have never included the cost of labor in the parity formula under which they operate."

Miss Carolyn Cox is spending a week at Rogersville, Tenn., the guest of her cousin, Miss Peggy Steele.

Maximum Employment, Prosperous Agriculture

Employment can be kept to a maximum through more prosperous agriculture, Louis Bromfield, famous novelist, recently told Detroit business men.

"It is not difficult to see why agriculture in itself is the key industry and the very foundation of American economic life," Bromfield told members of the Economics Club of Detroit. "When a farmer has not the money to go to town and buy a radio or a tire or an automobile, it means simply that four or five men are going to be out of work in Detroit or Chicago or Pittsburgh.

"When agriculturebecomes sick the sickness quickly permeates the whole of the economic structure."

Since the Civil War, Bromfield declared, this country has never had genuine prosperity. Instead, it has had a series of booms and depressions, of inflations and deflations. These have begun at the agricultural end when low agricultural prices could not afford the high cost of industrial labor and the products of industry.

"When this condition arises there can be only one result—a severe shrinking of markets and increasing unemployment," Bromfield asserted.

Much of the failure of economic thinking of our times, according to Bromfield, is based on the illusion that money is wealth.

"Our real wealth lies in the natural and human resources which, as a nation, we have squandered and exploited since the beginning," Bromfield said. "Beside it money is nothing at all. Real wealth, material wealth, is the only basis of a nation's prosperity and health."

A great deal of this real wealth has been lost through depletion of the soil, he added. Farmers cultivate five acres of land to produce what should, through proper soil use and modern mechanization, be produced on one acre. Because of this high cost of agricultural production, as well as poor distribution, 40 million persons in this country suffer from malnutrition in peacetime.

Farmers must produce food now lacking, as well as crops needed for rapidly-expanded industrial needs. Instead of political action, according to Bromfield, decentralization of industry and a sounder and more profitable management of natural resources are needed.

"Few people realize that approximately 52 per cent of the population derive the major part of their income from agriculture," he pointed out. "That is not to say that 52 per cent of the population are farmers. They are people in small towns and villages, up to cities as large as Montgomery, Alabama, and Des Moines, Iowa, whose income and prosperity are dependent upon agriculture.

"These include all the people who perform services such as filling station operators and those who sell radios and work in grain elevators and dry goods stores.

"Beyond all these is the whole of the hugh agricultural machinery business, a large part of the oil and gasoline and steel industries, the great mail order houses and a huge share in every major business and industry in the United States."

Bromfield concluded that it was the job of all to cooperate with the farmer and to safeguard and promote the soundness of agriculture "upon which our very existence is founded".

O. D. P. Manager Warns Against Sale Of Army-Navy Target Kites

Sale of surplus stocks of Army and Navy target kites with wired cords offers a new and deadly threat to children who might fly them across electric wires, Mr. Teague, Old Dominion Power Company manager said today.

He cited a warning received from Edison Electric Institute's accident prevention committee that death or serious burns await anyone using one of the kites, should it come in contact with a high voltage line. The 2,000 ft. cord sold with the kite is a small diameter copper wire covered with a thin synthetic insulation.

Sale of the dangerous playthings was halted by an eastern department store after it learned of the danger, but it is believed possible that the kites may be unwittingly placed on the market in other parts of the nation. So utility companies have been asked to enlist the cooperation of newspapers to avoid any tragedies.

Lt. Andrew D. Johnson, Jr., of Louisville, Ky., spent last week end with his wife and little son at Woodway. Mrs. Johnson was formerly Miss Virginia Pennington, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pennington of Woodway. They left Monday and will spend a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs A. D. Johnson, Sr., at Lafollette, Tenn., after which Lt. Johnson will be stationed at Ft. Riley, Tenn

How Soon Will You Get Your Telephone?

Because wartime restrictions are being relaxed on the production of certain types of telephone equipment for [illegible] many [illegible] of applicants [illegible] asking [illegible] telephone service, Frank B. Parr, manager of the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company of Virginia

This is a natural question. The public is reading of the removal of wartime restrictions in many lines of business. A number of these have gone into actual production and are beginning to supply the backed-up demands of their customers

There are more than 200 applications for service being held in Lee County for lack of telephone facilities and more applications are being received each day, states Mr. Parr. The number of new telephones that can be expected under the restricted manufacuring program is nowhere near enough to meet the demand. It will be a long time before all those who are waiting for telephones will be able to get them.

The removal of restrictions in the telephone industry finds the telephone manufacturers in this position: The war with Japan has not been won and the industry is still so tied up with military orders that until all these requirements are filled, it will simply be unable to resume large-scale production for civilian use. Take telephone instruments, for example. The industry has been freed to make as many of them as it needs, but until materials and manpower become available, its output is going to be limited and far from sufficient to supply the widespread public demands.

The same difficulties will face the company in the production of switchboards, cable and all other types of equipment. And even when all this equipment does become obtainable, the company will have before it the big time-consuming job of installing the equipment and making wholesale enlargements of its plant before it can furnish service to all the people who are applying for it. Thus it is that the lifting of restrictions on the manufacture of equipment does not mean, as some may expect, that their long wait for the service is at an end, or that it is going to end soon. "The telephone company has a record of every application," states Mr. Parr, "and everyone will be filled in proper order when facilities are again available."

Local Girl Promoted In the WAVES

Lena Skaggs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Skaggs of Pennington Gap, now has the rating of Sp. (q) 3-c. She was recently promoted to this rating.

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Summary of Potsdam Terms Offered Japan

Of course it is known the world over that on Tuesday, August 14, Japan accepted the ultimatum set forth in the Potsdam peace terms, and the war with Japan which had been waged since 1941 came to an end.

But not everyone knows just what was involved in the Potsdam terms. Summed up, they are as follows:

1. Elimination for all time of the authority and influence of those who led Japan into her career of conquest.
2. Occupations of points in Japanese territory to be designated by the Allies until a "new order of peace and security" in the world is assured.
3. Limitations of Japanese sovereignty to the main Japanese Islands of Honshu, Hokkaido, Kyushu, Shikoku, and a few minor islands.
4. Carrying out the terms of the Cairo declaration which would strip Japan of all her conquests.
5. Complete disarmament of Japanese armed forces.
6. No enslavement of the Japanese nation.
7. Stern justice for war criminals.
8. Removal by the Japanese government of all obstacles to a revival of democracy, freedom of speech, religion and thought.
9. Permission for Japan to retain such industries as will sustain her economy and permit reparations in kind.
10. Access for Japan to raw materials and world trade.
11. A promise to withdraw occupying Allied forces when Japan has established a peaceful inclined government "in accordance with freely expressed will of the Japanese people."

For Sale

125-acre farm, 2 miles northeast of Rose Hill; 1 mile from State Highway on two good roads. Near Fee's Store. New power line just set in yard. Farm contains 12 fields, hog lot; all farm well fenced and under high state cultivation. Plenty meadow and grassy pasture for 75 head cattle; plenty timber. Good barn for tobacco and stock. ½ of 15-acre corn crop; ½ of 10 hay stacks and meadow; all farm machinery except wheat drill goes with the price of farm. Well watered by wells, cistern and ponds. Two houses on place. This farm is one of the best to be put on the market now. Reason for selling: Wants to buy a home in Harlan, Ky.

Farm is known far and wide as the James Seals homestead.

Price $10,000.00, cash or terms; $5,000.00 down, balance one and two years. The owner is G. J. Giles, Harlan, Ky.

Anyone interested, go look and Fred Garrett who lives close by and tenant on place will show it to you. If interested see me.

CAM J. LEWIS

Phone 54 Pennington Gap, Va.

Deer Season In Sw. Va., Open November 15-16

Plans for a deer hunt in Southwest Virginia counties for two days this fall, Nov. 15 and 16, were outlined at a meeting at Abingdon Va., by M. Wheeler Kesterson, supervising warden of thee State Commission of Game and Inland Fisheries, with A. R. Cochran, supervisor Jefferson National Forest, district forest rangers and county game wardens.

It will be the first deer hunt in Southwest Virginia in about fifty years, Mr. Cochran stated. In 1938 Jefferson National Forest began stocking the refuges and Mr. Cochran estimated that the areas now have about 3,500 or a sufficient number to turn some loose and let them be hunted.

Supervising Warden Kesterson stated that big gamechecking stations would be arranged in the six counties of Wise, Scott, Washington, Smyth, Wythe and Grayson, for the convenience of hunters in checking out their kills; that one deer would be permitted each hunter; that the locations would be announced by October 15.

By Nov. 1 signs will be placed at the stations and tags will be distributed to hunters who must place a tag on the kill before it is checked out. Special wardens and forest rangers will be on hand during the two-day hunt to assist in seeing that no doe is killed and to check licenses, and to aid in the checking out pro-

The law provides that horns must be visible on a buck before it can be killed, Mr. Kesterson explained License requirements are a regular state hunting license; a $1.00 forest reservation license if hunting on national forest property, and a special $1.00 state deer license if the hunting is in a county outside that in which the hunter resides. In Wise County all hunters must purchase an additional county deer license.

Virginia Over Top In Cancer Control Quota

Virginia is one of the first ten states to have met or exceeded their 1945 campaign quota in the Cancer Control Campaign of which Mrs. C. B. Fry of Pennington Gap, is local chairman.

With a quota of $80,000, Virginia raised the sum of $86,492.

This campaign, under auspices of the Virginia Cancer Foundation, Inc., affiliated with the American Society for the Control of Cancer, and with the Womans' Field Army, has been raising funds for the past five years to care for indigent patients.

At a recent meeting it was voted to extend its activities to advanced cancer patients, with the idea in view that beds can be found in hospitals which do not now provide space for the care of incurable cancer cases.

It is now a well-established fact that cancer is curable, depending upon the promptest diagnosis and the earliest possible operation. The increasing interest on the part of newspaper editors in ....the work of the American Society for the control of cancer and the Field Army throughout the country is an encouraging and extremely valuable development in the program, and literature devoted to cancer education can now be obtained from Richmond banks.

Four cancer patients in Lee County received treatment through this organization last year, two paying their own way and two being given free treatment at a cost of $115.00

Visiting Ministers Admire Painting By Local Artist

Rev. John Tate, of Richmond, Va., and Rev. C. B. Reynolds, of Lynchburg, Va., speakers at the Powell Valley District Meeting held at Union Christian Church on Station Creek Sunday, both greatly admired the painting recently produced and presented the church by Shelburne Stamper, son of M. and Mrs C. T. Stamper, of Pennington Gap, Rt. 2, and former S. Sgt. in the U. S. Army.

The painting is a 5 by 12 representation of Christ in Gethsemane

In his eulogy, Dr. Tate said: "The painting is indeed a masterpiece; one cannot look upon it without experiencing a deeper reverence for suffering. Only a soldier who has witnessed the suffering and agonies of War could have painted this picture. Mr. Stamper's experience in war must have given him the inspiration."

At the bottom of the picture is printed Christ's words of unconditional surrender to the Divine plan when He said, "Not my will, but Thine—"

Mr. Stamper has just returned from New York where he has been attending the University of Columbia, and after a few days rest will return for the coming term. He is working on his Master's Degree and will also further his study in art. Mr. Stamper is a graduate of Lincoln Memorial University, and a former teacher in Lee Public Schools. Upon the completion of his Master's Degree he plans to teach in college.

A Local Man Felt Like Swollen Balloon; Full Of Stomach Gas

Head to come

Recently a Pennington Gap man stated that he used to feel like a swollen balloon after every meal. He would bloat full of gas and spit up acidulous liquids for hours after eating. Was terribly constipated. This man is one of the hundreds in this vicinity who now praise ERB-HELP. He states he was amazed at the results when he took this medicine. Now he eats what he wants without gas or bloating, and bowels are regular for the first time in years. He feels like a new man.

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News From KEOKEE

Route 1

Little Shirley Jean Brown returned yesterday from a visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Brown, of Crumpler, N. C.

Miss Agnes Robbins spent Saturday night with her sister, Mrs. Reba Barnett, at Penlee, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cole announce the birth of a daughter born August 18.

Rev. Elmer Carter will conduct services at Burkhart's Chapel Saturday night, August 25, and Sunday, August 26, at 11:00 a. m. Everybody invited.

Hazel Carter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Carter, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Estil Brown, of Crumpler, N. C., this week.

Elmer Livingstone is visiting in Kingsport this week.

Mrs. Edith Carter has just returned from a visit with relatives and friends in North Carolina.

Little Douglas McElyea is looking for his brother, Pfc. Hubert McElyea, in any time.

News From DARRY

Mrs. Bill England and children were visiting in Middlesboro last week.

Clint Robbins and sons, Cecil and Dallas, of Robbins Chapel, were visiting his brother, Ernest Robbins, Sunday.

Miss Opal Peters spent last week in Middlesboro.

The ladies of the W. M. S. gave Mrs. Hugh Boyd a surprise birthday party last Friday night. Those who attended were: Mrs. Dillard Kinser, Mrs. Roscoe Peters, Mrs. Jim Dickey, Mrs. Bill Bailey, Mrs. Ernest Robbins, Mrs. Bill Shackleford, Mrs. Walter Sutton, Mrs. John Humbolt, and Miss Lillie Hedgecoth. Games were played and refreshments served.

Mrs. Boyd received many nice gifts.

A revival is being held at the First Baptist Church here by evangelists Rev. S. R. Ball and Rev. Loran Ball, and the pastor, Rev. Hugh Boyd. Everyone invited to attend these services.

A birthday party was given in hoonr of Miss Sue Giles last Saturday night. Many of the young folk attended, and Miss Giles received numerous nice gifts.

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Willie Edmond Vaughn, Rt. 1, Duffield; Arden Basil Witt, Pennington Gap; Leon Myers, Pennington Gap; Harold Gilbert Ely, Rt. 1, Dryden; Frank Spears, Rt. 1, Duffield; Talton Gerome Combs, St. Charles; Jerry Esmond Fisher, Johnson's Mill; James Levi Musick, Rt. 1, Dryden; Taylor William Gibson, Pennington Gap; Howard Dalmas Gibson, Leona Mines; Edgar Lucian Marcum, Rt. 2, Pennington Gap; Paul Silas Boggs, Olinger; Charlie Nusic Mitchell, St. Charles; Tip Tasco Taylor, Benedict; Benjamin Franklin Newton, St. Charles; John Barton Greene, St. Charles; Lawrence Earl Phillips, Rt. 2, Duffield; Isaiah Clarence Edgar, Leona Mines; Mack Yuhasz, Calvin; Curtis Wynn, Calvin; Luther Douglas Russell, Keokee; Benjamin Kenneth Wampler, Rt. 1, Big Stone Gap; Edward William McClure, Keokee; George Lee Hyden, St. Charles; Bascom Jerold Neely, Dryden;

Edward Crider, St. Charles; James L. Dean Rt. Pennington Gap; John Doyle Burk, Pennington Gap; Coy Miser, Pennington Gap; Charles Phillip Belcher, Rt. 1, Pennington Gap; Elma Dillon David, Pennington Gap; Ted Dean, Pennington Gap;

Theo James Goins, St. Charles; Frank Benton Smith, Bonny Blue; Leo Larmer Vanhuss, Pennington Gap; Jay Daniels, St. Charles; Clelan Chester Musick, Dryden; Auburn Howard Mosley, Pennington Gap; Ray Earnest Daugherty, Pennington Gap; Levi Paul Hampton, St. Charles; Clint Williams, St. Charles; Tom Doyle, St. Charles; John Lewis Rhea, Pennington Gap.

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Chaplain Neil McKinnon Now Home On Leave

Chaplain Neil McKinnon, Jr., has returned from the European Theater of Operations and is spending a leave of absence with his wife, daughter, Flora Vista, and other relatives in Pennington Gap and other Southwest Virginia points.

Before his call to active duty in October, 1943, Chaplain McKinnon was pastor of the Derby-Arno churches, Big Stone Gap district Holston Conference, the Methodist Church, and has been a member of the Holston Conference since 1927.

After attending the Army Chaplain's School at Harvard University and spending nine months as post chaplain of the Air Depot Training Station, Albuquerque, New Mexico, he left for overseas duty August 8, 1943. First with the Eighth Air Force and later with the Ninth Air Force, he was located on air fields in Northern Ireland, Scotland, Wales, England, France, Belgium and Luxembourg.

Attached to the 322nd Bomb Group (M), the oldest B-26 Marauder group in the ETO, which bombed the beaches six minutes before the landings on D-Day, Chaplain McKinnon received the Presidential Citation and Bronze Stars for the Air Offensive Europe and for the Battle of Germany. After celebrating V-E day in Paris, he spent V-J day with his family in Pennington Gap.

At the close of his period of leave, Chaplain McKinnon will rejoin his unit at Seymour Johnson Field, North Carolina, which is scheduled for redeployment to the Pacific Theater of Operations.

Deaths AND FUNERALS

James Edward Young

James Edward Young, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Eleck Young of Loona Mines, died August 20. Burial was in McClure Cemetery at Jonesville, at 1:00 p. m., Aug. 21. St. Charles Funeral Home in charge.

Surviving are the parents, three sisters, Edna Lois, Mary and Anna Christine; four brothers, Hugh, Albert, Jimmy and Paul.

Elhanan H. Tritt

Elhanan H. Tritt, of St. Charles, died at Lee General Hospital Wednesday, August 22, after an illness of about six months.

Mr. Tritt was a member of the Primitive Baptist Church of Dominion, and of U.M.W.A. No. 6374. Funeral services will be held at the home Saturday, August 25, at 12:00 noon; burial in the Maness Cemetery at St. Charles.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Annie Tritt, of St. Charles; and the following sons and daughters: Mrs. Stanley Crutchfield, Detroit, Mich.; Mrs. Ernest Willis, Norton; Edgar, Burchel, Lanada, Everette, Wilgus, Ewel, Charles Tritt of St. Charles; two brothers, Henry Tritt, of Ages, Ky., and John Tritt of Verda, Ky., one sister, Mary Jessee, of Tazewell, Tenn.

Pfc. Stewart On Air

Parents, relatives and friends of Pfc. Chilton Stewart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Stewart, had the pleasure of hearing him broadcast over WRVA, Richmond, Va., Tuesday evening, August 21.

The broadcast was an interview between Pfc. Stewart and WRVA'S War correspondent, Jack Stone. The two met recently on Leyte, in thePhilippines.

A recording was made of the interview, and will be sent to the parents, according to a letter from the Production Manager, Sam Carey

T. Sgt. Crowell May Change His Location

Reports from Tech. Sgt. R. P. Crowell, in the Station Hospital at Greensboro, N. C., indicate he is having some difficulty in getting his wounded leg to heal, and will probably be transferred to a change of climate.

Sgt. Crowell was wounded when his plane was shot down over Belgium last December 24. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Crowell of Pennington Gap.

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TRACT NO. 2

14 acres land and timber at Hagan, Va. Fronts Poor Valley road just east of underpass at Myers' Store and west of Union Church. Iron ore rights and timber goes with it. Price $550.00, all cash or terms. The two above tracts belong to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hobbs of Hagan, Va. Reason selling, they don't need them. Anyone interested go look then phone or see me. Subject to being sold.

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7 acres bottom land, facing on new highway 529 feet. Heavy bridge from main highway to home.

10 acres pasture and timber, also other good building sites. Located 2 miles east of Pennington Gap. Near good church and school, on Dry Branch Highway.

Price for quick sale at only $5,000.00. Cash or terms. Owners, Mr. and Mrs. Creed Rutherford. GO LOOK! Reason for selling: Owner wants to buy farm in Indiana, near his people. Possession in 40 days after deed is made.

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All right, you people who have been wanting a nice home in Pennington Gap, in good neighborhood near High School.

The Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Payne home, with beautiful shaded lawn and good garden.

Six-room house on lot 150 ft. by 150 ft. Has nice hedge, grapes and shrubery. Out-buildings, hot and cold water in house. Large basement and two porches. Located in west end near Fred Howard's Store. Price $4,100.00. Cash or terms. Go look, if interested, see me. Posession soon after sale. First come, first gets it!

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My 14 acres in Stewart and Waddell town. Big worth more every day. The power company located light line through place this week.

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My 38 acres, with lots of timber and good four-room home, located 1½ miles east of Pennington Gap, on Dry Branch. Price $2,000, cash or terms. House now empty.

The Perle Stewart nice log cabin and 17 acres land near Nigger Head Rock. Price $1,800, cash or terms.

8 nice lots in new Allen Addition, Dryden, Va. Price $1,500, cash or terms.

4½ nice lots in Kelly Addition, facing new highway, west of overpass in Cane Creek bottom. Price $650.00, cash or terms.

5-room home in Virginia Lee Camp. Price $1,250.00, cash or terms.

4-room house at Maness, price $1,200, cash or terms.

6 lots in East End Pennington Gap, near State Highway and Kentucky road cut-off. Price $750.00.

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Also Late News

Friday and Saturday, August 31—September 1

DOUBLE FEATURE

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—with—

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—also—

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—with—

Edward Everett Horton

SERIAL

News From
JONESVILLE

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Friends of Mrs. W. Z. Orr of Jonesville, will be glad to know she is able to be out again after a long illness.

Friends of Mr. J. M. Tomlinson (Uncle Jimmy) of Duffield, regret to learn that he continues very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Byington are visiting friends in Michigan this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Roberts attended the Oddfellows meeting at Woodway Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Bledsoe and children were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Matt Cooney of Ben Hur Sunday.

Mrs. Etta Green and daughter, Ardath Jo, visited Mrs. Green's sister, Mrs. G. W. Ball, and Mr. Ball, Friday afternoon. Miss Green is spending her leave with her mother in Pennington Gap.

Miss Georgiana Ball of Anna, Ill., arrived Sunday for a short vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ball. Miss Ruby Ball, who has attended Columbia University this summer will arrive Tuesday for a few days before leaving for Vancouver, Wash., where she will teach art in the high school.

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News From
OCOONITA

Misses Louise and Betty Ingle of Loyal, Ky., are spending the week with their two grandmothers, Mrs. Julia Oaks and Mrs. Josie Ingle.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lawson and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Dennison of Ben Hur, were visiting relatives here this week.

Jo Marie Osborne, of Hagan, Va., spent the past week with her grandmother, Mrs. Julia Oaks.

Mr. and Mrs. EveretteFleenor of Dayton, Ohio, are visiting relativees here this week.

Mrs. Tom Cristella and children visited relatives at Stone Creek Thursday.

Mrs. Bertha Burton returned home last week after a week's visit with her brother and family in Indiana. She also visited her son, Chester, who is stationed in an Army camp near Ind.

Morgan Fleenor, Milford Fleenor and Gale Johnson left Thursday, August 9, to be inducted into the Army.

Marshall Ingle, Mrs. H. P. Hammonds, Mrs. A. J. Emmette, Mrs. Edward Emmette, Mrs. C. P. Mullins, Mrs. M. B. Burgan, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Burton and children, attended the Powell River Baptist Association, held at Stone Creek, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Mullins and son, of Mason, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Hagan Mullins and daughter of New Jersey, and Mrs. Ruby Pennington and children, of Baltimore, were visiting Mrs. Charles P. Mullins last week.

Clyde Pearson of the U. S. Navy, is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pearson.

Mrs. Jack Bolin and Henry Bolin and son of Dayton, Ohio, spent a few days with relatives here.

News From
DRYDEN

Mrs. M. E. Flanary was visiting her mother, who lives near Jonesville, Monday.

Mrs. Laura Noe is on the sick list, and her many friends are wishing for her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. E. R. Gilbert was visiting friends in Big Stone Gap recently.

Mrs. Martha Astrop and Mrs. Inez Huff made a business trip to Big Stone Gap recently.

Mrs. Virginia Merchant and Miss Margaret Bailey enjoyed a delicious dinner at the home of their sister, Mrs. Inez Huff, Sunday.

Among those attending the movie at Lee Theatre Saturday night were Mrs. Martha Astrop, Mrs. E. R. Gilbert, Bascom Neely and Eual Gilbert.

Mrs. Inez Huff and twin daughters, Bobbie and Billie, visited friends on Dry Branch Monday.

Homer Crawford, of the U. S. Army, is spending a 45-day furlough with his wife and children here.

Little Miss Carol Jane Huff is spending a few days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bailey of Pennington Gap, R. 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason Woolford have returned to New York after a short visit with Mrs. Maxie Cox here. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Mason Woolford, Jr., and small daughter, Judith Ann. The younger Mrs. Woolford was the former Miss June Cox of Dryden.

We have all heard the story of the sailors: they say that sailors always have a girl in every port, but the Army says "It's nothing to brag about; the soldiers have a girl on every porch."

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Quillen and small son were visiting her mother, Mrs. Bush, Sunday.

Mrs. Irene Crawford and Mrs. Mary Cox were calling on Mrs. Inez Huff Sunday.

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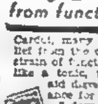

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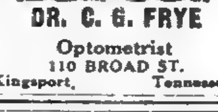

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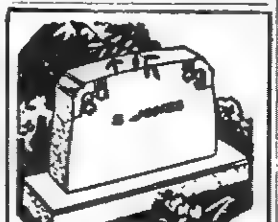

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News From
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Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Wilder and daughter, Carroll, of West Virginia, Miss Opal Wilder of Rose Hill, Va., and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Perry and daughter, Hallie, of Ben Hur, Va., were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Sanders and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Carson Robinette and daughter, Sammie, have returned home from Oak Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Marcum of Norton, Va., were visiting relatives at Blackwater, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Richardson and sons were visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Flanary Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Robinette visited in Big Stone Gap Sunday.

News From
BENEDICT

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Byrge and children visited relatives at Harriman, Tennessee, last week end.

Mrs. Dewey Estep and daughter, Louise, spent the week end with relatives in Appalachia.

Elmer Scarborough, employed at Royal Blue, Tenn., spent the week end with his family here.

Miss Jeanette Weston is visiting relatives at Sneedville, Tenn, this week.

Several from here attended the Odd Fellows celebration at Woodway last Sunday.

Mrs. Dexter Ward and children spent last week with relatives in Pineville, Ky.

A good many from here attended the Lee County Singing Convention at Elk Knob, Sunday and all report a nice time.

Mrs. Jake Lynn and daughters of Harriman, Tenn., were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Lynn and family here this week.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 1st day of August, 1945.

F. A. Stacey, Minnie Livingston, Maude Manning, C. E. Stacey, Hascue Lawson, Dorothy Baker, Nellie Lawson, Sue Oliver, Margaret Willis, Harmon Lawson, William Lawson, Howard Lawson, and Marie Lawson, who sues by Hascue Lawson, their next friend, Lloyd M. Robinette, executor of F. A. Maness,deceased, Complainants

vs. **Order of Publication**

Laura Kiser, Mary Begley, Martha Robinette, Frances Sizemore, Maude Osborne, Fred Charlton Stacey, Henry Stacey, Mildred Ford, Earl Maness, Ed E. Maness, Roy E. Maness, [illegible], Mary C[illegible], W[illegible], Wiley W[illegible], [illegible] Burchett, Nellie Warner, George Wilder, and Emma Lee Tonker Defendants

The object of this suit is to sell a certain 200 acre tract situated in the Hickory Hill section, Jonesville Magisterial District, Lee County, Virginia, formerly belonging to F. A. Maness, deceased, and to distribute the proceeds of said sale according to the terms of the last will and testament of the said F. A. Maness, deceased, dated July 18, 1928

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendants, Laura Kiser, Mary Begley, Fred Charlton Stacey, Ed E. Maness, Roy E. Maness, Alice Burchett, Nellie Warner, George Wilder, Emma Lee Tonker, Claude Wilder and Wiley Wilder are non-residents of the State of Virginia, and their last known address is Laura Kiser, Marion, N. C., R.F.D. 1, Mary Begley, 117 W. Tague St., Greenefield, Ind.; Fred Charlton Stacey, ASN 3388571, Co. E, A.P.O. No. 15665, c-o Postmaster, New York, N. Y.; Ed E. Maness, Ridge, Tenn; Roy E. Maness, Oak Ridge, Tenn.; Alice Burchett, Salem, Illinois; Nellie Warner, 406½ Days Ave., Buchanan, Michigan; George Wilder, ASN No. 33531112, 823rd Sig. Co., A.P.O. No. 492, c-o Postmaster, New York, N. Y.; Emma Lee Tonker, 406½ Days Ave, Buchanan, Michigan; Claude Wilder, address unknown; Wiley Wilder, SSMB 3-C., S. I., Division U.S.S Hornet, c-o Fleet Postoffice, San Francisco, California; it is ordered that they appear here within ten days after due publication hereof, and do what may be necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to each of the defendants at their last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
D. C. SEWELL, JR., Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p. q. L. M. Robinette.
Adv. No. 31-4t.

News From
KEOKEE

Pvt. P. G. Orender, of Camp Bragg, N. C., is spending a ten-day furlough here with his wife and two daughters, Lucille and Carol.

Mrs. Oral Lucas and daughters have returned to their home in West Virginia after spending several months here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Calton. They were accompanied by their sister, Pvt. Mary Calton.

Miss Lillian Townsend, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., spent last week end here with relatives.

Ed Calton is here from West Virginia visiting relatives.

Curtis Dixon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Dixon, is recovering rapidly after suffering an attack of diphtheria at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wolfe and daughter, Charlotte, visited relatives in Scott County for a few days last week.

Mrs. Bill Smith is recovering nicely after being bitten by a copperhead while gathering cucumbers the other day.

Miss Helen Howard, of Poor Valley, was a guest of Miss Margaret Asher last week.

Miss Crickett Arnette has returned to her home here after visiting friends in N. Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grabeel and son, Dannie, returned to Bluefield, Va., Monday, where Mr. Grabeel holds a position with the Internal Revenue Department. They have been spending a vacation with Mrs. Grabeel's mother, Mrs. D. S. Reasor and family.

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Methodist Church

Sunday morning, August 26: Church School at 9:30, Clyde M. Kirk, Superintendent.

Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon theme, "Voices in the Wilderness." Special music.

There will be no evening service, due to Camp Meeting at Jonesville.

Anyone from here desiring to attend this service please be on hand at the church at 7:00 o'clock, and transportation will be furnished.

On Monday the pastor will leave for Maryville, Tennessee, to conduct a two weeks tent revival.

Midweek prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Charlio D. Mehaffey, Pastor

First Christian Church

Sunday, August 26: Bible School at 10:00 a. m. Harry O. Hines, Superintendent.

Worship with communion at 10:45; sermon subject, "The Good Shepherd."

Christian Endeavors meet at 6:15 p. m. Mrs. Ruth Keith, Pres.

No preaching at night, as pastor will go to Union Church for evening worship.

Wednesday evening: Choir rehearsal at 7:00 p. m. Midweek prayer and praise service at 7:30.

W. B. Moore, Minister

First Baptist Church

Sunday, August 26, Sunday School at 9:30 a. m., A. T. Burchette, Superintendent. Morning Worship at 10:45, sermon topic, "The Secret of God's Blessings."

Training Unions meet at 6:30. Lt. Wayne Livesay will speak at the closing assembly. Everyone is invited and urged to attend.

Evening Worship at 7:30. Topic, "Building Against Doomsday."

Next week has been set apart as a week of study. Classes will be conducted each evening at the church for all members and prospective members of the Training Union. Classes have been arranged for Adults, Young People, Intermediates and Juniors.

Perry R. Stubbs, Pastor.

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One nice, 7-acre tract, just slightly rolling; beautiful location to build —real good land, in the Barlow subdivision, on top of Skaggs' Hill.

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Social and Personal

Mrs. J. E. Laningham is in Richmond this week with her husband, who is a patient in the University Hospital.

Misses Mary Ann Laningham and Peggy King are visiting with friends in Washington, D. C.

Barney Arnold is home on furlough. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Arnold, New Market, Va.

Now occupy new home

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Pennington and family are all settled in their pretty new bungalow south of the L. & N. Railroad, just across from Pennington Milling Company. This is one of the prettiest and most modern homes in Pennington Gap.

Miss Doris Dishner is reported improved at her home near Stickleyville after a long and serious illness. Miss Dishner is assigned as principal of Stickleyville School this coming term.

Mrs. J. S. Howard is visiting this week with relatives in Montery, Tennessee.

Mrs. W. J. Richards has returned from a vacation trip to "lots of places". She visited points in Tennessee, S. Carolina, Alabama and other states.

The John Dillinger Gangster Picture is coming to the Lee Theatre soon. Don't miss it!

Visitors in Rose Hill

Mrs. P. T. Parsons, of Big Stone Gap, and two sons, Cpl. Paul Parsons and Sgt. Henry Parsons, who have just returned from Germany, also Mrs. Henry Parsons and son, Charles Henry, Jr., of West Liberty, Ky., Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hubbard and granddaughters, Mabrey and Audrey, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hatcher Parsons of Rose Hill, Tuesday of last week.

Is called home

Henry E. Meade, AMM 2-C., of Corpus Christi, Texas, arrived home Monday, August 20, having been called on account of the serious illness of his mother, Mrs. H. T. Meade. Upon returning to duty, Meade will have 20 weeks of school in Chicago.

Mrs. Meade is reported improved.

Lt. and Mrs. Wayne Livesay were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pennington, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Evans have returned from a vacation trip to Lexington, Ky., Smoky Mountains and Ashville, N. C. Mrs. Evans will leave Monday for Charlottesville, Va., and Washington, D. C., on a visit.

Mrs. John H. Elliott and daughter, Anita, and Miss Mabel Cox returned to their home in Washington, D. C., last Saturday after spending two weeks vacation at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cox of Route 4, Jonesville.

Miss Ruby Ball, who has attended Columbia University this summer, will arrive shortly for a few days vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ball, after which she will go to Vancouver, Wash., where she will teach art in Vancouver High School. The Balls have with them another daughter, Dr. Georgianna Ball, of Anna State Hospital, Anna, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wolfenbarger and grandson, Jimmie, left last Sunday to visit their daughter, Mrs. Treva Saylor, of Timberville, Va., also their two other daughters, Ferne and Mrs. Ruby Satterfield, who are employed at the Zeigler Canning Company at Timberville.

Mrs. Ruby Satterfield and son, Dainy, and nephew, J. C. Saylor, were visiting in St. Charles last week and.

Those wishing to write James R. Saylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Saylor, of Timberville, Va., may use this address: James R. Saylor, S. 2-C., USS L. S. T., 526, c-o Fleet Postoffice, New York, N. Y. He would be glad to hear from friends and relatives in Lee County.

Flanary Family Reunion

The Flanary reunion was held August 12, at the home of Mrs. Roy Glass, of Emitsville, Md. Those present were:

Mrs. Earl Hurd, Mrs. Tura Flanary, Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Willon and daughter, Sharon Lee, of Marshallton, Del., Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Musick and daughters, Lucille and Doris, and son, Allen, of West Grove, Pa., Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wilson and children, Cecil, Juanita, Kenneth, Donald and Jean, of Taneytown, Md., Mrs. Katherine Shoemaker and daughters, Elizabeth and Frances, of Taneytown;

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Whisenant, of San Francisco, Calif., are seeing relatives and friends here again, after an absence of almost four years. They are former citizens of Pennington Gap, and while here Mr. Whisenant operated a radio shop.

During the War he served as Radio Technician in the U. S. Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Livesay, accompanied by Miss Betty Rhea Stout, left Wednesday for a visit with their son, Arthur Lane Livesay, stationed with the U. S. Army at Keesler Field, Biloxi, Michigan.

Mrs. Vern Tingley, of Thomasville, N. C., formerly Miss Ella Litton, was visiting relatives and friends in Lee County this week.

Mrs. R. W. Campbell and daughter were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Campbell and family of St. Charles.

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PEP PARADE CONTEST WINNERS

Vera Jean Reasor

Doris Benfield

Bobbie Housley

The Beautiful Baby Contest, and Most Popular Child contest, held in connection with "Pep Parade," a play sponsored by the Pennington Gap Lions Club for the benefit of the blind, resulted in a majority of votes for the above children.

Bobbie Housley, baby boy winner, received 490 votes. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Housley, Jr., and is two years old

Vera Jean Reasor, baby girl winner, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Reasor, and will be one year old September 4. She received 2,842 votes.

Virginia Doris Benfield, daughter of Chief of Police Claude H. Benfield, is winner in the Most Popular Child contest. She is eight years old and in the 4th grade at school. Doris received 5,122 votes. Doris' comment on winning was, "I thank the people who voted for me, and am glad to help in this cause."

Each child was presented a silver engraved cup by the Lions Club.

"Pep Parade" was given at Pennington High School Thursday and Friday nights, August 16-17.

Jonesville Women's Club Has Visitor

Mrs. Roy E. Kyle, President of the First District of Women's Clubs, visited the Jonesville Women's Club at their regular meeting Thursday evening.

After the dinner served by the Club in Mrs. Kyle's honor, she made a very interesting talk and stressed the two objectives of the Federation and the District, which are Youth Conservation and Community Service.

On request, Mrs. Kyle gave a humorous reading, which was very much enjoyed.

Courtney-Benfield

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Daniel Courtney, of Ben Hur, Virginia, announce the marriage of their daughter, Myrtle, to Claude Elmer Benfield, of Pennington Gap, Virginia, on March 4, 1945, at Harlan, Ky.

Before her marriage the bride was employed as Beauty Operator at Pennington Gap, where she is very popular among the younger set.

The groom at present is Chief of Police at Pennington Gap where the couple plan to make their home.

Miss Elizabeth Tompkins and Mrs. R. L. Tomlinson of Duffield, were the guests of Mrs. Clarence Cox, Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Frank G. Ort, of Tampa, Fla., and Miss Virginia Shortridge, a registered nurse of Grundy, Va., are visiting their sister, Mrs . Woodrow Kelly and family.

Mrs. J. M. Johnson, Bea and Alice; Mrs. Harve Cox and Ruby, were shopping in Bristol last week.

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Mrs. Serepta Glass, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Glass and daughters, Ruba and Ruth, of Emitsburg; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Glass and family, Inus, Kenneth and Robert.

Everyone enjoyed a delicious luncheon and had a wonderful time. Several visitors came after lunch to be with the crowd and to join in the fun.

Miss James Alice Laningham has finished her summer session at L. M. U., and is home until the 12th of September, when she will enter Virginia Intermont at Bristol.

St. Charles PERSONALS

J. Allen (Jess) Reese and wife of Lawrence, Kansas, are visiting his mother, Mrs. Lee Reese. Mr. Reese is Dean of the School of Pharmacy at the University of Kansas at Lawrence.

Ezra Gilliam, manager of Tepper's Department Store, has returned from a business trip to Cincinnati.

Miss Maxine Phillips has returned from Racine, West Virginia, where she attended the funeral of her grandfather, Chat Belcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur English, of Leatherwood, Ky., visited Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Smith last week. Mr. Smith went to Pineville Ky., this week for medical treatment. He has not fully recovered from the shock of losing an arm in service overseas.

D. C. Maness, of Bonny Blue, has returned from overseas service and is home with his family.

Family Reunion At Myers Home Last Week

By Rev. D. B. Cooper
Knoxville, Tenn

The annual family reunion of Mrs. Henry F. Myers and family was at the home-place near Woodway, on Tuesday of last week. Nine of the ten sons and daughters were present with their families. All the 26 grandchildren, except four in the armed forces, were present. The bountiful dinner on the ground consisted of country hams, fried chicken, homemade cakes and many other good eats.

On this second Tuesday in August, which this year was V-J Day, there were both rejoicing and a solemnity as all bowed their heads in prayer of thanksgiving, petition and dedication to God.

With the thought always of the deceased husband and father, the late Henry F. Myers, there is the desire and purpose of meeting in a great and glorious Family Reunion in the Heavenly Home.

Mrs. W. H. Stout, of Crabtorchard, W. Va., is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Victoria Hurst and other friends and relatives here. Mrs. Stout is the widow of the late W. H. (Hop) Stout, a former citizen of Pennington Gap.

GM 3-C. Charles Beverly has returned to his post at Seattle, Washington, after a two-weeks' vacation here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Beverly and other relatives. He was accompanied on his return by his wife, Mrs. Margaret King Beverly.

Mrs. Inez Smith, who is employed at Arlington, is enjoying a two-weeks' vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Smith, of Route 2.

Miss Millicent Watkinson, of Bonny Blue, has gone to Blue Diamond, Ky., on vacation.

Cpl. Lynn Williams and Mrs. Williams have just completed a two-weeks' furlough with their parents here, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Beverly and Mrs. Emma Williams.

C. W. Davis, of Elbert, W. Va., is visiting his daughter, Mrs. C. B. Fry and family.

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Town Talk

About This, That, And The Other

Camp meeting

Camp meeting at the old Jonesville Camp Ground has for about the 135th time faded into the background of history, to be no more until the last week in August, 1946 This date has been the official date as far back as we or our parents or grandparents or perhaps great grandparents can remember. This year's session closed Sunday night, August 26th.

Lots of people attended Camp Meeting Sunday—came mainly in cars, of course, or buses, over smooth and wide highways. Quite a contrast from the oxen drawn wagons over rough and rocky roads in the first years of the Camp Meeting custom which had it's beginning in 1810; the horse, buggy and carriage period of later years; but the meeting was held under the same old shed that marked it's beginning; and the same hewn logs that were used in it's first construction are still there; and some of the old songs written by men who lived long before even the first Camp Meeting service, were sung. Those songs, many of them, have come across the years from the Wesleyan age, but are still beautiful and much loved.

It's a guess what future Camp Meetings will be like—say, for instance, another 135 years. Maybe we'll hop in our private airplanes, press a new-fangled and harnessed atom button and in a jiffy be right there. At any rate, Camp Meeting is a grand and sacred occasion. Long may it live!

Congratulations to the Judge

Outstanding visitors in Pennington last Sunday were Judge Albert Ball and Mrs. Ball, of Harlan, Ky., who had dinner at Pennington Hotel.

Judge Ball celebrated his 97th birthday anniversary Saturday, August 25, it is said. He still looks well and strong.

What's in a name?

A small girl, accompanied by her father, recently made a trip to Detroit for a visit with relatives. Upon their return home the girl was chagrined to find that her father had taken a different bus, due to the crowded condition of the one she was on.

Everything went very well, however, until next day, after sleeping nearly all night, the girl inquired of a passenger what would be the next stop.

"London," was the reply.

The child was very much frightened at that until the kindly old gentleman explained that there was a London, Ky., as well as England.

Briefly speaking

The outlook for a good black walnut crop is good, judging by the trees along the highway which seem to be right full.

Lots of fogs during this month, which, according to old-timers, denote as many snows this winter.

J. V. Graham is building a new concrete dwelling on his dairy farm near Pennington.

Perle Stewart is improving his property considerably.

That hydrangea bush over on the Hospital grounds is about the prettiest we've seen.

Back home

Mrs V. M. Pence and mother, Mrs. Lillie A. Pennington, who have lived in Mrs. Pennington's property on Joselyn Avenue for the past three years, have moved back into Mrs. Pence's brick home in West Pennington, and Mr. Jess Williams and family now occupy Mrs. Pennington's property.

Sept. Term Of Circuit Court To Open Mon.

Several Cases of Long Standing To Be Tried During Term of Court

The September term of Lee County Circuit Court will open at Jonesville Monday, September 3, with Judge George Morton presiding.

The grand jury will be empaneled on Monday, September 3, and will remain in session as long as there is business to be disposed of.

The first week of the court will be given to the disposition of civil cases. Several of these cases are docketed, including gambling, public intoxication, and various other civil offenses. The trial of misdemeanor and criminal cases will begin September 11. Several of these are cases of long standing, carried over from June term of court. Among them are:

The Commonwealth Vs. Clyde Yount, charged with cutting and wounding Clyde Sexton on election day, 1944.

Commonwealth Vs. Bill Maggart and others, charged with wounding Sidney Wade and Fred Walters. This is an old case that occured at Keokee more than a year ago.

The case of the Commonwealth Vs. Bert Buchanan will come up September 13. Buchanan is charged with killing his cousin and neighbor, Clarence Crusenberry, at Turners Siding, just above St. Charles, several months ago.

D. C. Shephard will be tried on a charge of maliciously wounding Jim Fleenor, and J. E. Cleusman and others will be tried on a charge of housebreaking.

Probably one of the most interesting cases to be tried will be that of the Commonwealth Vs. Emory Head and others on the charge of murdering Coy Bishop. This is the case where Bishop's mangled body was found on the L. & N. Railroad track at the overhead bridge, near Pennington Gap, several months ago. From the evidence it appeared that he was first murdered and then placed on the track to make it appear that he had been run over by a train.

First Baptist Church

Sunday morning, September 2: Sunday School at 9:30, A. T. Burchette, Superintendent.

Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon subject' The Big Three".

Training Unions meet at 6:30. Sermon subject, "Come Out From Among Them."

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30.

P. R. Stubbs, Pastor.

Notice To Members Pennington Lions Club

The following members of Pennington Gap Lions Club have been selected to assist in the operation of the Fair Stand on the days designated below.

In the event it is not possible for the member to serve on the date designated by the committee, the member will please arrange with the chairman to exchange dates with some other member. One member has been asked to assume the responsibility for the day designated, and will be listed as chairman.

Monday, September 3.

Lion David, chairman; Lions: Robbins, Smalley, Pennington, Harr, Carr.

Tuesday, September 4.

Lion Berry, chairman; Lions: Setzler, Moore, Henderson, C. L. Fletcher.

Wednesday, September 5.

Lion Chinsky, chairman; Lions: Pugh, McDaniel, Teague, Culbertson, Anderson.

Thursday, September 6.

Lion Stubbs, chairman; Lions Parsons, (J. W.) Parsons, R. C., Hays, Smalley.

Friday, September 7.

Lion A. Vaughan, chairman; Lions: Pierce, Blackwell, Anderson, Kauffman Hines.

Saturday, September 8.

Lion E S. Vaughan, chairman; Lions: Fletcher (Roy), Gibson, Flanary, Carpenter, Fry, Parr, Dellinger, Pennington

The chairman suggests that each day operation chairman contact the members assigned to him, to work out hours, etc.

Respectfully,
The Committee
A. S. Pennington,
Chairman.

Local Board To Operate On 40 Hour Schedule

Selective Service Board No. 1, Jonesville, Lee County, Va., and Selective Service Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, Lee County, Va., will work on a 40 hours per week schedule, effective as of August 26th.

Offices will be open to the public 8 hours each day, Monday through Friday.

OPA Board To Operate On Five Day Schedule

Effective August 27, the OPA Board at Jonesville, has been notified to go on a five-day per week schedule, office to be closed to the public on Saturdays, also on Labor Day, Sept., 3rd.

BROTHERS CELEBRATE VICTORY

ENSIGN CURTIS BROOKS

HUBERT TY BROOKS, S. 1-C

Ensign Curtis Brooks and Seaman Hubert Ty Brooks, write their mother that they celebrated the surrender of Japan by a reunion meeting in the Philippines. They also write that it was a joyful time over there with everyone when the surrender came. The Brooks boys have been separated for almost two years.

They are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Brooks of Pennington Gap.

Lee County Men Who Have Been Discharged From Armed Forces

We wish to advise all employers of the following Lee County men who have been separated from the services of the Armed Forces of the United States. Re-employment Committeeman Cam J. Lewis, of the Local Selective Service Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, Va., or Miss Marie McNiel, chief clerk Selective Service Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va., will gladly assist employers in contacting men.

Mr Lewis may be reached at Local Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, Va., and Miss McNiel at Local Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va.

A list of Lee County men discharged from the Armed Forces will appear in this newspaper each week as they are furnished to us by the two Local Selective Service Boards in the County.

Fred Lee Spears, Rt. 1, Pennington Gap; Isaac Earl Smith, Rt. 1, Duffield; Roy Eckle Pennington, Leona Mines; Charles Foster Vandergriff, St. Charles; Hester Fane Mulwee, Keokee; James Curtis Morris, Keokee; Bennie Lee Rutherford, St. Charles; John Henry Rocke, St. Charles; James Clyde Myers, Dryden, Rt. 1; William Grant Morefield, Rt. 1, Dryden; Edgar Morris, Calvin; James Reginale Wax, St. Charles; Claudeous M. Land, Rt. 1, Pennington Gap; William Leffer Belcher, Dryden; Robert Lee Brownbey, Pennington Gap; Lawrence Elmer Barker, Keokee; Hershel Robert Stapleton, Pennington Gap; Raymond York, Pennington Gap; Donald Ray Carter, St. Charles; Ralph William Walters, Calvin; Haze Willard Kirk, Rt. 1, Pennington Gap; Joe Miller, St. Charles; Mitchell Maclin Moore, Rt. 1, Keokee; Kelly Lawson, Rt. 1, Big Stone Gap;

Tent Revival Begins At Beech Springs

Rev Walter Van, a Baptist minister of Memphis, Tenn., will conduct a tent revival at Beech Springs, located half-way between Jonesville and Rose Hill, beginning Sunday, September 2, at 7:30 p. m.

Uncle Ned Thacker, who has been a singing teacher for the past 37 years, will conduct the singing.

Everybody invited to attend these services.

Lee County Garden Club To Meet September 5

The Lee County Garden Club will hold it's regular monthly meeting Wednesday, September 5th, in the Home Economics Cottage at Jonesville, with Mrs. George P. Cridlin, Mrs. Don Couk and Miss Saluda Sewell in charge of the program.

A full attendance is desired.

17-Year-Old Merchant Marine Is Drowned At New Orleans

Edward Edens, 17-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Edens, who live at Seminary, in upper Lee County, was drowned at New Orleans on August 23, when he was washed overboard by high winds while serving on his ship with the Merchant Marines.

The body was returned here, and funeral services were held at Ben Hur Church, Wednesday morning, August 29, by the pastor, Rev. Presley. Interment was in the Cemetery near his home.

S. Sgt. J. N. Ely, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph N. Ely, is here for a 30-day furlough.

Entertainment Fills Labor Day Opening

LEE COUNTY MINISTER OF MANY YEARS DIED MONDAY NIGHT

Rev. James Ely died at his home in the Dry Branch community, near Pennington Gap, Monday night, August 27, at the age of 78, following an illness of several months.

Rev. Ely had lived in Lee County practically all his life, and for about 38 years has been active in the ministry of the Methodist Church.

Funeral services were held at Ely Memorial Church Wednesday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, in charge of Rev. L. D. Perkins, of Jonesville, Rev. Nelson Graham, of Dryden, and Rev. Robert Tickle, of Stickleyville. Burial was in the family cemetery near the home.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Addie Parsons Ely; five daughters, Mrs. 'Ada Parsons and Mrs. Kittie Brown, of Detroit, Mich.; Mrs. Ora Collingsworth, of Atlanta, Ga.; Mrs. Venice Maxwell, Appalachia, Va., and Mrs. Marie Slemp, of Dryden, R. F. D.; three sons, Ralph, of San Francisco, Calif., Robert and Hagan, of Vancouver, Wash.; two sisters, Mrs. Minnie Vaughan and Mrs. Nancy Myers, both of Dry Branch; two brothers, John and Charles Ely, both living in the Dry Branch community.

Methodist Church

Sunday morning, September 2: Church School at 9:30, Clyde M. Kirk, Superintendent.

Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon by Rev. Arnold Johnson.

Special music: Miss Laura Jean Fugate,soloist.

Evening: Young Peoples' Groups meet at 6:30. Sermon at 7:30 by Rev. Arnold Johnson.

Midweek prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Charlie D. Mehaffey, Pastor

First Christian Church

Sunday, September 2: Bible School at 10:00 a. m. Harvey O. Hines, Superintendent.

Worship with communion at 10:45: sermon by Rev. Edsel F. Pugh, Pastor of Fort Trial, Virginia, Christian Church.

Christian Endeavors meet at 6:15 p. m. Worship with sermon at 7:30 p. m.

Choir rehearsal Wednesday at 7:00 p. m.

Prayer and praise service at 7:30, followed by meeting of the Official Board.

W. B. Moore, Minister.

Six Big Days; Shows, Live Stock Exhibits To Be Very Outstanding

The 1945 version of the Lee County Fair will open Monday morning, September 3 with a big Labor Day program that will thoroughly entertain.

Monday's schedule calls for Hot Shot Elmer and his gang from WNOX at 8:15 and 8 p. m. The Flying Allens' balloon ascension. The 90-ft. high act of the Aetenos, band parade and various other entertainment concluded by fireworks.

Tuesday, another balloon ascension, free circus acts, Pan Handle Pete and his band, radio broadcasts, etc.

Wednesday, childrens day, with final balloon ascension, Cas Walker and his band in person from Knoxville, circus acts, fire works, band parades, live stock parades, the biggest of the days for kids.

Thursday, the grand horse show at night, radio stars, including Lost John and his Allied Kentuckians from WNOX, evening and night, live stock, circus acts, fireworks, etc.

Friday, John Reedy and the Stone Mountain Hillbillies, Circus acts, fireworks, parades, and concluding with the greatest horse show.

Saturday, a combination of all days put into one.

The Midway will be amply supplied with the Jones Greater Shows, an outstanding carnival that will bring many rides, including the dive bomber, tilde-whirl, silver bullet, ferris wheel, merry-go-round, swings, etc.

Many shows, including WONDER CITY with scores of robots. This show was completed in Denmark and took three years to construct. Circus side shows, comedy shows and various others.

Stewart's war relic display will be one of the biggest features ever produced here. Farm and agricultural displays will certainly be worth seeing.

Inman Man Hurt In Motorcycle Accident

Walter Moore, 28, of Inman, Va., was brought to Lee General Hospital last night unconscious from head wounds suffered in a motorcycle accident at the barricade detour just west of Dryden.

Steve Bledsoe, a taxi driver, of Pennington Gap, states that Moore passed him on the motorcycle coming toward Pennington; that he seemed to be making excessive speed; and that he did not detour but headed straight into the barricade.

His condition was reported "fair" at Lee General Hospital this morning.

Barbeque at Jonesville

The annual Extention-TVA Barbeque was held at the former CCC Camp at Jonesville, Wednesday, August 29, at 4:00 p. m.

H. A. Powers, of the Agricultural Relations Department, Tennessee Valley Authority, was present and gave an interesting talk. Also on the program were B. A. Warriner, of the V. P. I. Extention Service, and D. T. Painter, Supervisor of the Demonstration work. Mr. Painter presented the sound color film "Living Rock," which was greatly enjoyed.

A crowd estimated at approximately 150 was present.

Scrap Paper Will Be Collected Sept. 4

Mrs. B. D. Ferrill, of Jonesville, chairman, Scrap Paper Drive, announces that collection of scrap paper will be made September 4th, and shipment will be made September 5th.

All homes and business houses are asked to have their scrap paper ready by September 4th

Prominent Citizen Of Dryden, Died Sunday

Former Lee Co. School Teacher, Athletic Coach

Paul Ely, 42, was found dead in bed at his home in Dryden, early Sunday morning, August 26, and an autopsy revealed that he had died about 1:30 a. m.

Mr. Ely had not been feeling well for about three weeks, according to reports, and on Saturday evening before his death Sunday morning, he had arrived home from Detroit, Michigan, where he had been employed by the Continental Motors Co.

Mr. Ely graduated from William and Mary College in 1925, where he was an outstanding baseball star. For several years he taught in Lee County Public Schools, and was an outstanding athletic director. He taught several terms in St. Charles High School, where he directed the baseball, basketball and football teams, winning championships with all his teams. He was a former member of the Lonesome Pine League.

He served as principal of his home town school in Dryden, and also taught at Flatwood, Elk Knob and Calvin.

He was a member of the Methodist Church of Dryden.

Funeral services were conducted at the home at 2:00 o'clock Monday afternoon, August 27, by the Rev. Joe Peebles, pastor of the Methodist Church. Burial was in Gilbert Cemetery at Dryden.

Mr. Ely was a son of Dr. and Mrs. Grant Ely, of Dryden, who survive. Other survivors are: the widow, Mrs. Ina Litton Ely; one daughter, Louise, one son, Frank, two sisters, Mrs. Bradley Flanary and Mrs. Lula Wade.

Four Lee Co. Marriage Licenses Issued In July

Lee County is still showing a low marriage rate, there only being four licenses issued during the month of July, according to records in the Clerk's Office at Jonesville. It is practically certain, however, that Harlan County, Ky., will equal if not exceed this number of Lee County couples, as many now make the trip over there for their weddings. The licenses issued at Jonesville were to:

Daniel Wells, 32, of Ben Hur, and Melous Martin, 23, of Pennington Gap.

Fayette Collins, 41, and Maudie Lawson, 42, both of Duffield.

Wayne W. Livesay, 23, and Anna Ruth Jessee, 19, both of Pennington Gap.

Oscar Hall, 25, of Jonesville, and Virginia Yates, 18, of Benedict.

So far, six licenses have been issued during the month of August.

St. Charles - Dunbar Meet At St. Chas. Sun.

Jonesville - Oreton Fight to Stay In Playoff

Manager Sam Riddle's Dunbar Riddlers made a riddle out of "King Tut" Stapleton's Lonesome Pine League leading St. Charles Miners at Dunbar Sunday, gobbing the Miners 5 to 2 for their first defeat since way back in June when the Riddlers took them for two.

They're still hunting for lost balls at Leeman field in Pennington Gap, where the Pennington lads shellacked the Capitol Town boys of Jonesville 20 to 11.

Oreton is celebrating a 3 to 2 win over Cumberland which put them into a tie for participation in the playoff.

Next Sunday will decide a lot as to who may stay in the first four brackets which qualify for the shaughnassy playoff which starts in three weeks.

Dunbar will journey to St. Charles; Pennington Gap will invade Jonesville, and Cumberland will cross the tall black mountain over to Oreton.

There was much interest at Dunbar Sunday as Sam Riddle's revamped, revised and renovated Riddlers, cleaned house with the St. Charles Miners who cinched top slot in the League even by handing down a loss to Dunbar 5 to 2. Sam Riddle rolled King Tut Stapleton all over the field with joy, but Stapleton was anything but happy, he was losing a grudge game to his toughest opponent.

Dunbar outplayed St. Charles from the first pitch, the game going along on even terms at 2-2 until the fatal eighth inning when Dunbar scored three runs

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St. Charles-Dunbar Meet Last Time At St. Chas. Sunday

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after two men had been retired, thus putting the game on ice where it ended without St. Charles again threatening to overcome the lead.

The masterful veteran, Red Walker, went the route on the mound for St. Charles, allowing Dunbar 12 hits. Sage lasted six innings for Dunbar, retiring in favor of Porter in the seventh with the score tied at 2-2. Porter showed great style in the relief role permitting the league's best hitting club bit one hit in three innings.

Shelburne, Pope and Wooliver led the Miners' hitting with 2 hits each. Bob Peters led Dunbar with 3 for 4.

After the searching party finds all the lost balls during this very hectic ball shortage at Leeman field in Pennington Gap where Pennington and Jonesville lambasted out 40 hits and 31 runs, they will be able to play again next Sunday.

The tail-enders of Pennington who showed great style in this latter part of the season for the past several gameas, touched Jonesville's pitching staff for 22 hits and 20 runs. Reasor led with 5 for 6. Melzoni and Johnston had 4 for 5 each. T. Myers and Shelburne 3 each while H. T. Myers had 2 for 5.

Paul Roop led Jonesville with 4 for 5, Chance and Davidson collected 3 each while Neff and Horton each added a couple.

Bowen started on the mound for Jonesville, Reasor started for Pennington Gap.

June Mabe fireballed Oreton to a 3 to 2 win over Cumberland at Cumberland, thus pitching his mates to a tie with Jonesville for fourth slot.

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—and—
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—with—
DICK POWELL
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Thursday and Friday, September 6—7
HANGOVER SQUARE
—with—
Laird Creger—Linda Darnell

Saturday, September 8—Double Feature
Tex Ritter—Patti McCarthy
—in—
Gangsters Of The Frontier
and
THE HEAT'S ON
—with—
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One man recently took ERB-HELP three days and said afterward that he never would have believed his body contained so much filthy substance. He says his stomach, intestines, bowels and whole system were so thoroughly cleaned that his constant headaches came to an end, several pimply skin eruptions on his face dried up overnight, and even the rheumatic pains in his knee disappeared. At present he is an altogether different man, feeling fine in every way.

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SOCIAL - PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Kilgore and son, Gerald, of Flint, Mich., are visiting with Mrs. Kilgore's mother, Mrs. Ella Howard and family, of Pennington and with Mr. Kilgore's father, E. H. Kilgore, of Norton.

Mrs. Howard will return to Michigan with them Sunday, September 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Ora Fugate and two children, Larry and Judy, were expected to arrive here today for a visit with his brother, C. C. Fugate and family.

Mrs. Ella Howard and Mrs. M. C. Jennings spent Tuesday with their niece, Mrs. Hugh E. Boyd and Rev. Boyd at Kemmerer Gem.

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Advertisement

Mrs. Beuna Yeary and daughter, Mary Lynn, of Jonesville, spent Tuesday in Pennington Gap with Mrs. Minnie Kilbourne and mother. Mrs. Alice Turner.

Friends here will be glad to learn that Miss Virginia Legg, who has been ill from typhoid at the home of her grandparents at Three Point, Ky., is improving. She is the daughter of Mrs. Lucille Legg, formerly of Pennington Gap.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Billings and family have returned from a two-weeks vacation in Oklahoma City and other points.

SPECIAL FAIR PRIZES OFFERED

The White Lily Flour Company offers 50 pounds of White Lily flour for the winning cakes in Classes 4, 5 and 6, and 25 pounds flour for the second prize in these Classes, provided the cakes are made from White Lily Flour.

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Prosser Sumpter and Lloyd Murray, of Long Island, Conn., visited here last week with Mr. Sumpter's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Brooks.

Miss Maidee Seagraves is now home from Radford State Teachers College for a few days' vacation. She plans to return about the middle of September.

Mrs. R. R. Myers spent the past week end at Radford College, visiting her daughter, Miss Velda Myers,and attending the graduating exercises. Miss Myers is a member of the graduating class.

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Interested Parties See
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From where I sit ... *by* Joe Marsh

Lawn Mowers— Prewar Versus Postwar

Will Curry isn't falling for those pictures of a postwar life of ease. He was sweating over his lawn mower the other day, when somebody shows him pictures of a mower that runs under its own power.

"Shucks," says Will, "I *like* a lawn mower that gives you some backtalk and exercise. It gets the old blood circulating and works up a wonderful thirst.

"Then," Will adds with zest, "there's nothing in the whole world that tastes as good as a cheerful glass of beer!"

From where I sit, there's a lot of good sense in what Will says. A little honest effort never hurt anybody. And there should be more to our post-war plans than how to make life comfortable and easy.

Outdoor work—work you do with your hands and your back—ought to be part of everybody's post-war plans. And on a hot day, as Will says, there's always that sparkling glass of beer as a reward!

Joe Marsh

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Jonesville PERSONALS

Second Lieutenant LeRoy E. Stapleton, son of Mr. W. J. Stapleton, of Route 4, has recently been transferred to Chatham Field, Savannah, Ga., a B-29training base, it has been announced by the Chatham Field Public Relation Office.

Major Francis Nichols is home on leave with his wife, Mrs. Louise Miles Nichols, after a long service overseas. The couple will leave Friday for a visit with the Major's relatives in Pennsylvania.

Miss Eula Ruth Osborne, of Dayton Ohio, was in town Wednesday, enroute to her home in Blackwater, for a vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Osborne.

Attorney Robert B. Ely and family are away on a vacation. Mr. Ely didn't state their destination.

Miss Ruth Henderson, employed at Baltimore, Md., for the past several months, is home on a vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Henderson.

Marvin Edwards, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Edwards, has recently returned from several months" service overseas.

Former Private Howard Kirk and Mrs. Kirk, of Keokee, are visiting relatives here. Mr. Kirk has recently been honorably discharged from the U. S. Army service.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Delbert High and daughter are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Spangler.

Mrs. Kenneth Davidson and daughter of Eckman, West Virginia, is visiting her parents, and Mrs. Elizabeth Davidson.

Miss Jett Spangler, who has been employed at Maryville, Tenn., has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Meiman are spending a few days in New York.

Grover James is here on furlough, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Elige James.

Pfc. Wayne Pennington has returned to Georgia after an extended furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Pennington.

Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Weston and family of Thorpe, West Virginia, and Iva Lee Webb spent two days with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Weston and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Spangler.

Mrs. Will Catron, of Pocahontas, Va., has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. M. Weston and Mrs. Alice Fianary.

Miss Jean Spangler is spendher vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Spangler.

Mrs. C. G. Couk and daughter have returned home after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Weston.

Mr. and Mrs. Oren Mason spent last Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Olin Buell at Knoxville, Tenn.

Sgt. Elmer P. Jerrell has received his discharge and is now home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jerrell.

Patsy Jo Spangler and Dorothy Weston spent Friday night with Mrs. Earl Mahan.

Mrs. Paul Harber has been informed that her husband is getting his discharge and will soon be home.

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Birth Announcement

Friends here of Lt. and Mrs. D. R. Reveley, of Swarthmore, Pa., have received announcement of the birth of their daughter, Mary Withers, on August 23. Mrs. Reveley was formerly Miss Mary Floyd of Pennington Gap.

Hens—Chicks For Sale

35 laying hens and 85 small chicks for sale. Market price for cash. H. F. MEADE, Phone 125-W, Box 202, Pennington Gap, Va.
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Two Pennington Gap Boys Serving Aboard U. S. S. "Alabama"

Two Pennington Gap Navy men, E. Frank Duncan,, Jr., Chief Yeoman USNR, and Earl P. Minnix, Seaman 1-C., are serving aboard the USS "Alabama" somewhere in the Pacific. In one month's time the Alabama raided the Japanese mainland twice, bombarded a Jap-held island north of Okinawa and rode unscathed through a violent typhoon.

One of the raids against the Nip homeland was uneventful, but during the other operation the "Mighty A" as the Man-o'-war is called by her crew, ran into a hornet's nest of Jap suicide pilots.

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A free ride at the expense of the taxpayers is bad enough anytime. With the national debt nearing the 300 billion mark, it is high time the taxpayers sought an accounting from all government corporations which compete with taxpaying businesses.

Yet, no "knight of the road" ever faced an examining magistrate with greater reluctance than TVA faces the necessity of allowing the Director of the Budget to examine its accounts, or for Congress to regain some control over its now unlimited spending ability.

There is only one sound explanation for this attitude. If TVA ever is put on a businesslike basis, the whole structure of phony rates supported by trick bookkeeping must give way to charges based on actual cost of production—which means TVA rates will be no lower than those of business-managed utilities.

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Social and Personal

Mrs. Hubert Baird and little daughter, of Oak Ridge, are visiting her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Harber, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Harber.

Miss Mary McNeil is back home from New York, where she attended the summer session of Columbia University. On the way home she stopped in Washington, D. C. to visit with friends.

D. W. Burgan, one of our "old time" citizens, now living in Kingsport, spent the week end in Pennington Gap.

Rev. Edsel Pugh, Pastor of Fort Trial Christian Church, near Martinsville, Va., and ministerial student of Lynchburg College, is home for a few days and will preach in the First Christian Church here Sunday morning.

Don't fail to see the John Dillinger Gangster picture—"To the Shores of Iwo Jima," in technicolor, also News reel of the Stone Creek Snake Handlers, Monday and Tuesday, September 3-4, at Lee Theatre.

Shower for Mrs. Dean

Misses Aileen Emmette, Margueritte Hargraves, Helen Rogers and Mary Helen Payne were joint hostesses last Friday evening at a bridal shower for Mrs. Lawrence Dean, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Stewart.

The rooms were filled with young folk and several of the older. Appropriate games and contests were enjoyed. Mrs. L. V. Minor received the prize in the "dressing the bride" contest, and the "bridal bouquet" prize went to Miss Helen Middleton. A delicious dessert course was served, and the many lovely gifts opened and displayed.

Mrs. Dean was formerly Miss Emmalou Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Hura Payne and two children, Michael III and Nancy Lee, of Frostburg, Md., are visiting parents, relatives and friends in Lee County this week.

Mr. Payne is the son of Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Payne, and Mrs. Payne is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Duff, both of R. 1, Keokee. Mr. Payne was a student in L. B. I., the last two years of it's operation here, and later taught three terms in Flatwood High School. He is now instructor in science in Beall High School at Frostburg.

Don't fail to see the John Dillinger Gangster picture and "To the Shores of Iwo Jima," in Technicolor, also News Reel of the Stone Creek Snake Handlers, Monday and Tuesday, September 3-4, at Lee Theatre.

Miss Betty Oaks, of L. M. U., spent the week end with home folk here.

Don't fail to see the John Dillinger Gangster picture—"To the Shores of Iwo Jima," in technicolor, also News reel of the Stone Creek Snake Handlers, Monday and Tuesday, September 3-4, at Lee Theatre.

CORRECTION

We stated last week that Mrs. Inez Smith was here on vacation with her parents. This was in error. She is Miss Inez Smith, who will be returning to her employment at Arlington Friday after a two-weeks' vacation here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Hall and Mrs. D. C. Sturgill were shopping in Knoxville Saturday.

ALLEN—LEWIS

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Allen, of Pennington Gap, announce the marriage of their daughter, Joyce, to Cpl. Smith Lewis, son of Mr. and Mrs. McKinley Lewis, of Route 1, Pennington Gap, on July 25, at Harlan,, Ky.

Before her marriage the bride was employed at Green's Cafe.

Cpl. Lewis has served in the U. S. Army for almost six years, much of the time in the India-Burma-China Theater of operations.

The couple plan to make their home in Atlanta, Ga.

Graduate of August 25

MISS VELDA MYERS

Miss Velda Myers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Myers, of Pennington Gap graduated from Radford College, Woman's Division of Virginia Polytechnic Institute, August 25th.

Miss Myers graduated from Pennington High School in the class of '42, and entered college the following September. She has completed her work in three years, receiving a Bachelor of Science Degree in Home Economics.

She has been employed on a twelve months' basis for the coming year at Castlewood, Va.

Misses Virginia Green and Amy Jo Pennington are back at their homes here, after several weeks' employment with the DuPont Company in the Capitol City of Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bales have returned from a vacation visit with their son, Clayton Bales, of Atlanta, Ga.

Miss Katherine Green, of Kingsport, spent a few days recently with Miss Ruth Dabney Pennington. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Green of Kingsport.

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Sunday Dinner For A Soldier
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Wednesday and Thursday, September5—6
MUSIC FOR MILLIONS
—starring—
Margaret O'Brien—Jose Iturbi

Friday and Saturday, September 7—8
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Tuesday, September 4—Bargain Day
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I LOVE A SOLDIER
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Paulette Goddard—Sonny Tufts
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Wednesday and Thursday, September 5—6
DOUBLE FEATURE
Ann Baxter—John Hodiak
—in—
Sunday Dinner For A Soldier
and LT. ROBERT TAYLOR in
FIGHTING LADY
Also Late News

Friday and Saturday, September 7—8
DOUBLE FEATURE
LONE TEXAS RANGER
—with—
BILL ELLIOTT
—also—
I'LL TELL THE WORLD
—with—
LEE TRACY
SERIAL

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Town Talk

About This, That, And The Other

A chance acquaintance

The public spirited lady met a little boy on the street whose appearance did not exactly please her. Being a little near-sighted, she peered at him and asked:

"Little boy, haven't you any home?"

"Oh yes'm, I've got a home."

"And loving parents?"

"Yes'm."

"Are they bringing you up to be a good and useful citizen?"

"Yes'm."

"Will you ask your mother to come and hear 'me talk on 'When does a Mother's Duty to Her Child Begin?' next Saturday afternoon at three o'clock at the Lyceum Hall?"

At which the little boy exploded: "What's the matter with you, ma! Don't you know me? I'm your little boy!"

That atom bomb!

The Knoxville News Sentinel conducted a contest for the best letter in favor of and against the use of the atomic bomb on Japan. There's argument, of course, on both sides of the issue, but whether right or wrong, the bomb was used, and out of it's horrible destruction came peace.

And after all, in the final analysis of things, the supreme question confronting both nations will be "What did defeat do TO Japan? What will America do WITH her victory?"

All over

Vacations are over—Camp Meeting's over—two more days and the Fair will be over—even the snake handling cultists held their last open air meeting last Sunday—what now?

The next scheduled event is Hallowe'en, when the ghosts, goblins, witches and other spooky creatures will go on parade, and in all probability the town folk will enjoy another evening of fun at the annual school carnival. Tuesday, November 6, will be of special interest to voters, as that is election day. The next holiday that concerns everyone—young and old alike, is Thanksgiving Day, which is November 29. Governor Darden has decreed that there will be no divided Thanksgiving days this year in Virginia but that the State will go back to the original custom of observing the last Thursday in November.

School opening

Pennington High School made a good start off Monday, September 3. The preliminaries and opening exercises were brief for everyone, both teachers and pupils, seemed to be eager to get down to "real business," and within a short time after the opening period, looking in on the different rooms, it seemed school was in full swing instead of just begining.

Mr. Beeler very, happily and enthusiastically began the supervising of his eleventh consecutive term as principal.

In the Memorial Plaque hanging in the hallway are the names of twelve former students who have made the supreme sacrifice in World War II. They are: Orbin Wilder, George J. Williams, Paul Morris, Jack Williams, Julian Carter, Fred Lawson, Clay Coldiron, John A. Litton, Carl H. Barton, James N. Stapleton, Buddy (Verlin) Skidmore, Jack Collier. These names are not only engraven in the Memorial Plaque, but in the memory and esteem of the American people.

With the War over and the schools and colleges re-opening, the young people of America are indeed facing a great year, and our Nation should now be on it's way to bigger and better achievements.

Two more grown ups

Two more of our leading citizens are entering upon their gay nineties this month—W. T. Hall and G. W. Barlow. Mr. Hall's birthday was on September 3d, and Mr. Barlow's will be September 13th. Both are remarkably active and strong for their age; both have been members of the Masonic Order for a number of years, and both have held offices in the lodge.

St. Charles Topples Dunbar 10 to 1 Sun.

Pennington, Oreton Win Tough Games Ahead

Manager "King Tut" Stapleton's Lonesome Pine League leading St. Charles Miners finally riddled Manager Sam Riddle's Dunbar Riddlers from Wise County, at St. Charles Sunday by the top heavy score of 10 to 1. This was the Miners' first win over the Riddlers, having broken the season-long jinks that had dealt three consecutive defeats to the Miners by the third place Dunbar squad.

Pennington Gap won their third consecutive game in a row by defeating Jonesville 12 to 4 at Jonesville. Oreton used the ninth inning to overcome Cumberland 8 to 3.

The St. Charles Miners proved themselves worthy of top slot in the league standing Sunday by blasting out 17 base hits off three of Dunbar's top hurlers while the visitors had a tough time collecting six scattered singles off Tommy "Red" Skiles who held them scoreless until the ninth inning when an unearned score crossed the pan by virtue of errors Stahley started on the mound for Dunbar, giving way to Porter in the third. Brother Porter's fast ball didn't do so well, he was blasted to every corner of the field, being relieved by Peters in the eighth

Dame Pannell led the Miner's hitting attack with 4 hits for 5 trips to the plate, driving in five runs. Salty Foster followed with 3 for 5, Shelburne and Poe had 2 each. Sage led for Dunbar with 3 for 4.

Fugate Reasor pitched Pennington Gap to their fifth win, third consecutive to put them within range of possible entry into the shaughnassy playoff. Reasor defeated Jonesville 12 to 4 on their own home lot.

Manager Howard Lawson's Oreton Club lambasted Cumberland 8 to 3, coming from behind in the ninth inning with a heavy 7 run rally to conquor the second place Kentuckians and to put themselves into the shaughnassy playoff, pending of course, on the outcome of their next two games. Mabe pitched the Lawsonettes to victory. Darnell toed the slab for Cumberland.

Next Sunday St. Charles goes to Oreton. Dunbar plays Pennington Gap at St. Charles, (changing grounds because of the Lee County Fair now occupying the Pennington grounds.) Jonesville goes to Cumberland.

Calvin Serviceman Awarded Bronze Star Posthumously

Mrs. Florence Rice of Calvin, Lee County, is to receive the Bronze Star Medal awarded posthumously to her husband, Sgt. Millard Rice, it was announced by Brigadier General Don E. Scott, commanding general, Virginia District, Third Service Command.

Sgt. Rice was killed in action while serving with the 8th "Pathfinder" Infantry Division in Germany.

The official War Department citation reads, in part,, as follows:

"Sgt. Rice, with two others of his machinegun section, having been pinned down and separated from the rest of the platoon, attempted to make contact with the platoon Command Post.

"In full view of the enemy and exposing himself to enemy mortar and small-arms fire, Sgt. Rice maneuvered 200 yards over open terrain and noticed some of the enemy creeping up to the platoon Command Post. With the machinegun, the enemy was wiped out.

"Sgt. Rice's alertness and quick thinking are in accordance with the highest traditions of the military service."

Navy Recruiter Will Not Travel This Week

The Navy Traveling Recruiter, N. Mack, announces that he will not be traveling this week, but will be at his usual places of appointment the week of September 10.

Resigns Pastorate For Evangelistic Work

Rev. C. R. McPherson, pastor of St. Charles Methodist Church, has been given appointment as approved Evangelist for the Kentucky Methodist Conference, and will enter soon upon his new work.

He is now holding a revival at Roda, Va., and has meetings scheduled in Lennon, Mich., and in Illinois, West Virginia and Kentucky.

Rev. McPherson has served for four years as pastor of the Methodist Church in St. Charles, and during his pastorate a new modern brick church has been built to replace the smaller frame one which had been built in the earlier years of the town.

He will preach two of the remaining four Sundays before the Holston Annual Conference, after which he and his family will move to some point more convenient to his new work.

Lee County Men Who Have Been Discharged From Armed Forces

We wish to advise all employers of the following Lee County men who have been separated from the services of the Armed Forces of the United States Re-employment Committeeman Cam J. Lewis, of the Local Selective Service Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, Va., or Miss Marie McNiel, chief clerk Selective Service Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va., will gladly assist employers in contacting men.

Mr. Lewis may be reached at Local Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, Va., and Miss McNiel at Local Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va.

A list of Lee County men discharged from the Armed Forces will appear in this newspaper each week as they are furnished to us by the two Local Selective Service Boards in the County.

Everette Russell Bailey, Leona Mines; Edward Arnold Woliver, Pennington Gap; Samuel Bruce Young, Woodway; James Robert Williams, Pennington Gap; Henry Robert Osborne, St. Charles; Johnny Thompson, St. Charles; Lacey Ray Greer, St. Charles; Roy James Shuler, Rt. 1, Keokee; Henry Flanary, St. Charles; Frank Hyatt Duff, R. 1, Dryden; Henry Lee Grace, R. 1, Dryden; Edward Sproles, Bonny Blue.

Bert Bowman, St. Charles; James Dempsey Partin, Jr., Keokee; Ralph Howard Bailey, St. Charles; Angus McNeal David, Pennington Gap; Willie O. Cox, Dryden; Andy Rose Cox, Dryden; Dennis Cecil Harber, R. 1, Pennington Gap; Joshua Ewing Crabtree, Dryden; Hobart Garrett, Pennington Gap; Oliver Arthur Lewis, Jr., Bonny Blue; George Washington Carter, R. 1, Dryden; Omar Dee Warf, St. Charles; Ernest Ray Lundy, Pennington Gap; Glen Lavoy Ridenour, Pennington Gap; Lenie Jas. Mogris, R. 1, Keokee; Wheeler Emmett Fleenor, Woodway; Creed Lawrence Benfield, Pennington Gap; Charles Bledsoe, Johnsons Mill,; Edward D. Jensen, Pennington Gap; Eugene Denison, Pennington Gap; Wesley Kluck, St. Charles; George Olden Parsons, R. 1, Dryden; Cecil Denson, St. Charles; Boyd Emory Tindell, R. 1, St. Charles; Charlie Miller, St. Charles; George Newton Depew, Bonny Blue; George Buck Gibson, Duffield; Garland Ray Bartley, Dryden; Ray Vernon Mosley, R. 2, Pennington Gap; Charles Eugene Arnette, Keokee; Mack Sturgill, R. 1, Dryden; William Gene Burden, Bonny Blue; Shady Lee Stewart, Pennington Gap; Jake Barton Mc Eleyea, Leona Mines; Hayden Burnice Baker, Pennington Gap.

Clifford C. Fletcher, Pennington Gap; John H. Medley, R. 2, Pennington Gap; James Cloud, Keokee; O. B. Rose, St. Charles; James R. Freels, St. Charles; Thomas D. Neely, Dryden; Andy Carter Johnson, St. Charles; William Ernest Kaylor, Bonny Blue; Hubert Witt, Leona Mines; Claude Caudill, Bonny Blue; Alvis Buford Stidham, Leona Mines; Lonnie Howard Pennington,

VICTORY PROCLAMATION

Peace, attained by sacrifice and effort, has come to the world.

The Almighty God in His infinite wisdom has brought to an end the war which has torn the entire world since the invasion of Manchuria by the Japanese on September 18, 1931.

Victory Day is proclaimed.

Success has crowned the unstinted efforts of our American forces and those of our valiant Allies. Right has prevailed.

It is a universal duty to perpetuate and protect the peace. Never before in the history of mankind has there been such opportunity to end all wars.

None can forget the waste, destruction, suffering and death that have taken place

This is truly VICTORY. With our War mission accomplished, our peace mission begins. We must all accept and accomplish with faith and courage our mission of peace.

Although we have earned the right to be joyful, we must temper our jubilation in the memory of the unforgetable tragedy that has torn the hearts and taken the lives of millions of human beings

In our humble prayers of thanksgiving to God, let us dedicate ourselves to the uncompromising task of keeping ourselves strong and alert in upholding the American principles of freedom and justice; to preserve the security of our beloved Nation.

V-J Day directives of higher headquarters and those of the Third Service Command are now effective.

PHILIP HAYES
Major General,
U. S. Army
Commanding

Wise County Fair Opens Thursday, September 13

The Wise County Fair will open Thursday, September 13. A well prepared program has been arranged for the three days and nights of the Fair, consisting of thoroughbred horse races, nationally known radio entertainers from the Grand Ole Opera and other stations, high class free acts, balloon ascentions each day by the well known flying Allens from New York, pulling contests by heavy and medium weight draft teams from Wise and adjoining counties, exhibits that will show the progress of the County in the various farm products and pure bred live stock; also displays of foreign exhibits sent back from abroad. The Industrial School will be open at intervals to the public each day of the Fair. The Flower Show will interest the flower lovers.

The Kingsport American Legion Shows will be sponsored and operated by the Norton Legion Post No. 143. Pre-war prices only will be charged on all rides and shows.

Free admission to all service men in uniform, also free admission for all taxicabs and drivers Children under twelve years of age free until six p. m., on childrens' day, Thursday.

Methodist Church

Sunday morning, September 9: Sunday School at 9:30, Clyde M. Kirk, Superintendent.

Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon by pastor.

Special music.

Evening: Young Peoples' Groups meet at 6:30. Sermon at 7:30 by pastor.

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Charlie D. Mehaffey, Pastor.

Revival Begins At Admant Baptist Church

The Rev. R. B (Billy) Moyer, the Evangelist, Pastor of the East Cumberland Avenue Baptist Church, Middlesboro, Ky., will conduct a revival meeting at the Admant Baptist Church at Stone Creek, beginning Monday, September 10.

Everyone cordially invited to attend these services.

W. H. Parrott, Pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Marsee of Harlan, Ky., visited Mr. Marsee's sister, Mrs. Elbert Bailey and family recently.

E. F. Pugh Returns To College-Pastoral Work

Rev. Edsel F. Pugh is returning this week to his ministerial student work at Lynchburg College, where he hopes to complete his A. B. Degree within the next twelve months.

He has been on what he terms his summer "vacation," but in reality he has had a summer of many useful activities, which, he says, he has enjoyed immensley. He attended the Executive Committee meeting of the United Christian Youth Movement held at New York City the latter part of June. He also spent a week attending the Rural Ministers' School at V. P. I. He has preached in several of his home-county churches during the summer, and has assisted in various phases of church work. Only for a few days has he really "rested," having spent these few days with his mother, Mrs. T. H. Pugh, and family.

In addition to his college work, he is pastor of Ft. Trial Christian Church at Bassett, Va., R. 3, and goes there each week to conduct his church services.

Local Girl Injured When Hit By Auto

Miss Mary Hurst, daughter of Mrs. Victoria Hurst, is resting well today, though suffering nervous shock and minor injuries from being struck down by an automobile late Tuesday evening.

The car was driven by Mike Hines, a restaurant operator of Jonesville, it is reported, and in the car with him was Hagan F. Sewell, Rural Mail Carrier, also of Jonesville. The accident occured directly in front of the C. & G. Garage

According to eye witnesses, Miss Hurst, who is employed as clerk at Mac's Store, was walking along the curb on her way home from work, when the car apparently swerved too far to the right in order to avoid an approaching truck, and was hit by the car.

State trooper Fugate and Chief of Police Claude Benfield happened to drive up just in time to witness the accident, and took the affair in charge.

Home Coming At Lone Branch Church

Sunday, September 9, is the Home Coming Service at Lone Branch Baptist Church. Rev. Jackson, pastor of the Baptist Church of Jonesville, will preach. The colored choir of Norton will sing.

We urge all members of the church to come and bring dinner This is a great time to magnify God. Let's have a great day in the Lord.

E. C. Knicely, Pastor.

Accidents At Homes Cause Injuries To Two

Mrs. A. D. Rogers, local resident, had the misfortune of suffering a broken hip last Friday when she slipped and fell on a freshly-waxed floor at her home. She is in Lee General Hospital.

Mrs. W. S. Rose, of Big Stone Gap, dislocated her shoulder in a fall while gathering corn at her home. She stumbled over a stalk that lay on the ground. Mrs. Rose is also a patient in Lee General.

First Baptist Church

Sunday, September 9: Sunday School at 9:30, A. T. Burchette, Superintendent.

Morning worship at 10:45; sermon subject, "Shall We Forget?"

Special music.

Evening: Training Unions meet at 6:30.

Evening worship at 7:30; sermon topic, "Bearing Crosses."

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening at 6:30.

P. R. Stubbs, Pastor

Singing Convention At Woodway, Sept. 9th.

The annual Tri-State Singing Convention will be held at the I. O. O. F. Tabernacle at Woodway, Va., Sunday, September 9.

All choirs and quartettes are cordially invited.

Southwest Va. Burley Growers Organize

Victory Over Inflation Is Still To Be Won

More meat on the table

Housewives of Lee County can look forward to a better supply of beef "very soon"—it was announced yesterday by Chairman George P. Cridlin, of the Lee County War Price and Rationing Board.

He said that OPA has increased Class II slaughterers' quotas on cattle from 100 to 125 percent; for calves from 75 to 100 percent; and for hogs from 50 to 65 percent over last month's quotas.

The slaughter quotas for sheep and lambs remain at 110 percent, the same as the last previous period.

"This is in line with the agency's policy of keeping slaughter quotas as high as possible," Mr. Cridlin said.

At 1942 prices—and soon

Household washing machines will be back in the stores this fall at 1942 prices, according to an announcement made yesterday by Chairman Cridlin.

"Manufacturers will be required to tag the washing machines with their retail ceiling prices before they are shipped to retailers," Mr. Cridlin stated. This policy will be followed with all major reconversion items, according to OPA, so that "each family will be able to buy a washing machine and an ironer to fit its needs."

"If we are going to control inflationary pressures in Lee County, it is vital that consumers be protected against unnecessary increases in the cost of things they need to buy," Mr. Cridlin asserted

Production of ironers is expected to come along a little more slowly and it will be the first of next year before they will appear in sizeable lots.

Kitchen and aluminum ware

The prospect that long-scarce aluminum pots and pans will soon be available for Lee County housewives in quantity and at 1942 prices was held out yesterday by Chairman Cridlin. "Shoppers should remember, however, that kitchen and aluminum ware have been off merchants' shelves for a long time, and there is a large demand for them," Cridlin added. For many months, he said, stocks will not be at the point they were before the war.

"We are concerned with seeing that the consumers of this county are protected against unnecessary price increases in the reconversion period," Mr. Cridlin declared, and reiterated the oft-expressed principle of OPA that "the best way to smother the flames of inflation is to bury them under an avalanche of civilian goods."

We must hold the cost of living down if we are to avoid the pitfalls into which we stepped after World War I. And our policy of anti-inflation, reconversion pricing is the best way we know to do it," Mr. Cridlin said.

Automobile price ceilings set

After several months of study, OPA has devised a procedure by which manufacturers may compute their own ceiling prices, it was disclosed yesterday by Chairman Cridlin.

He said it appeared "most unlikely" there will be any gen-

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First Christian Church

Sunday, September 9: Bible School at 10:00 a. m., Elmo David, Assistant Superintendent in charge.

Worship with communion at 10:45. Sermon subject, "Being Ready."

Christian Endeavors meet at 6:15 p. m., Mrs. Ruth Keith, president.

Choir rehearsal Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock, followed by prayer and praise service at 7.30.

W. B. Moore, Minister.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Howard and son, Billy Gordon, returned last week from a two-weeks' vacation with friends in Tenn.

Mrs. Maude Fletcher Brown returned from Nashville, Tenn., last week accompanied by Mr. Brown.

J. H. Wheeler, Ewing, Elected Temporary Chairman of Meeting

Farmers of Southwest Virginia met recently at Bristol, Virginia Courthouse, to organize a Burley Tobacco Growers Association.

The purpose of the organization is to keep the growing of burley tobacco at its present high level of return to the producer, and to promote the interest of tobacco growing in Southwest Virginia Counties.

Representatives of six of the ten tobacco growing counties of Southwest Virginia named J. H. Wheeler, of Ewing, temporary chairman of the group, and Edgar Umbarger, of Washington County, temporary secretary. Robert E. Robertson, of Gibson Station, Lee County, was chosen on the tentative board of directors.

Temporary officers and directors of the Virginia Tobacco Growers Association met following the opening session to formulate organization plans and as their first official action passed a resolution asking the Abingdon Tobacco Market to reduce selling charges from 4 percent to 3 percent.

Representative John W. Flannagon, Jr., veteran representative in Congress from the Ninth Virginia District, and chairman of the powerful House agricultural committee, was present at the meeting and paid high tribute to the farmers of America for their part in bringing about the victory over Germany, Italy and Japan.

"Our American farmers have made it possible for our nation to have the best armed forces in the world, and to help in feeding our allied nations," he said. In his tribute to tobacco growers he said, "At the time when tobacco was selling for six, seven and eight cents on the Abingdon market, I paid 15 cents per package for popular brands of cigarettes. Tobacco companies were making so much money they didn't know what to do with it, paying their executives huge salaries and bonuses as a means of the gigantic surpluses to escape governmental taxation. Today, with tobacco selling at 40 cents per pound for good grades, I am paying the same price for a package of cigarettes.

I want to see everyone making a fair profit, for that is the only way to have a sound national economy. I want to see the farmer get a fair return for his labor and burley is the largest revenue producing crop in this section. The American tobacco grower now has a strong block in the National Congress. No legislation affecting the tobacco grower is submitted for enactment without first obtaining the approval of the producers, and I have yet to see tobacco legislation lose a fight."

John Jones, of North Middleton, Ky., president of the Burley Tobacco Growers Association of Kentucky, and Frank Taylor, Lexington, Secretary-Treasurer of the organization, attended the meeting, each presenting a strong case for unity among farmers if present high prices for tobacco are to be maintained after conditions become more settled in the peacetime era.

In a speech before the meeting Mr. Jones said in part:

"Unless the price line is held, the tobacco honeymoon is over. If you wish to keep your present place in the sun, you must organize to keep production in line with demand, for when there is a surplus of any commodity prices inevitably go down.

"The only way to control prices is to control production. High production and high prices are not synonymous. Controlled production in industry has resulted in the building of great fortunes. It is just good business.

Mr. Taylor explained the mechanics of an organization such as that proposed, giving figures on production, sales and prices. Following the two experts' talks those present voted unanimously in favor of forming an association.

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Victory Over Inflation Is Still To Be Won

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eral increase in the factory level of automobile prices.

There is every indication that prices on automobiles manufactured during the rest of 1945 will be about the same as present ceilings on 1942 models, minus, of course, the special charges allowed beginning early in 1942 to cover added costs to dealers from rationing," Mr. Cridlin explained.

Mr. Cridlin said further "any rumors" that ceiling prices on new cars were known now is "absolutely false" OPA has merely told manufacturers how to figure their own legal prices and it is up to them individually to handle this, subject to agency approval, he pointed out.

Butter costs fewer points

Chairman Cridlin yesterday reminded housewives that effective last Sunday through September 29, butter point values had dropped from 16 to 12 points a pound.

"We hope that this cut will remain in effect after the end of this month, but we can only go along on this basis until we see what develops in the supply situation," he said.

Sugar

Sugar Stamp No. 38, good for five pounds, expires December 31.

Shoes

Airplane Stamps Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 now good.

Editor Resents Attempt To Sell Seaway Plan On Basis Of TVA And Its "Phony Bookkeeping"

THE following editorial, slightly condensed to save space, is reprinted from the Binghampton, N. Y. Press:

"If the St. Lawrence Seaway is approved, thousands of American miners, transportation workers and others will suffer possible loss of jobs. While a few cities benefit from being on or near the seaway, the balance sheet will be on the side of liability for the taxpayers as a whole, not only in initial costliness but for effects after completion.

"Senator Aiken recently cited figures of the Federal Power Commission, showing that New York and New England paid $19,000,000 for electrical energy in 1943, which, at Tennessee Valley rates, would have cost only $312,000,000.

Is The Saving Real?

"THE figures truly show a great saving, but are TVA rates possible by reason of actual saving, or because the taxpayers of the nation have made up the difference, and more?

"TVA long has been charged with phony bookkeeping — bookkeeping in which original cost and later operational costs are charged off in part to flood control which nowise is flood control. Development of power and flood control within the same project are not compatible. TVA has developed power, but cities within the Tennessee River valley continue to build flood walls.

"It is further charged that land taken over by TVA for reservoirs represents a greater area than was ever flooded. In creating great reservoirs for the constant production of electrical power TVA, it is charged, has made the valley more vulnerable to flood.

Evasion Of Truth

"IN any case, charging costs of to flood control rather than to power production is an evasion of truth Private power companies long have charged that waterpower, except in unique situations such as Niagara Falls is really an obsolete and too expensive source of energy

"And they say that power produced by steam is much cheaper because of lesser cost of original installations, because of lower operational costs and because losses in transmission of power over long distances are averted The power companies offer figures.

Claims Much Exaggerated

"TVA has been sold to the American public by a flood of propaganda going on for years But careful study of costs reveal TVA claims of cheap power grossly exaggerated. In fact computing all costs which taxpayers meet, TVA is more expensive than that produced by private companies. Cheap water power is a myth."

* * *

Facing the staggering debt of a victorious war, which can only be paid from taxes, how long are the people going to permit TVA and other Government corporations to evade paying their fair share of these taxes and (in the case of TVA) interest on its debt of almost a billion dollars, to the Federal Treasury?

An Advertisement of Old Dominion Power Company Incorporated

Deaths AND FUNERALS

Mrs. Susie Davis

Mrs. Susie Davis, of St. Charles, died August 25, after a week's illness. She was 76 years of age. Mrs. Davis had resided in St. Charles for about 21 years, and was a member of the Missionary Baptist Church.

Funeral services were held at the home at 1 30 p m., August 28, by Rev. Clinton Greene Burial in Mayflower Cemetery at Bonny Blue. St. Charles Funeral Home in charge.

Mrs. Davis is survived by one son, Everette, of St. Charles, two brothers, George Mays and Ben Mays, of Barbourville, Ky., two sisters, Mollie Davis and Julia Crowley

Toy Earl Cloud

Toy Earl Cloud, the six months old son of Mr and Mrs Grant Cloud, of St Charles, died at Lee General Hospital August 27, after a five weeks' illness

Funeral services were held at the Kemmerer Gem Baptist Church at 1 00 o'clock p m., Wednesday, August 29 Burial was in the Turners Siding Cemetery at St. Charles

The baby is survived by his parents, two sisters, Lucille and Mildred, and two brothers, Billy and Ralph, all of St Charles

Mrs. Elizabeth DeBusk

Mrs. Elizabeth Wolfenbarger DeBusk, who was injured in an accident at her home in St. Charles, died at Lee General Hospital in Pennington Gap, August 23. She was 69 years of age.

Surviving are three brothers, Jacob, of St. Charles; Cass, of Guiston, Ky.; and Allan, of Chicago, Ill.

Funeral and burial were held at DeBusk Cemetery near Hagan Sunday afternoon, August 26. Rev. W. G. Reece, pastor of the Christian Church of St. Charles, was the officiating minister.

St. Charles Funeral Home in charge

Jenelle Howard of Oak Ridge spent last week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Howard.

Lady Nearly Choked While Lying In Bed—Due To Stomach Gas

One lady said a few days ago that she used to be afraid to go to bed at night She was swollen with stomach gas, which always got worse when she went to bed, and the gas would rise up in her throat after she lay down and would nearly choke her. She couldn't lie flat. Had to prop herself up on pillows. Recently this lady got ERB-HELP and now says gas is gone, stomach feels fine, bowels are regular and she can go to bed and sleep soundly

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Mrs. Bernice Cooper and daughter, Bobbie Jean, Mrs. R. E. Orr and daughter, Marjorie, were visiting at Virginia Intermont College in Bristol the first of the week. Bobbie Jean and Marjorie will enter V. I., about September 12th.

Mrs. A. D. Johnson and son, Jimmy, are back home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Howard Pennington, after a visit with relatives in LaFollette, Tenn. Lt. A. D. Johnson is now stationed at Fort Riley, Kansas.

Deloris Napier of Kingsport, Tenn., spent last week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Finley Napier.

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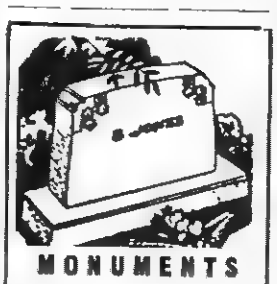

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with
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Wednesday and Thursday, September 12—13
Humphrey Bogart—Lauren Bacall
—in—
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Friday and Saturday, September 14—15
DOUBLE FEATURE
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Honorably Discharged

Pfc. James B. VanDeventer, of Pennington Gap, has received an honorable discharge from the Army Air Forces at the convalescent hospital, Ft. Thomas, Ky.

He is a veteran of 10 months service in the Asiatic-Pacific Theater where he was awarded the Distinguished Unit Badge, the Theater and Good Conduct Medals. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. VanDeventer, of Pennington Gap.

At Redistribution Station

Sgt. William E. Snodgrass, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Snodgrass, of Jonesville, is currently stationed at the Redistribution Station at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., where he will spend two weeks before reporting to his new assignment in the United States.

Sgt. Snodgrass was returned recently to the United States after having served 36 months in the Asiatic-Pacific Theater of operations, where he served as a laboratory technician in a medical unit. He holds the Good Conduct Medal,a nd the Asiatic-Pacific Theater of Operations Medal.

Is Honorably Discharged

An honorable discharge has just been granted Frank H. Duff of Pennington Gap, who spent five months in the service of the United States Army.

He will return to civilian life with his wife and family here.

Bringing them back home

Speeding American troops homeward through the key port of Le Havre Port of Embarkation, France, is Cpl. Harold Hall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rhea Hall, of Jonesville.

Cpl. Hall participated in the campaigns of Ardennes, Rhineland, Central Germany and Northern France. He holds the E. T. O. Ribbon and Good Conduct Ribbon with 3 battle stars.

Sgt. Howard Walter, a former student of L. M. U., and Sgt. Sam Scott spent last week end with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tipton and family. Both Sgt. Walter and Scott are stationed at Camp Croft, S. C.

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St. Charles PERSONALS

Mrs. Martha Wood and sister, Miss Anne Watson, left Wednesday for a vacation trip to points in the Shenandoah Valley and to Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Carl Evans, Miss Hattie Kate Whipple and some relatives from Clintwood and Bristol have returned from a vacation trip to New York, Philadelphia, Ocean City, Md., and other points.

Misses Mildred and Josephine Williams have entered Tennessee-Wesleyan College at Athens, Tenn.

Mrs. Robert Irwin, formerly Miss Bernice Shanks, is here from Roswell, N. M., visiting her parents while waiting for her husband to be discharged from the U. S. Army.

Neil Graham, of Newport News, was seeing old friends and relatives in this community last week.

Ottis Davis has been medically discharged from the U. S. Navy, and is home with his parents.

Mrs. Herman Grigsby and Mrs. S. G. Hill plan to leave tomorrow for a week's visit in New York City.

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Miss Hazel Peters has returned from a two-weeks visit in Bristol.

Miss Lucy Mildred Brown, of Oak Ridge, spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Brown, at Benedict.

S. Sgt. L. C. Parks is on his way home after serving 44 months in the Southwest Pacific Area, according to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Parks.

Sgt. Parks spent a year and half in Australia, and has seen action in Guinea, Leyte and Luzon. He was with the Tank Destroyer Bn., 6th Army, 32nd Division. He was discharged under the point system, having 97 points to his credit. He entered the Army January 19, 1942.

Mrs. Charles Fultz and daughters, Jo Ann and Zola, who live at Benedict, visited in Lynchburg, Va., last week.

J. Y. Brown, of Benedict, left Monday for Clinchco, Va., for a few days.

Mrs. Hazel Webster and mother, Mrs. Harkleroad and Mr. and Mrs. Burnell Smith and daughter, of Louisville, Ky., visited at Benedict last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Brown and family.

LOST

Lost on Fair Grounds Monday night, a bill fold containing Virginia and Ohio driving licenses, draft cards and some pictures.

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Sgt. and Mrs. Michael Johns announce the birth of a daughter on September 2, who has been named Wanda Louise. Mrs. Johns is the former Miss Virginia Hall.

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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

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Jeb Wilkins was always a great one for traveling. Two weeks a year he used to cover more ground than a Pullman conductor. Used to come back from vacations tuckered out.

But the war has changed all that. Gasoline shortages—and saving space on trains for service men—has got Jeb spending his vacations *home* . . . and liking it!

"Never knew staying home could be such fun," says Jeb. Outdoor barbecues . . . sitting around and chatting with the kids and family . . . basking in the sunshine with a glass of cold beer . . . *that's living*," Jeb says.

From where I sit, Jeb's discovered what millions of other Americans have learned throug the war. Whether your choice is beer or buttermilk . . . horseshoes or checkers...a quiet book or a bit of friendly conversation . . . there's no place like home . . . where we grumble the most and get treated the best!

Joe Marsh

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—also—
Nothing But Trouble
—with—
Stan Laurel—Oliver Hardy
News and Shorts

Social and Personal

Birthday party

W. T. ("Uncle Tom") Hall, on the eve of his 90th birthday anniversary Monday, September 3, entered heartily into the enjoyment of the party given him by his wife, his daughter, Mrs. Wilbur Daugherty, and daughter-in-law, Mrs. L. C. Hall.

The guests were members of the local Masonic Lodge, with the exception of Mrs. Lee Salley who assisted with the serving, and Mrs. Etta Green, who assisted in the entertainment. The large and beautiful birthday cake came from the Harlan bakery, and was the gift of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Salley. It was frosted in white, with Mr. Hall's name, age and the birthday greeting in pink.

Robert David assisted Mr. Hall in opening and displaying the many gifts presented him by the guests, and at the close of the party, A. T. Burchette, Present Grand Master of the Lodge, addressed a few remarks to Mr. Hall in behalf of the Lodge, extending birthday congratulations, best wishes for many happy returns, and expressing deep appreciation for Mr. Hall's past services in the Lodge, which has covered a period of 58 years, during which time he has held various offices.

Mr. Hall shook hands with each departing guest, thanking each one individually for their gift, and remarked that he hoped every guest—and others—would gather at his home "just any time they wanted to."

Miss Leona Hobbs spent the week end in Abingdon and Bristol.

Birthday party

Bruce Catron celebrated his eleventh birthday August 28, with a party at his home at Woodway. One of the games enjoyed was Bingo, prizes being won by Nancy Shackleford and Charlie Yaden. Bruce was the recipient of many lovely and useful gifts.

Those attending the party were: Nancy Shackleford, Carol Jane Burchette, Patsy and Jimmy Kelly, David Tipton and Billy Lynn Richards of Pennington Gap, and Loretta McConnell, Joan Vance, Betty Jo Fields, Janette Haynes, Tommy Biggs, John Haynes, Bruce Lawson and Charlie, Junior and Don Yaden of Woodway.

Miss Mary Helen Payne has returned from a visit with her father at Grundy, Va.

Don't fail to see "Rainbow Island," coming to Lee Theater, Monday and Tuesday, September 24-25.

Will enter Vanderbuilt

Miss Virginia Lee Brooks is spending a vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Brooks.

After finishing her Senior Cadet period with the visiting Nurse Service of New York City, she returned to Charlottesville for graduation exercises. Miss Brooks was awarded her diploma and pin and is now a graduate of the University of Virginia Hospital School of Nursing. She plans to enter Vanderbuilt University for advanced study in Public Health Nursing, and for her Bachelor of Science degree.

While in Charottesville, Miss Brooks attened the wedding of Miss Nancy Markowsky, a former room mate, to Dr. Max Baumester.

Mrs. T. H. Hargraves is substitute teacher in the High Top School this week.

Don't fail to see "Rainbow Island," coming to Lee Theater, Monday and Tuesday, September 24-25.

Neal Graham, Pharmacist of Newport News, Va., was a social and business visitor in Pennington Gap last week. He also visited his cousins, Mr. and Mrs A. C. Shelton, at Benedict, and other relatives in Lee County.

Mrs. George Russell, of Chattanooga, Tenn., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Deck Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hammock and son, Jack, of Whitesburg, Ky., have been the guests recently of Mrs. Hammock's sister, Mrs. Isom Haynes of Woodway.

Anna Hope Orr, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Wheeler, of Pennington Gap, R. 1, has just completed a two-weeks vacation visiting with her parents, also her sisters, Mrs. H. H. Scott, of Detroit, Mich., and Mrs. Etta Belliveau, of Chicago, Ill. Mrs. Orr returned to her employment at the Tennessee Eastman Plant Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Tankersly, of Wheelwright, Ky., were in Pennington Gap this week visiting with her father, C. F. McPherson and Mrs. McPherson. They had with them their two granddaughters, Jerry and Mary Lynn Mahan. The Tankersleys were residents of this place several years ago. They had two children, C. R., Jr., and Jessie Lee. C. R. is now in the Armed forces, and Jessie Lee is Mrs. Mahan, the mother of Jerry and Mary Lynn

Mr and Mrs John B Harber, of Memphis, Tenn, are spending a two weeks' vacation with his parents, Mr and Mrs G F. Harber The Harbers also have with them S Sgt. and Mrs. Ty Harber and little son. Ty has just recently returned from overseas service and will be here about 30 days.

WILL TEACH HOME EC.

MISS JANE GRAHAM

Miss Jane Graham, daughter of Bradley P. Graham, of Pennington Gap, Rt. 2, has accepted the position of Home Economics teacher in the Dunbalk High School, in the suburban area of Baltimore, Md., and will begin her work September 7.

Miss Graham graduated from Madison College, at Harrisonburg, Va., on August 24. While in college she was a member of the Kappa Delti Pi, and this summer was vice-president of the Student Government and president of the Wesley Foundation Club.

During her three years in college she has been very active in Y. W. C. A., Curie Science, Frances Sales, Garden and International Relations Clubs.

Miss Graham graduated as salutatorian from Pennington High School, Class of '42.

Don't fail to see "Rainbow Island," coming to Lee Theater, Monday and Tuesday, September 24-25.

Pvt. Billy Smallwood of the A. S. T. R. P., spent last week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Smallwood. Pvt. Smallwood is stationed at Blacksburg, Va.

Burgan—Rhea

Mrs. Ruby Doss announces the marriage of her daughter, Georgia Burgan, to Mr. Hayles Rhea, Sunday, August 26.

The wedding took place at the home of Rev. W. H. Parrett, who officiated.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rhea, of Pennington Gap, Rt. 1. He has recently returned to civilian life after four years' service in the Pacific Area.

The couple will make their home in Pennington Gap.

Chosen Victory Queen

Miss Mary Bailey of Pennington Gap, was crowned one of the many Victory Queens at Oak Ridge, Tenn., at the V-J Day celebration.

Miss Bailey was chosen to represent her group No. 181 of Tennessee Eastman at the celebration.

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Town Talk

About This, That, And The Other

Prophecy fulfilled

In Richmond, Virginia, a little more than two years ago, they were having a Bond Sale, accompanied by a street parade depicting war scenes. Heading the procession, and in a cage drawn by horses, were life-size dummies of Hitler, Mussolini and Tojo, looking very real and life-like.

On the vehicle was a placard bearing the words "Buy Bonds and cage the enemy."

The American people have been liberal in their Bond Buying—the war is ended—the enemy is "caged" forever, we hope. But there will still be need of buying Bonds to reconstruct War's devastation.

Typhoid

With several typhoid cases reported in nearby towns, we have only learned of one, so far, in Pennington Gap, and this case is believed to have been contracted when the patient was visiting in Tazewell, the most infected area. Our water system is supposed to be pure, made more so possibly by the recent rains, and maybe by watchful precaution the epidemic may be prevented from reaching our town.

Clocks may be set back

One of the remaining reminders of War is the fast time, and this is due to end today, if Congress leaders get their say about it

The clocks were advanced an hour on January 20, 1942, as a War measure, intending to increase daylight hours of production, and to save fuel, light and power.

The bill to have them set back was to have been brought up for a vote in the House today, and Rep. Boren, who announced the House Committee action, said he did not expect any dissenting votes.

Fair exhibits

Exhibits in the Lee County Fair prove that women still maintain their age-old instinct for "homey things" regardless of the fact that they have become a big part of the working world.

Superintendents of the Food Departments state that more and better cakes, pies and canned goods were on exhibit this year than ever before, while the needlework Department showed mastery in the art of sewing, crochet and embroidery.

NOTICE

Beginning Saturday, Sept. 15th, the County Farm Security Administration office at Jonesville, Va., will be closed all day on each Saturday. The new schedule is in compliance with an administrative order which specifies that effective Sept. 9th, the workweek for all FSA employees will be five days of eight hours each, from Monday through Friday. Any change in the regular administrative workweek must have the prior approval of the Administrator.

The office hours Monday through Friday are 8 30 a. m, to 5:15 p. m.

Ray S. Banner,
FSA Supervisor.

METHODIST CHOIR IS ORGANIZED

Members of the Methodist Choir recently met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Overbay and reorganized for the coming year. Officers and chairmen were elected as follows:

President, W. J. Richards; Vice-President, J. G. Overbay; Secretary-Treasurer, Miss Flora Mae Fugate; Monitor, R. C. Shelton; Vestments, Mrs. J. B. Tipton; Fellowship chairman, Mrs. C. D. Mehaffey; Assistant, Mrs. J. G. Overbay; Choir Director, Miss Cora Lewis.

Regular choir practice will continue, beginning September 12, at 8:00 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Shelburne Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Graham, Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Moore, and Mrs. Lewis T. Mitchell were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clark May at the Hotel last Thursday evening.

Lee County District B.S.A. Is Organized

Well Attended Meeting First Step Toward Reviving Scouting

A dinner meeting was held Monday night, September 10, on the lawn at the home of Mrs. E. E. Skaggs, by a group of Lee County citizens and Scout Executives, called together by Sam C. Blackwell, Pennington Gap, member of the Executive Board of Lonesome Pine Council, Boy Scouts of America, who acted as chairman of the meeting, for the purpose of organizing a Lee County District of the Lonesome Pine Council.

A delicious fried chicken dinner, with all the trimmings, was served the group by Mrs Skaggs.

The meeting was called to order by acting chairman Blackwell, who asked those present to stand and introduce themselves, their business, occupation or profession. The men present at the meeting were:

Frank Parr, Robert Guy Pugh, Rev. P R. Stubbs, Rev. Charlie D. Mehaffey, Claude Grace, E. S. Vaughan, Dr. M H. Robbins, Dr. G. B Setzler and Jake Chinsky, of Pennington Gap; J. T. Watson, Virginia Lee; H. M Mahoney and E T Barker, Bonny Blue, Dillard Ball, St. Charles, C F. Connelly, Kemmerer Gem, John Richmond, Jonesville; D Terpstra, Norton, Harold G Hayes, Pikeville, Ky, and J A. McGlothlin, Coeburn.

The purpose of the meeting, to organize a Lee County District of the Lonesome Pine Council, was explained by Scout Executive Harold G. Hayes. Mr Hayes spoke briefly on the territory covered by the Lonesome Pine Council, Boy Scouts of America, giving the present number of Scouts, Cubs and Senior Scouts in Lee County, also the enormous number of available boys in the county, at present not receiving Scout training. He explained the purpose and duty of the District Committee and it's composition, the committee to be composed of a chairman, vice chairman, a District Commissioner, who are the elected members of the District organization and six operating committees, which are: Organization and Extension, Health and Safety, Finance, Advancement, Leadership Training and Camp Activities. The chairman of each operating committee, appointed by the District chairman and vice chairman, is automatically on the Council committee of like name.

Mr. Terpstra, chairman of Wise County District, spoke of the necessity of Scouting and it's aims; of the youth of Germany, Japan and Italy, who had grown up under the wrong leadership. He stressed the necessity of organizing the Lee County District, in order to break down the territory, as it is not feasible nor practical for one committee to serve both Wise and Lee Counties.

Mr. Parr spoke of the pleasure and benefits he had received as a Scout in Roanoke, and the things he learned in Scouting are still with him. Rev. Mehaffey talked briefly of the influence of Scouting on the youth of our country today. Mr. Connelly said every community wanted Scouting, was interested in Scouting, but no one seemed to do anything about it. He is of the opinion that Lee County should have a full-time Field Scout Executive. Dr. Setzler discussed the difficulty of raising finances in the County in support of Scouting, without more Scouting activities. Mr. Grace, Scout Master, Pennington Gap Troop No. 82, gave a short history of the Troop, the interest of the boys, their work and activities, and the advancement being achieved. He also told of letters he has received from former Scouts of his troop who are now in the armed forces, relating the benefits Scouting had been to them while in service.

Mr. Parr suggested that the District go ahead for the remainder of the current year with the help of the present Field Executive, said Executive devoting as much time as possible to Lee County. He moved that the organization be completed, the motion being seconded by Rev. Mehaffey. The motion was voted on and carried.

Acting chairman appointed John Richmond, E. T. Barker and Dr. G. B. Setzler as the nominating committee to recommend nominations for a District chairman, vice chairman and commissioner. The nominating committee retired, and there was a general discussion on securing Scout Masters and Troop committees that have failed to assist the Scout Masters.

Mr. Ball, Mr. Grace, Mr. Mahoney, Rev. Stubbs and Mr. Connelly briefly discussed the difficulty of securing Scout Masters, non cooperation of sponsoring institutions, and stressed the fact that it was very necessary for members of troop committees to visit with their troops.

The report of the nominating committee was then presented as follows: for District Chairman, Sam C. Blackwell, Pennington Gap; for Vice Chairman, H. M. Mahoney, Superintendent Blue Diamond Coal Co., Bonny Blue; District Commissioner, Frank Parr, local manager C. & P Telephone Co., Pennington Gap. It was moved and seconded that the recommendations of the nominating committee be accepted. A vote was taken, and the motion was unanimously carried.

District Chairman Blackwell then called for the next District meeting to be held Friday, September 21, 7:30 p. m., at the Town Hall, Pennington Gap. All citizens of the County interested in boys and Scouting are urgently requested to attend this meeting.

P. H. S. Prospects Good For Successful Year

Pennington High School is now fully organized and launched on a very successful year, from all indications. The vacancies for teachers are filled, and the school now has a complete faculty.

Due to the Fair and other unsettled conditions the first week, the exact enrollment has not yet been determined, but the rooms are "full and running over," Prof. R. E. Beeler, Jr., the principal, states

Three grades from Elk Knob school are attending P. H S., this year.

An athletic program is being planned, Prof. Beeler says, and will be announced soon

The P T. A. Executive Committee met today with the new president, Rev. P. R. Stubbs, for the purpose of formulating plans and programs for the year's P. T A meetings and activities.

S. Sgt. James Williams Released From Duty

S. Sgt. James I. Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Williams of Jonesville, has been released from active duty with the Army of the U. S., after serving 58 months.

He has served 35 months in the Southwest Pacific theatre, and is entitled to wear Battle Participation honors for three campaigns.

Revival at Jonesville

A revival will be held at Jonesville Baptist Church, beginning Sunday, September 16, and running through September 23

Rev. John A. Leland, noted evangelist and radio preacher of Jacksonville, Fla., will have charge of the services, which will be at 7:30 each evening

A cordial welcome is extended to the public.

J. C. Jackson, Pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stout have purchased the property in West Pennington now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Payne. They will move into their new home at an early date.

First Christian Church

No preaching services, Sunday. Sunday School and Christian Endeavors meet as usual.

SOLDIER FIVE YEARS

WM. A. ZION

William A. (Ott) Zion, who served in the U. S. Army, is home on discharge with his mother, Mrs. Emily Zion, after a service of five years, ten months and 27 days in the armed forces. At the time of his discharge, he had the rating of Technical Sargeant

He spent three years, ten months overseas, in Iceland, England, Belgium, Holland, Luxembourg and Germany. He was wounded and taken prisoner by the Germans in the battle of the Bulge, and was held prisoner four months before his liberation on April 28 by the British

Mr Zion holds the following decorations Purple Heart, Good Conduct Medal, American Defence with one Bronze Star, A T O and E T. O, with four battle stars for Normandy, Northern France, Rhineland and Ardennes.

His home is on Route 2, Pennington Gap.

Methodist Church

Sunday morning, Sept 16 Church School at 9:30, Clyde M Kirk, Superintendent

Morning worship at 10:45 sermon theme, "An Overflowing Cup."

Special music: Duet, "Sweet and Low," by the Fry sisters

Evening: Youth Fellowship Groups meet at 6:30.

Evening worship at 7.30 Sermon: "Come and See a Man"

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Charlie D. Mehaffey, Pastor

First Baptist Church

Sunday morning, Sept 16: Sunday School at 9 30, A. T Burchette, Superintendent

Morning worship at 10:45 sermon topic, "Growth in Grace."

Evening Training Unions meet at 6.30 Evening worship at 7 30, sermon topic, "Giving One's Self"

Mid week prayer service Wednesday evening, 7 30

The W M S will meet at the church at 1 15 Thursday afternoon.

P R Stubbs, Pastor.

Card Of Thanks

We wish to thank and express our appreciation to our friends for their services and kindness during the illness and death of our dear husband and father.

Mrs. James Ely
and Family.

Masons Hold District Meeting September 4

A Masonic District Meeting was held in Miles Lodge here Tuesday evening, September 4, to receive an official visit from District Deputy Grand Master Dr G. B Setzler, and was also honored by a visit from Most Worshipful Grand Master, Earl Cranston Lanningham.

Two Master Mason Degrees were conferred in creditable manner, one by the members of the District, and one by Miles Lodge members. Most Worshipful Earl C. Lanningham presented Right Excellent M. H. Robbins, who is Right Excellent Grand Master First Veil, Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Virginia, his commission as Representative of the Grand Lodge of North Dakota, near the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Virginia.

Also Emminent G. B. Setzler, who is Grand Captain General of the Grand Commandery of Virginia, K. T., was presented his commission as representative of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Scotland, near the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Virginia.

August Bond Sales Exceed State Quota Co. Slightly Short

According to a Treasury Department report covering the sales of E, F and G Bonds for the month of August sales for the State of Virginia were $13,621,714 00 against a State quota of $10,500,000.00

This report shows sales in Lee County for the month of August slightly short of quota. The quota was $45,000.00, sales were $43,642 75.

Lee County's quota of E, F and G Bonds for the month of September is the same as for the month of August, namely, $45,000 00

Women's Organization Meet September 20

The St. Charles Women's Civic Organization will meet Thursday evening, September 20, at 7:00 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Martha Watson Wood.

All members are urged to attend this meeting.

Traveling Recruiter Quits This Area

N. Mack, until recently Traveling Recruiter for the U. S Navy, enlisting Lee County men for Navy service at Pennington Gap and Jonesville, states that he will discontinue his service in this area

Men from the ages of 17 37, inclusive, who wish to volunteer for U S Naval service, may report to the U S Navy Recruiting Station, 53 Piedmont Street, Bristol, Va.

Rev. Moore Called To Richmond Mon.

Rev. W. B. Moore, Pastor of the First Christian Church, received a message Monday that his son, Donald, was seriously ill in McGuire Hospital at Richmond, Virginia. He and another son, Jack, left at once to be with him.

The latest report is that Donald is slightly improved.

This Area Will Soon Get TVA Electricity

Tennessee Valley Authority power will soon come into Virginia, as well as into counties in East Tennessee, for the first time, Davis L. McNiel, manager of the Powell Valley Electric Cooperative, disclosed today with the announcement that the cooperative had awarded a contract for construction of a transmission line and had signed an agreement with TVA to provide power at wholesale

A new loan allotment by the Rural Electrification Administration made possible the construction and entry of low-cost power into Southwest Virginia and East Tennessee counties.

The new transmission line will extend from a point near Rogersville in Hawkins County, Tennessee, to the load center of the Powell Valley electric system in Lee County, Virginia, a distance of approximately 22 miles It will provide low-cost power for 2,010 consumers now being served by the cooperative, plus 2,118 new customers.

The cooperative now has under construction 445 miles of distribution lines

McNiel said that the co-op has requested funds to build 290 miles of additional line to serve approximately 950 consumers, rendering a service, when completed, to 5,000 rural consumers.

Retail rates will be reduced when the transmission line is completed and placed in operation, Mr. McNiel said.

Lonesome Pine League Season Ends Sunday

Local USES Office To Place Coal Loaders Lee and Wise Fields

A weekly schedule of forty-four hours of service to veterans, workers and employees of this locality will be maintained for the present in the local office of the United States Employment Service, Harry J. Willoughby, Manager, announced today.

Mr. Willoughby said the schedule will permit service by the office on Saturday mornings. The hours on Saturday will be from 8:30 a. m. to 12:30 p. m. Other days of the week the office will continue to open at 8:30 a. m., and remain open until 5:00 p. m.

The USES office, Mr. Willoughby stated, has received several inquiries within the past few days regarding service on Saturdays. Recent announcement of a forty-hour week in many federal establishments probably promoted the conclusion that the U. S. Employment Service would be among those which will suspend service for the week end on Friday evenings

The USES office at Appalachia can place 750 coal loaders in the Wise and Lee County field. There are also a few jobs open for machinemen in the mines and for coke loaders.

Many veterans are returning. It is becoming more difficult to place these men since cutbacks in war plants in other areas have taken place.

The Appalachia USES office will be glad to have employers state their needs for workers to them. Every effort will be made to fill job openings.

Registrants Must See Local Board Before Leaving Present Jobs

Public Relations Office, State Headquarters, Richmond, Va., has released the following information regarding men who desire to voluntarily leave jobs for which they have been deferred:

It is recognized that recent publicity relating to the release of manpower controls by other government agencies may have given certain registrants the erroneous impression that it is no longer necessary for them to obtain a favorable determination from their Selective Service Local Boards before leaving the employment for which they are deferred

For the information and guidance of these men and to assist them in the matter of compliance with Selective Service Regulations, it is pointed out that every registrant age 18 through 25 who desires to leave voluntarily the job for which he has been deferred must first obtain a determination from his Local Board

(1) that it is in the best interest of the war effort for the registrant to leave his employment for other work, or

(2) that there are adequate reasons involving the registrant or his immediate family which justify his leaving, as provided for in Section 622 22-2(d) of the regulations.

Failure on the part of the registrant to obtain such determination before voluntarily leaving his job may result in his being processed for immediate induction.

This applies now only to men 18 through 25 years of age.

St. Charles Methodist Church

Roy E. Early, the District Superintendent of Big Stone Gap District of the Methodist Church will deliver the message at the St. Charles Methodist Church Sunday morning at 11:00 a. m., September 16. After the message Rev. Early will conduct the fourth quarterly conference for the St. Charles Circuit. Every one from over the charge is urged to come and share in the message.

C. R. McPherson, Pastor.

Cumberland Plays Two At Jonesville, Sunday

The Lonesome Pine League season of 1945 makes it's final exit Sunday with double bills at most towns. The shaughnassy series playoff starts Sunday, September 23.

The past week end games were won by the weatherman, rain took care of the entire schedule. St. Charles reached the first half of the fourth inning at Andover with Oreton leading them 3 to 0, other games did not get under way.

Dunbar forfeited to Pennington Gap to play an exhibition tilt with Peterson's one-man ball club at Jenkins.

The forthcoming Sunday will bring Oreton to St. Charles for a doublebill, Cumberland will journey to Jonesville for a pair of games. These tilts will decide the fate of Jonesville and Oreton, which shall get into the playoff.

Dunbar will take on Pennington Gap at Dunbar in a single encounter

THE OFFICIAL STANDING

St. Charles	15	3	.833
Cumberland	10	8	.555
Dunbar	9	10	.473
Oreton	8	10	.444
Jonesville	7	11	.388
Pennington	6	13	.316

S. S. Representative To Be In Lee Co.

A representative of the Bristol, Virginia Field Office, Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors Insurance will be present at the following places on the dates and at the times stated:

Pennington Gap, in the U. S. Post Office lobby, at 10:00 a. m., Thursday, October 4 November 8 and December 6.

St. Charles, in the U. S. Post Office lobby, at 1:00 p. m., Thursday, October 4, November 8 and December 6.

Please note that the service has been changed from Wednesday to Thursday.

Lanningham Bros. Sell Interest Oil Business

Earl C. Lanningham announced today that he and his brother, J. E. Lanningham, who have represented the Texas Company for more than ten years in the sales and distribution of Texas products in Lee, Scott and Wise Counties, have sold their properties in Wise County to Messrs. C W. Cooper and James P. Godwin, of Norton, who are doing business as Virginia Oil Company.

The Lanningham brothers will maintain their oil business in Lee County, and the wholesale bulk stations at Pennington Gap and Wheeler will continue to be operated as heretofore

Lanningham Tire Company, Mr. Lanningham said, will continue the sale and distribution of Firestone and Goodrich tires, tubes, accessories and home supplies, in all three counties as heretofore.

The Lanninghams have been in the petroleum products business for almost a quarter of a century.

LOCAL CITIZEN KILLED IN MINE ACCIDENT

Curtis C. Brooks, 47, for several years a resident of Pennington Gap, was instantly killed by falling slate in mine No. 11, at Benedict, Wednesday, September 12th, about 11:15 a. m.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Florence Brooks; four daughters, Mrs. C. J. Sonerant, Monroe, Mich.; Virginia, Katherine and Helen Jane, at home; three sons, Ensign Curtis C. Brooks, Jr., and Seaman 1-C. Hubert Ty Brooks, somewhere overseas; and John Howard, at home; also four grand children, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Brooks, of Harrogate, Tenn., four brothers and two sisters.

Funeral arrangements are not complete, pending word from the sons in service.

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Deaths
AND FUNERALS

Patty Lynn Ketron

Patty Lynn, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Ketron, died at Appalachia, Va., Saturday, September 8. Burial took place at Keokee Sunday, September 9.

The baby is survived by her parents, twin sister, Rita Ann, grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Herron of Big Stone Gap, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Ketron, of Bonny Blue.

James H. Williams

James Howard Williams, 24, son of Mrs. R. J. Lambert, who lives in west Pennington, died Thursday, September 6, after an illness since last July. Funeral services were held Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lambert, and on Saturday morning the body was taken to Bristol for burial.

He is survived by his mother, step-father and two brothers, Dale, of the U. S. Navy, and Roy, of Detroit, Mich. The grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Lindsey, of Bristol, and his grandmother, Mrs. Williams, of Saltville, Va., also survive.

Mrs. C. B. Gibson

Mrs. Margaret Bales Gibson, 71, died at her home in Rose Hill, Thursday morning, Sept. 6. She was the widow of the late C. B. Gibson.

Funeral services were held at 3:00 o'clock p. m., Saturday, September 8, in the Mount Carmel Presbyterian Church at Rose Hill, in charge of Rev. Sexton Buchanan. Burial took place in the Hill Cemetery at Jonesville.

Mrs. Gibson is survived by five daughters, Miss Nanette Gibson, employed at Alderson, W. Va.; Mrs. Fred C. Russell, Johnson City, Tenn.; Mrs. C. A. Whorton, Palmetto, Fla.; Mrs. Carden Davidson, Jonesville; and Mrs. Bruce Huffine, Bristol, Tenn.; one son, Cale J. Gibson, Ph. M. 1-C., U. S. Navy Corps School, Bainbridge, Md.

Mrs. Gibson was a sister-in-law of J. O. Gibson of Pennington Gap.

A LOCAL LADY SPIT UP ACID LIQUIDS FOR HOURS AFTER EATING

For hours after every meal, a Pennington Gap lady used to spit up a strong, acidulous liquid mixed with pieces of half-digested food. She says it was awful. At times she would nearly strangle. She had stomach bloat, daily headaches and constant irregular bowel action. Today, this lady eats her meals and enjoys them. And she says the change is due to taking ERB-HELP. No gas, bloat or spitting up after eating. She is also free of headaches now, and bowels are regular, thanks to this Remarkable New Compound.

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Mrs. Ruby Doss and family wish to thank their many friends for the kindness they have shown to their son and brother, Harold Burgin, during his confinement.

His foot is improving but the operation has not yet been performed. He is in the hospital at Richmond. Address for anyone wishing to write him:

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Wednesday and Thursday, September 19—20
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LON CHANEY
—in—
Frozen Ghost
—also—
Jungle Captive
—with—
Otto Kruger
Also Late News

Friday and Saturday, September 21—22
DOUBLE FEATURE
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Also

My 38 acres, with lots of timber and good four-room home, located 1½ miles east of Pennington Gap, on Dry Branch. Price $2,000, cash or terms. House now empty.

8 nice lots in new Allen Addition, Dryden, Va. Price $1,500, cash or terms.

4½ nice lots in Kelly Addition, facing new highway, west of overpass in Cane Creek bottom. Price $650.00, cash or terms.

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6 lots in East Pennington Gap, near State Highway and Kentucky road cut-off. Price $750.

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Monday and Tuesday, September 24—25
Rainbow Island
—starring—
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Monday and Tuesday, September 17—18
Keep Your Powder Dry
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—starring—
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Friday and Saturday, September 21—22
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Sunset Carson—Linda Sterling
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When the planes of the "Independence" started off the flight decks within 100 miles of the Jap mainland on the first strike, it marked the realization of an ambition long cherished by every member of the crew, from the captain on down because the ship had been torpedoed at Tarawa in November, 1943. The attack was the first of it's kind unleashed against the Tokyo area since last February.

On battleship in Pacific

Earl P. Minnix, 21, of Kentucky Avenue, Pennington Gap, is one of the antiaircraft crewmen on this 35,000 ton ship. He is considered a "plank-owning member of the ship's crew because he was aboard when the ship was commisioned in 1942. He was with her during operations in the Atlantic with the British Home Fleet. In the Pacific, he has taken part in major engagements from the Gilbert Islands to the invasion of Mindor in the Philippines.

Advanced to S. 1-C

Claude J. Stewart, of Blackwater, Va., has been advanced to the rating of seaman first class, and now is on duty at the Advanced Base Construction Depot, Pearl Harbor, T. H.

An entry in his service record says he was promoted "in recognition of outstanding faithfulness and skill in the performance of duty and upon completion of the prescribed study of courses."

He is the son of Mrs. Annie J. Stewart, of Blackwater.

Good Conduct Ribbon

Pfc. Paul B. Price, husband of Mrs. Nannie Lee Price, Jonesville, R. 3, was recently awarded the Good Conduct Ribbon at Fourth Service Command Reclamation Center, Atlanta, Ga. The citation accompanying the award reads:

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News From JONESVILLE

Mrs. G. W. Ball

Route 4

Mrs. Georgia (Hall) Tritt, formerly of Route 4, will find a welcome back among us. She will be teaching in Jonesville High School and will probably be an addition to the York Sunday School while here with her mother, Mrs. D. D. Hall.

Miss Maude Kinzer is back as teacher of Oak Grove school for her third year.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ball, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bowen and small son, Russell, of Appalachia. Miss Dale Sturgill, of Whitesburg, Ky., and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Harris and family, of R. F. D., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ball, Sunday.

The people here were saddened by the news of the death of Rev. Jim Ely. He was well known and well liked in this community.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Davis recently, a daughter. We have not learned the name.

I have often heard of snakes climbing straight up a tree trunk, and knew they were none too good to do a thing like that, but I could scarcely believe my eyes a few days ago when I saw a large black snake go form the ground floor up to the top of a large spruce tree on the lawn, and come down the same way, with thanks to nobody for an elevator. The birds that have been nesting in the tree this summer have not been singing lately— perhaps they "smell a mouse."

Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Bowling of Big Stone Gap, visited relatives here recently.

Quite a number from here attended the Lee County Fais last week.

A. C. Harris and G. W. Ball visited Mr. Ball's brother, C. D. Ball, at Lee General Hospital, one day last week. They found him much improved and planning to be taken to his home in the afternoon.

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32 1-2 acres good rolling land; 15 acres pasture, balance for crops; can use mowing machine over all crop land.

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5-room house in fair condition; old barn, other buildings. Plenty good fruit trees, all bearing. Electricity.

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Mad Dogs and Wagging Tongues

The county had a "mad dog" scare last week. Phoebe Token's spaniel bit the postman, and he vowed that he was plenty mad about it.

But by the time the rumor got around, it wasn't the postman who was mad, it was the dog. And before the truth was learned, half the kids in the neighborhood had missed school, while their mothers nearly died of fright.

Wagging tongues can cause a lot of "mad dog" trouble. Like wagging tongues that gossip about our soldiers drinking too much around Army camps. It's just not true, as the government found out and told us. Milk and beer are among a soldier's favorite drinks—which is why we have the best behaved army in history. But those ugly rumors are bound to hurt morale and cause hard feeling.

From where I sit, wagging tongues can cause a heap more trouble than mad dogs.

Joe Marsh

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Five beautiful residential lots in East Pennington Gap, just in front of Robert Campbell's residence, and owned by the late Elbert Thompson. Good price for quick sale. If interested, call me at my office, Monte Vista Hotel, Big Stone Gap, Virginia.

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320 Acres, all level; two large barns, nice six-room farm home and three tenant houses; 200 acres in cultivation; 120 acres of first-class bluegrass land. Sold over $15,000.00 worth of livestock and grain off of this farm last year. All of it can be cultivated with machinery. All crops go to the purchaser. Already threshed 4,000 bushels of barley this year.

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One nice building lot, 60 x 140, in front of J. O. Gibson's residence; good price for quick sale.

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—with—
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Thursday and Friday, September 20—21
Brewsters Millions
—with—
Dennis O'Keefe—Helen Walker June Havok

Saturday, September 22—Double Feature
Bill Elliott—Alice Fleming
—in—
Vigilantes of Dodge City
and
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SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

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155 Acre Farm

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On two hard-surfaced roads. Sub-divided into Lots and Tracts, has two houses, two barns and other out-buildings. This farm is very fertile, will produce the best of crops. Watered by creek, two springs. The most of this farm lies level. Fine young orchard. Has electricity and telephone. Good tobacco base. Owner is selling on account of declining health.

Personal property consists of 14 cows with calves, one milk cow, ,one dry cow, one bull, two years old, subject to register, 5 yearling cattle, 3 horses, one mule, one binder, one mowing machine, one hay rake, one wheat drill, one wagon, one manure spreader, one disc harrow, 2 corn drills, 200 bushels corn, many tools too numerous to mention.

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Social and Personal

Pvt. Frank Stallard, of the University of Connecticut at Storrs, Connecticut, has completed a vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Stallard, Sr., at Woodway. He is being transferred to Orono, Maine, where he will complete his Electrical Engineering Course at the University of Maine.

W. H. Tueting, husband of the former Miss Mary Adams, has arrived here on honorable discharge from the United States Navy, after a service of 20 months. They will be with Mrs. Tueting's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Adams, for awhile, after which they will make their home in Cincinnati.

Lt. and Mrs. B. B. (Bill) Laningham, of Greenville, S. C., spent a few days recently at the homes of both their parents here.

Mrs. Laningham is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Reasor.

Don't fail to see "Rainbow Island," coming to Lee Theater, Monday and Tuesday, September 24-25.

Mrs. S. E. Holt and Mrs. W. E. Zion spent the first of the week shopping in Knoxville, also visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Milton Harmon and Mr. Zion at Oak Ridge, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Duff and daughter, Beulah, from Indianapolis, Ind., were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Johnston, last Sunday.

Former S. Sgt. Violes Flanary, who has done a big part in helping win the war, has been officially released and is now here with his wife and little son, planning to settle down to civilian life.

Misses Ritchielee and Laura Jean Fugate are in Cincinnati. After a visit with relatives they plan to take employment there.

Mrs. T. H. Olinger is reported resting well in Lee General Hospital where she recently underwent a major operation.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Fugate recently enjoyed visits from Miss Rowena Fugate, of Cincinnati, and R. C. Fugate, of Mobile, Ala., who supervises a coast radar.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Parsons and daughters, Jane Anne and Davene, of Nashville, Tenn., were here last week to visit Mrs. Parson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Rogers and family.

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Mrs. Paul McArthur and children, Cherylyn and Don Napier, of Danville, Ky., spent last week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Payne.

Mrs. D. H. Stallard entertained the Ladies' Bible Class, their teacher, W. H. Creech, and some special invited guests at a picnic supper at her home in Woodway, Tuesday evening, Sept. 12. Plates were served cafeteria style on the lawn. Later the guests assembled in the living room and enjoyed games and "round table" discussions.

Dr. and Mrs. N. C. Turpen and children have returned to their home in Philadelphia after a short visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Kelly and family.

Elizabeth Wynn of Baltimore, Md., is home with her parents.

Virginia Elizabeth Stewart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Stewart entered Hiwassee College last week.

Eva Mae Flanary, who is employed in Washington, D. C., is home for a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Zack Flanary.

Mrs. Murl Rush, Jr., of Pulaski, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Murphy King.

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Mrs. Richard Y. Rowe, Jr., with her little daughter, Janet, are back home with her parents, Mr and Mrs. Earl C. Laningham, after spending several weeks at the summer home of her parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Y. Rowe, Sr., at Ludington, Michigan. They left there by plane at 8:00 o'clock in the morning and by 6:00 o'clock in the evening landed in Kingsport, where they were met by Mr. Laningham.

Mr. Laningham, Mrs. Rowe and Miss James Alyce Laningham left Friday morning for a pleasure trip in Eastern Virginia, including Richmond, Williamsburg, Newport News and other points in the Tidewater section, returning home Monday night.

Going or gone

The following young folk have gone or will be going soon to their various chosen schools or colleges:

Bobbie Jean Cooper, James Alyce Laningham, Marjorie Orr, Mary Ann Laningham, will attend Virginia Intermot, Bristol; Doris Jean Jessee, Mary Washington, at Fredericksburg; Betty Lou Oaks, Pauline Anderson, L. M. U., at Harrogate; W. N. Beverly, Hiwassee, Joyce King, Radford State Teachers' College; Helen Frazier, of St. Charles, Virginia Intermont; Vivian Oaks, Knoxville General Hospital for Cadet Nurse Course; Betty Smith, Ruth Parsons, Helen Mullins, Willie Marie Hinkle, Mary Gilley, Katherine Miner, Radford; Virginia Fry, Mary Washington; Mary Lou Smith, Berea; Don Stallard, Emory & Henry; Jewell Lucas, Radford; Fred Hilton, Bluefield College, at Bluefield, W. Va.

Miss Virginia Lee Brooks will enter Vanderbuilt University for advanced study in Public Health Nursing, and for her Bachelor of Science Degree.

Shelburne Stamper will attend Columbia University in New York to further his study in art and to complete his Master's Degree.

Clyde M. Fugate, recently released from U. S. Army service, is taking a business course at National Business College, in Roanoke.

Outing party

Some local young folk boarded a car Wednesday afternoon, and with a good driver, good chaperone, and food for a good supper to be cooked in the open, made straight for High Knob, where, in addition to cooking the camp fire meal they made pictures of the lake and enjoyed an all-round good time.

Members of the party Mrs Earl Smyth, chaperone; Misses Virginia Burgin, Ernestine Orr, Mary Speaks, Messrs. Henry Pugh, Roland Baker, Claude Redwine.

Mr and Mrs. C. M. Lundy are back from a trip to Louisville, Ky.

BRIDE OF ARMY AIR CORPS MAN

Mrs. Arthur L. Livesay

Miss Bette Rhea Stout and Arthur Lane Livesay, two of Pennington Gap's most popular young people, were married at 4:00 o'clock Saturday, August 25, at Biloxi, Michigan where the groom is serving as Pvt. with the U. S. Army

The wedding is the culmination of a High School romance, and was planned while the bride was on a visit at Biloxi, accompanied by the groom's parents, Mr and Mrs W. B. Livesay, and small sister, Jean, who served as attendants at the wedding.

The bride wore a street length dress of aqua, with black accessories. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed G. Stout of Pennington Gap, and attended Pennington High School.

The groom graduated from Pennington High School in the class of '43, and was a student of V. P. I., Blacksburg, Va., at the time he enlisted in service.

Mrs Laura Ellison and daughter, Anne, went to Kingsport today to see their son and brother, Cpl Robert T. Ellison, who has just returned from overseas service.

Boots Richards, accompanied by Mrs Bill Ellis, of Oak Ridge, spent the week end with home folk here.

Notice

Cam J. Lewis will sell the Creed Rutherford Home and 10 Lots and Tracts, located 2 miles east of Pennington Gap, on Dry Branch, at AUCTION, Wednesday September 26, at 2:00 p. m.

Look out for further details in this paper next week.

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Mr. Lewis may be reached at Local Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, Va., and Miss McNiel at Local Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va.

A list of Lee County men discharged from the Armed Forces will appear in this newspaper each week as they are furnished to us by the two Local Selective Service Boards in the County.

Everete Jackson Rose, St. Charles; Truman Condray, R. 1, Keokee; Basil Eugene Quinely, St. Charles; Jack Thomas, Dryden; Roy Lafayette Banks, Pennington Gap; Franklin Lee Bledsoe, R. 1, Duffield; Charles T. Dotson, St. Charles; Edward Neal Pennington,, R. 2, Pennington Gap; Cleve John Hughes, St. Charles; Letcher Gordon Reasor, R. 1, Dryden; Fred Albert Rutherford, St. Charles; Paul Louis Solowes, Bonny Blue; Earl Boggs, R. 1, Pennington Gap; Noel De Busk, R. 1, Keokee; Jackson Edwin Reasor, R. 2, Pennington Gap; Earl Wyne Ball, R. 1, Pennington Gap; Lawrence Leonard Disney, Pennington Gap; Irvin Thomas Russell, Bonny Blue; Zelos Lee Martin, R. 1, Pennington Gap; Roy Curtis Holmes, Calvin; Woodrow Carnes, Pennington Gap; William Robert Wilson, St. Charles; Roy Tillman Sutton, R. 1, St. Charles;

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Town Talk

About This, That, And The Other

Brothers meet on Guam

Although peace has returned, families are all re-united again and many of our boys are still in service. Also they still sometimes go for long periods without seeing each other, and naturally it's a "hap-hap-happy time" when they meet. For instance:

RM. 3-C. Charles Quinley and Cpl. Walter Quinley hadn't seen each other for more than two years. Then on Sunday morning a couple of weeks ago Walter was attending church services on Guam when someone came in and whispered to him, "There's someone on the outside who wants to see you." The "someone" was Charles.

A third brother, Pvt. John Quinley, is with the U. S. Army somewhere in the Pacific Area. They are sons of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Quinley of Pennington Gap.

Travelogue

The writer enjoyed a very pleasant visit the other evening at the home of Rev. and Mrs. P. R. Stubbs. They casually mentioned a trip a few years ago to the Holy Land, and instantly I was on the alert, for this is a topic of deep interest. I showered them with questions and they gave, in part, the following information:

"In 1931 we, with a group of eleven others, under the leadership of Dr. McKee Adams, Prof. of Archaeology, Southern Baptist Seminary, Louisville, set out on a study tour to the Holy Land, to study the Bible. Dr. Adams was collecting material for his book, "Biblical Background," which is quite a popular book on the Holy Land today.

"We went on the Student ship SS Patria. That boat, in the early stages of the War, was sunk off the coast of Joppa, with a load of Jews aboard.

"We went from New York to the Azores, made a stop at Ponta Delgada, then from there to Lisbon, Portugal, where we made a port call. From Lisbon through the Strait of Gibraltar into the Mediterranean, to Naples by Cicily. We passed Stromboli and on to Athene in Greece. We got off the boat at Alexandria, and made several port calls before continuing our journey. After spending a day in Alexandria, we went by train to Cairo, visited the National Museum containing a large collection of antiques, one of them being the historical Rosetta Stone, which is a picture reading of the Pyramids.

"We came back by Port Said, took a boat to Joppa in Palestine, where we spent three weeks. We also spent three weeks in Jerusalem."

Among the historical points they visited were: Mars Hill, where Paul delivered his famous sermon to the Athenians; Damascus, in Syria, where so many of the early Christians were martyred; Bethlehem, where Christ was born; the village of Bethany, where Mary, Martha and Lazarus lived; the Shepherd's Field, where the Shepherds were supposed to be watching over their flocks by night; Rachel's Tomb; they took a swim in the Dead Sea; ate snow from Mt. Hermon; drank water from Jacob's well; went into the Garden of Gethsemane, stood beneath the olive trees supposed to have grown from the original trees of Christ's time; stood beside the rock where He prayed that fatal night of His betrayal; they en-

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Card of Thanks

We wish to extend sincerest thanks to our friends for the kindness and sympathy shown us in the death of our husband and father, Curtis C. Brooks.

We are especially grateful for the beautiful floral offerings, to the ministers who conducted the funeral, the undertakers in charge and all who assisted in any way.

Mrs. Florence Brooks and Family.

Lonesome Pine Ends, Playoff Starts Sunday

Awarded Bronze Star

T. SGT. WM. A. LAFORCE

T. Sgt. William A. LaForce, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. LaForce, of Jonesville, is pictured above receiving the Bronze Star Medal from Maj. General Lunceford E. Oliver, Commanding General 5th Armoured Division, Lafurt, Germany.

In addition to the Bronze Star Sgt. LaForce holds the Purple Heart, Good Conduct Medal, Pre Pearl Harbor and E. T. O. Ribbons with 4 bronze stars, also the Combat Infantry Badge. He has 92 points to his credit and hopes to be home sometime in September.

He entered the Army in June, 1942, from Maryland, where he had been employed following his graduation from Flatwood High School in 1938, and received his training at various camps throughout the States. He went overseas in February, 1944.

Allocations Made By Virginia State Highway Commission

No Appropriation Made For Lee County

According to an Associated Press news release last week from Richmond, the State Highway Commission has tentatively allocated $12,298,230 for primary road construction and improvements in the 1945-46 fiscal year.

At its regular quarterly meeting it also scheduled two public hearings to consider the tentative proposed expenditure; one for the Richmond, Suffolk, Fredericksburg and Culpepper districts to be held in Richmond October 10, and the other for the Bristol, Salem, Lynchburg and Staunton districts in Roanoke, October 9.

Funds allocated amount to approximately twice as much as the commission has been able to predict for the past two years, the increase to be derived from the additional revenues expected with the cessation of gas rationing and from federal aid funds.

"As rapidly as labor becomes available the commission will restore Virginia's war-worn highway system and will see that it is properly maintained, improved and modernized," Highway Commissioner James A. Anderson stated, adding, "the commission fully realizes that years of too little labor, too little equipment and the scarcity of material have left marks it will take a long time to eradicate."

The Commission would expend in the Bristol district the sum of $1,683,107, the news article stated.

According to the tentative allocations, no allotment was made for expenditurers in Lee County.

Don Moore Recovering From Illness

Rev. W. B. Moore returned Tuesday night from Richmond, Va., where he was called on account of the serious illness of his son, Don, at McGuire Hospital. Rev. Moore stated that he left Don improving, and seemingly on the way to recovery.

Don, who is employed at McGuire General, became suddenly ill and underwent an emergency operation.

St. Charles, Jonesville, Dunbar, Cumberland Are In Play-Off

The 1945 version of the famed Lonesome Pine league of Southwestern Virginia and Eastern Kentucky, is now a matter of history, it's final chapter was written Sunday with doublebills played beneath a canopy of heavy clouds, a mist of rain and an overwhelming amount of interest.

The Lonesome Pine proved itself worthwhile all down through the season as an entertainment measure that attracted thousands of hard working coal miners and farmers throughout Lee and Wise Counties in Southwest Virginia and Harlan County in Eastern Kentucky. Games were very interesting and well followed, which did much for the baseball loving working people who wanted to get their minds, at least for a few hours each week end, off the strain of the war.

The peak of the whole show is yet to come, the playoff starts Sunday, shaughnassy style. St. Charles ended the year far atop of the standing, with 17 wins and three losses. Cumberland, Ky., was second with 10-10. Sam Riddle's Dunbar Riddlers are still a riddle, they don't know whether they tied with Cumberland for second or Jonesville for fourth. Sam Riddle, their manager, has been trying to forfeit two games to Pennington Gap, in order to get out of third place, one way or the other. If both forfeits go to Pennington, he will be tied with Jonesville for fourth, if the forfeits are split, he will be tied with Cumberland for second. Anyway, Sam will have to roll high dice either with Cumberland or Jonesville to find his spot in the league in time to get started in the playoff Sunday.

The first and third teams play two best out of three, so does the second and fourth, the two remaining clubs will play a final series of three games for the title and a jack pot of $90.00 cash. One of the Sunday games will likely be broadcast play-by-play over WHLN.

Oreton and Pennington Gap were eliminated from the playoff. Pennington Gap, however, came within a game of getting in after losing their first ten, they came back by winning almost every game in the last half.

St. Charles eliminated Oreton at St. Charles Sunday by winning a doublebill from the Oretoneers in two hard fought battles.

Red Walker pitched the St.

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Red Cross Activities, Lee County Chapter

Mrs. W. R. Fletcher, Production Chairman, Local Chapter American Red Cross, reports the following work done in Lee County during the fiscal year July 1, 1944 to July 1, 1945:

Knitting, 262 garments; Sewing, 1,294 garments.

Total number of hours work, 6,000.

Attention, Veterans!

Elmo David, Post Adjutant of Chester Haburn Post American Legion No. 33, Pennington Gap, will be at the Coleman Hotel, Rose Hill, Saturday, September 22. Please contact Mr. David and get the details as to what the Legion means to the veteran.

Ice Cream Supper To Be Given At Flatwood

An Ice Cream Supper is announced to be given at Flatwood High School Friday night, September 28, proceeds to help with the general expenses of the school.

J. F. Reasor is principal at Flatwood.

Mrs. Dick Cooper and son, Dickie, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kirk and daughter, Linda Joyce, were visiting in Pennington and St. Charles last week.

LEE WAR FUND LEADERS

Left to right: Miss Saluda Sewell, Mrs. L. B. Hagy, Mrs. George P. Cridlin, Judge George P. Cridlin, Governor Darden, W. Tayloe Murapy, and Robert B. Ely.

Local War Fund committee executives photographed at a recent regional conference called by Governor Colgate W. Darden, who is the motivating spirit in this, the final War Fund campaign for USO and the many other agencies affiliated with the War Fund.

Marriage Rate In Lee Co., Takes A "Boom"

The number of marriage licenses in the County during the last two months has stepped up quite a bit, according to reports of the County Court Clerk at Jonesville. The records show seven licenses issued during the month of August, and so far nine in September, still rather low but an increase over the months of the war period, when the number often run as low as two or three in a month.

Those obtaining licenses in August were:

Hubert Hood, 22, East Stone Gap and Betty Tritt, 18, Woodway; Rudolph Shuler, 23, and Juanita Knight, 23, both of Keokee; Loyal Flanary, 25, of Blackwater, and Patricia Burnside, 21, of Spokane, Wash.

Roy Williams, 25, Elizabethton, Tenn., and Lois Fannon, 19, of Olinger; George Rhea, 25, and Georgia Burgan, 17, both of Pennington Gap, Charlie L. Boggs, 36, Leona Mines, and Rita Seymour, 16, St. Charles; Billy Seal, 20, and Martha Young, 22, both of Rose Hill.

Up In A Tree— Down In Hospital

Mrs. Olhe Brown, 61, of Dryden, states that she has climbed trees all her life, but "guesses she tried it once too many."

Mrs. Brown stepped up in the forks of a small apple tree at her home, reached up to grasp a limb, the limb broke and she fell to the ground, suffering a broken hip. She is in Lee General Hospital.

Two Pass September Examination, Board 1

Selective Service Board No. 1, Jonesville, Lee County, Virginia, lists the following two men who passed physical examination for September, 1945, call:

James Andrew Bray, Ewing; Luther Ray Collingsworth, Rt. 1, Blackwater.

St. Chas. Baptist Church

Sunday, October 7, special services will be held in the St. Charles Baptist Church in thanksgiving for the safe return of the 97 members who served in the armed forces. No gold stars were on the Service Flag of the Church.

Also on this Sunday a special offering will be taken to help defray the expenses of installing furnace heat.

The Third Sunday, which is the 21st, will be anniversary and homecoming day, commemorating the 15th year as pastor for Rev. Clinton Greene. The Rev. G. D. Barrett, of Johnson City, Tenn., will deliver the sermon, and dinner will be served at the church.

Sunday night, October 21st, Rev. Barrett will begin a revival service. Ministers and choirs from the various surrounding churches will assist.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar A. Lucas and daughter, Vernettie, of Louisville, Ky., visited Mrs. Lucas' sister, Mrs. Fred Quinley, and Mr. Quinley last week end.

All Bans On Home Building Removed

According to an Associated Press news release, dated Washington, September 18, the government has ordered all limits off new construction, including house building, on October 15.

Reconversion Director John W. Snyder threw out the price ceilings on new dwellings, along with the other wartime curbs on civilian construction. He said swift expansion of building activity offered "the greatest single additional source of jobs in our entire economy," and announced a six-point program to spur the expansion.

These prompt follow-up actions also were taken.

1. The War Production Board revoked its hotly disputed order "L-41" effective October 15, including the $6,000 price limit on permitted houses.

That action will permit unhampered construction of stores, theatres, dwellings, office and hotel buildings. It also will uncork a big public works program which has been bottled up for three years. Curbs on factory and road buildings are already off.

2. The OPA prepared to issue, probably at once, strict dollars and cents price ceilings on nearly all building supplies. These will cover plumbing, hardware and materials, as well as roof-laying and other contractor's services—in fact, almost everything but the lot and finished house.

But OPA Administrator Chester Bowles—just before Snyder acted—urged Congress to authorize price limits on completed homes, too. Otherwise, the country faces the "biggest price boom ever," he told a Senate small business committee.

Snyder put his main reliance on a rapid increase in the supply of housing to offset soaring prices on the 10,000,000 to 15,000,000 new homes, which is the country's estimated need.

This has been the argument of builders and real estate associations which have bombarded the White House and Congress with an estimated 40,000 letters and telegrams, asking removal of all construction curbs. However, the program to be steered by Snyder's Office of War Mobilization and Reconversion, contains several plans to combat inflation. It calls for:

1. Increasing the supply of scarce building material.

2. Tightening of price controls over building materials.

3. Cooperation of the Federal lending agencies to discourage excessive and unsound lending on mortgages, and the enlistment of voluntary help lenders.

4. Calling of real estate men, builders, supply dealers and contractors to Washington to lay out a voluntary program for holding down costs and increasing production.

5. Advisory service to any home buyer.

Card Of Thanks

The children of the late Mrs. Margaret Bales Gibson wish to thank their many friends and relatives for the many kindnesses shown them during the long illness and passing of their mother.

September Term Of Circuit Court Adjourns

Rose Hill Boy Killed While Squirrel Hunting

Franklin Long, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Long, of Rose Hill, was fatally shot by his cousin, Willard Long, 14, son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Long, also of Rose Hill, while the two were out squirrel hunting late Saturday evening, it is reported.

According to Lee County Sheriff J. S. Doyle, Franklin had climbed a tall tree, and Willard, mistakenly thinking the movein the tree was that of a squirrel, shot him, the bullet entering the boy's left side.

Death was pronounced accidental at a coroner's inquest Saturday evening, headed by C. M. Seals, foreman, Sheriff Doyle stated. The body was taken to Cawood Funeral Home in Middlesboro. Funeral services were held at Arthur's Chapel with the Rev. Wright Cottrell in charge. Interment was in Catron Cemetery.

Franklin is survived by his parents, one brother, Charles, two sisters, Verda and Ruby, all of Rose Hill; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Zion Tritt, of St. Charles, and Mrs. Dora Long, of Rose Hill.

Induction Call For Oct., Local Board 2

Selective Service Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, Lee County, Virginia, lists the following registrants who will fill induction call for October:

Everett Taylor, Jr., St. Charles; Edgar Paul Gilliam, Pennington Gap; Thomas Jackson Hester, Jr., St. Charles; Rader Stewart, St. Charles; Wallace C. Vanoy, St. Charles; Johnny Nickdom, St. Charles; James Cecil Robbins, Rt. 1, Keokee; Edward R. Snodgrass, Keokee; John Delbert Short, Keokee.

Feeder Calf Sale At Ewing, Va., Oct. 5

County Agent R. C. Carter, today announced the first feeder calf sale of the season to be held at Ewing, Va., October 5.

The sale will be sponsored by Lee Farmers Cooperative, with Mr. Carter as sales manager, and H. H. Terry, of Montery, Va., auctioneer. Five hundred calves are expected to be sold at this sale, Mr. Carter stated, said calves to be graded by graders from Virginia State Markets, and to be vaccinated for black leg and shipping fever.

The calves will probably be the highest bred group ever sold in Lee County, having been sired by registered Hereford bulls. In the past, Mr. Carter said, these calves have been sold into Ohio, Indiana, Kentucky, Tennessee, North Carolina, Pennsylvania, Maryland, West Virginia, as well as various sections of Virginia.

Mr. Carter stated that the second feeder calf sale would be held at Ewing November 9.

Youth Fellowship Elects Officers

The Youth Fellowship, Methodist Church, has elected the following officers to serve for the ensuing conference year:

President, Gene Philip Reasor; Vice-President, Eugene Lee Mehaffey; Secretary-Treasurer, Elise Rhea; Chairman Worship Commission, Evelyn Kirk; Chairman Recreation Commission, Nola Myers; Chairman Commission of Community Service, Jay Graham; Chairman Commission of World Friendship, Bruce Kelly; Pianists, Mildred Kelly, Floravista McKinnon; Counsellor, Claude Grace.

P. T. A. Reception

Rev. P. R. Stubbs, president, announces a P. T. A. reception to be given at the Methodist Church Monday evening, September 24, at 7:30.

Mrs. M. H. Robbins is chairman of the program committee for the year and Mrs. C. D. Mehaffey is the secretary.

The public is cordially invited to attend this reception.

Several Cases Disposed of—Some Continued

Lee County Circuit Court, which opened at Jonesville Monday, September 3, was scheduled to adjourn either today or tomorrow, according to information of Commonwealth Attorney Robert B. Ely. Quite a few cases have been disposed of, Attorney Ely said, and some are continued until next court. Following are some of the cases tried:

Commonwealth vs. Clyde Yount, in a heavily contested case, charged with the malicious wounding of Clyde Sexton, last election day, 1944. Yount was given one year in the state prison. Commonwealth Attorney Ely was assisted in the prosecution by Attorney E. M. Robinette, and attorneys for the defense were Fred B. Grear and W. L. Davidson.

Commonwealth vs. White Nelson and William Burchette, charged with grand larceny in more than $5.00 worth of poultry. The defendants pled guilty and were given six months each in the County jail.

Commonwealth vs. Bus Stapleton and Bascom Barnette charged with perjury relative to false statements made in getting driver's permit. Defendants pled guilty and were given fines of $150.00 each.

Commonwealth vs. Milo Bowen, charged with manufacturing whiskey. Bowen pled guilty, and was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary, and admitted to probation.

The case of Emory Head and others charged with the murder of Coy Bishop a year or more ago, was continued.

The case of Bert Buchanan, charged with the killing of his cousin, Clarence Crusenberry, at Turner's Siding several months ago, was continued.

S. S. Instructions Affecting H. S. and College Students

According to announcements today by the Local Selective Service Boards in the county, the following instructions, as it affects high school and college students, are now in effect:

Postponement of induction—high school student. (a) Any person eighteen or nineteen years of age who, while pursuing a course of instruction at high school or similar institution of learning, is ordered to report for induction during the last half of one of his academic years at such school or institution, shall, upon his request, have his induction postponed until the end of such academic year, without regard to the date during the calendar year on which such academic year ends, or until he ceases to pursue such course of instruction, whichever is the earlier.

(b) Any person who entered upon a course of instruction at a high school or similar institution of learning before he became eighteen years of age and who is ordered to report for induction during the time he is pursuing such course of instruction, shall upon his request, have his induction postponed (1) until he ceases to pursue continuously and satisfactory such course of instruction, or (3) until he arrives at the age of twenty years, whichever is the earlier.

Postponement of induction—college students. (a) Any person who entered upon a course of instruction at a college or university before he became eighteen years of age and who is ordered to report for induction during a quarter or semester of such course of instruction shall, upon his request have his induction postponed (1) until the end of such quarter or semester, or (2) until he ceases to pursue continuously and satisfactorily such course of instruction, whichever is the earlier.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kirk, of St. Charles, were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kirk and daughter, Linda Joyce, and Mr. Kenneth Harber of Norton.

St. Charles PERSONALS

Rev. and Mrs. C. R. McPherson plan to leave early in October for Kentucky or some point near his new field of evangelistic work assigned him by the Kentucky Conference. Rev. McPherson has served for four years as pastor of the Methodist Church in St. Charles, under the supervision of the Holston Conference. He has engagements in the evangelistic work to keep him busy until near Christmas.

The members of the Ladies Aid met at the home of Mrs. Carl Evans a few evenings ago and gave Mrs. McPherson a "going away" shower. A large number of ladies were present and Mrs. McPherson received valuable gifts.

St. Charles High School is seemingly on the way to a successful year. Professor Rufus Fugate reports an enrollment of 771-507 in the grades and 264 in High School.

Mrs. C. C. Newman, president of the P. T. A., held a meeting the first Friday afternoon in September for the purpose of installing new officers and planning objectives for the new term An athletic program is being planned, Prof. Fugate states, and basketball will begin at an early date Other sports programs will be announced later.

Announcement has been received of the promotion of Arnold Davis, USN., to the rank of Petty Officer. He is serving with the Atlantic Fleet Service Force in NOB, Norfolk.

PO. Davis has been in service for about fifteen months, and prior to his enlistment was engaged in the Modern Cleaners Establishment at St. Charles, with his father. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Davis. He has a wife, who is with him at Norfolk. His brother, R. O. Davis, was released from Navy service about three weeks ago, and is working with the Modern Cleaners.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Tolbert, Big Stone Gap, spent the week end here with his mother, Mrs. Lee Reece.

Mrs. J. S. Gaylor is back from a two-months' stay in Kentucky.

Mrs. Bradley Harber, of Jonesville, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wacks.

Pvt. Roscoe Hans, Jr., of Jonesville, visited in St. Charles last week end.

Mrs. Lee Reece is back from a two-weeks' visit with her daughter, Mrs. Hal Winfrey, at Knoxville.

Mr and Mrs. W. A. Gilley are at home again from Baltimore, where he has been employed for more than two years.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lyttle are on their way to St. Charles from California where he has been employed.

Seaman 1-C. Roy Rutherford, has returned to his post after a weeks' visit with friends in St. Charles.

Mrs. Henrietta Seymour left Sunday for Baltimore, where she will visit indefinitely with members of her family.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur England, of Leatherwood, Ky., are visiting with friends in St. Charles and with Mr England's sister, Mrs. Emett Haynes and family of Bonny Blue

Mrs Bob Anderson, of Baltimore, is visiting among friends in St. Charles

Allan Grey Seymour, SF 3-C., has recently been reassigned to U. S. Navy service in Washington His enlistment is for three years.

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in
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Also Late News

Friday and Saturday, September 28—29
DOUBLE FEATURE
Rustlers Of Bad Lands
with
CHARLES STARRETT
also
Blonde From Brooklyn
with
ROBERT STANTON
SERIAL

News From JONESVILLE

Week of Sept 13

Route 2

Flatwood High School opened Monday, September 3, with a good attendance Former students of the school who visited during the week were Ralph Russell, Army; Kyle Smith, Navy, Boone Harris, Marines Dave Neff, Army, and Anna Jones, student at Mary Washington College.

T. J Willis, son of Mr and Mrs D L Willis, has been on leave from Norfolk, Va, this week. Cecil Smith, son of Mrs Willis, has also been spending a furlough with his family.

Kenneth Edens, Great Lakes, Ill, spent a few days with his mother, Mrs M S Edens, and his sister, Mrs Robert Graham, the past week.

Mrs. Jesse Kinder and infant daughter, Sandra Kay, returned from Lee General Hospital Friday to the home of her mother, Mrs. Flora E. Bowen Mr Kinder, serving in the U S Army, arrived here from New Mexico Sunday afternoon for several days furlough with them

Frank Willis, who has been stationed in Georgia, spent a few days with his wife and children recently

O[illegible] Jones and daughter, Marie[illegible], spent the week end with Mr and Mrs Baylor Daugherty, of Paoli, Ind They were accompanied home by Mrs Jones, who has been a patient at Dunn Memorial Hospital, Bedford, Ind., and Anne Jones, who visited with Mr and Mrs Daugherty during the month of August

Mr R Warner and Miss Kathleen Ely were married in Middlesboro, Ky, Saturday, September 8

Mr and Mrs. Lester Myers and children visited Mrs Flora Bowen Sunday afternoon

There will be a homecoming at the Friendship Baptist Church the fifth Sunday in September

News From HAGAN

Week of Sept 13

Mr and Mrs Cellie Thomas and family were visiting Mr and Mrs C[illegible] Cassell and family of Rose Hill, Sunday afternoon

Misses Bonnie Langley and Betty Inga spent Sunday with Mrs Dewey Langley and mother

Mr and Mrs Lester Hensley and son, of Ky, are spending a few days with his parents, Mr and Mrs Gill Hensley

Miss Eula Mae Ely, who has been employed at Radford, Va, is visiting her parents, Mr and Mrs. John Ely.

Mr and Mrs. Rex Hounshell and children, of Newport News, Va., are visiting her parents, Mr and Mrs. Kelly Cox

Mrs. Homer Depew and children, of Hubbard Springs, were visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Langley, Sunday.

L. M. U. Contemplates Successful Year

Lincoln Memorial University, at Harrogate, Tenn., contemplates an increased student enrollment and a very successful term this year, according to Dr. Stewart W. McClelland, President.

Dr. McClelland states that they are making every effort to offer students an excellent faculty and to provide for the happiness and welfare of those who select L. M. U. as their college home.

Heads of Departments and Instructors for the year are as follows:

Mrs. Bessie M. Anderson, Instructor in Education; Floyd Bowling, Assistant Professor of Physical Sciences; C. W. Bradley, Coach and Assistant Professor of Physical Education, Grady Cox, Director of Music; Henry F Dickenson, Professor of Education; Jess H. Edds, Professor of Psychology; Nora Ellison, Instructor in Education; T. A. Frick, Dean and Professor of Natural Sciences; Ethel Hamilton, Assistant Professor of Education; LeRoy Johnson, Assistant Professor of Natural Sciences; C. L. Jordon, Assistant Professor of History; Herbert Y. Liveasy, Professor of Sociology; Jane Lotspeech, Assistant Professor of History; R. Gerald McMurtry, Director of the Department of Lincolniana and Instructor in History; Ellen Massingill, Assistant Professor of Physical Sciences; Ruth Moore, Instructor in Home Economics; Lena Saine, Assistant Professor of Foreign Languages; Ann Simonial, Director of Physical Education; Mrs. Foss Smith, Dean of Women; Earl Hobson Smith, Associate Professor of English and Dramatic Arts; Myrtle Ellison Smith, Assistant Professor of Home Economics; Mae Walker, Assistant Professor of Business Education; Boyd A Wise, Dean Emeritus and Professor of English

News From STICKLEYVILLE

Mrs. W. F. Watson and grandson, Billy Rogers, have returned to their home in Oakland City, Ind., after a visit with her mother, Mrs. W. S. Sage.

W. E. Sage, of Anadarko, Okla., has been visiting for a couple of months with friends in Virginia, Tennessee and Kentucky. Mr. Sage is a former Lee Countian, and this is his first visit here in more than twenty years.

An all-day Home Coming and Quarterly meeting was held at Blue Springs Church, of which Rev. Robert Tickle is pastor, last Sunday, Sept. 16. Rev. Gerald Price delivered the morning sermon, and in the afternoon Rev. Roy E. Early, Supt. Big Stone Gap District, was the speaker. Dinner on the ground.

Mrs. S. W. Anderson received a telegram Monday from her daughter, Lt. Lois A. Spears, stating that she has landed safely in New York, and would be "seeing them soon."

Lt. Spears has been in overseas service for the past several months with the U. S. Army Nurses' Corps.

Mrs Ozro Young, who has been a patient in Johnson City Hospital, is back home slightly improved.

Mrs. W. F. Watson and Mrs. Paul Sage spent Friday in Pennington Gap

Miss Doris Dishner is back as principal of Stickleyville School, after a long illness.

Dr. and Mrs. B. T. Young are expecting at any time the arrival of their son, Major Tyler Young, from overseas service.

Another Major of our community, Ralph S. Rasnic, has been in overseas service for more than eighteen months, and his mother, Mrs. Cordie Rasnic, is anxiously awaiting news of his arrival back in the States.

Virgil Minton Now Aboard USS Essex

Virgil Minton, 20, carpenter's mate, 3-C., USNR, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Minton, Jonesville, Va., serves aboard the carrier "Essex" which steered close to the shores of Tokyo with Task Force 36 to launch her planes against the remaining strength of the enemy in the final days of the war.

All hands answered reveille several hours before sunrise that morning. They had their breakfast and were waiting at their stations for the first light of dawn when the deafening roar of the flight of fighters took off one by one, followed by the bombers and torpedo planes.

Hundreds of Jap planes were destroyed on the ground, but few were sent up to challenge the attacks. The few that dared to fly out to the Task Force never returned.

The above story of Minton was broadcast over WOPI on the evening of August 29.

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Better known as the James Seal farm Located on two roads This farm is one of the outstanding farms of Lee County Will be sold in two parts or as whole with 1-2 of 15 Acres Corn, 1-2 cut hay and 40 Acres Meadow and nearly all farming machinery goes with farm. Possession at once.
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With Our Service Men

Speeded toward home from overseas as part of the "Green Project" which calls for the Air Transport Command's Caribbean Division to fly 30,000 returnees from Europe to Miami Army Air Field each month, several more men are back in the States. In less than 24 hours they left for Camp Blanding, Fla., by rail. From there they will go to a reception center nearer home for separation from the service or furlough prior to reassignment. Among them are:

T. 5 Edward J. Minks, son of Mrs. Darleina O. Minks, of St. Charles, who has participated in combats in Northern France and Central Germany. He holds the Good Conduct Medal, three battle stars and the E. T. O. Ribbon.

Cpl. Marshall V. Robbins, Keokee, Va., R. 1., returning from Field Artillery Bn., in Northern France, Ardennes, Rhineland, Central Germany, with three battle stars., E. T. O. Ribbon, Good Conduct Ribbon.

Oscar L. Farley, of Pennington Gap, who served with the 825 T. D. Battalion. He holds the Good Conduct Ribbon and four battle stars.

In Okinawa campaign

Bradley F. Young, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Young, of the Flatwood community, near Jonesville, served twice on the USS "Block Island," which took part continuously in the Okinawa campaign for six weeks.

He enlisted in January, 1942, at the age of 17. He first took bugle course, and is now quartermaster 2-C. He served in the Atlantic Area until July of last year, then obtained a 30-day furlough home. On his return he was assigned to Brimington, Wash., to another ship, but after the Block Island was reconstructed he was assigned to that ship again. He arrived in San Francisco from Borneo the 21st day of last December.

Released from hospital

Pfc. Timothy J. Hall, Rt. 4, Jonesville, Va., was on August 24, 1945, discharged from the Army at Borden General Hospital, Chickasha, Okla., after four months of hospitalization.

First to return

Pfc. Raymond Keller, who served 23 months overseas, eight months of which were spent on duty in the Philippines, was one of the first to return from the South Pacific Area after the Jap surrender. He holds the American Defense Ribbon, Asiatic-Pacific Theater ribbons with one battle star, the Good Conduct Medal and the Philippines Liberation ribbon, authorized by the Commonwealth Government of the Philippines, and the American Theater Ribbon.

Pfc Keller's wife lives at Hattiesville, Miss., and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Keller, reside at St. Charles. Keller left his unit immediately after the Jap surrender was announced.

Speeding Redeployment

Speeding American troops homeward through the Le Havre Port of Embarkation, France, in the Army's redeployment system, is Sgt. Franklin J. Johnson, Pennington Gap, Va., who is a member of Camp Herbert Tareyton, one of the five staging areas through which troops are funnelled to waiting ships.

The port, which has shipped an average of almost 6,000 troops per day since V-E Day, has facilities in these staging areas for 150,000 troops and has handled the bulk of troops bound for the states. Men over age, men with more than 85 points, recovered prisoners, are shipped to the states as well as combat and service units being redeployed to the Pacific Theater via the States.

He is the son of Mrs. Rosa Johnson of Pennington Gap

News From BENEDICT

Mr and Mrs. Walter Yates, Mrs Lucille Hall, Mrs Beulah Terry and Mrs Mildred Cress, all of Ben Hur, visited among relatives and friends here last week

Mr and Mrs. Bil Kinsley, of Blackwater, spent last week with relatives here

Mrs Bonnie Sturgill spent last Wednesday with relatives at Monarch.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Daniels entertained as dinner guests Sunday, Pfc James R. Loftice, Ft. Meade, Md., Pfc Ray Montgomery, who has recently been discharged from the Army after three years' service in Australia, Sam Loftice and son, Walter, Middlesboro, Ky., Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Loftice and children, Mrs. Susan Loftice, Alva, Ky., Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jackson, Baltimore, Md.

Miss Doris Jackson has returned to her home in Baltimore, Md, after spending the summer here with her aunt, Mrs. Robert Daniels.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Carter, of Baltimore, was visiting Mr and Mrs. Robert Fortner and family here last week.

Mrs. Irene Scarborough and little daughter, Gloria Jean, of Monarch, were visiting Mrs. Bonnie Sturgill and family here last week end.

There were eight who left here Monday for examination for service. They were: Hansford Howard, Billy Ray Blevins, Edmon Allen, Harrison Lawson, James Spears, John Ray Hayes, Wilburn Bledsoe.

News From DRYDEN

Miss Lee Francis, of Bonny Blue, made a business trip to Kentucky the first of the week.

Charlie Moorefield, of Pennington Gap, was visiting on Stone Creek last week.

Mr. ad Mrs. James Sturgill and family, of Stonega, were visiting relatives in Poor Valley, Sunday.

Cpl. Roy Davis has been transferred to China from India, and expects to be in service for another year.

Millard Ledford of Kentucky, visited relatives on Dry Branch last Sunday.

Billy and Kent Astrop, Miss Juanita and Mrs. Edith Astrop were shopping in Harlan Monday.

Mrs. Rebecca Davis, of Fancy, Ga., visited Mr. and Mrs. Holly Astrop last week. Mrs. Davis also visited relatives in Big Hill, and is now at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Sarah Hunter, of Norton.

Lee County Boy Gets Bronze Star

Technician fourth grade Billie V. Hedrick is another Lee County soldier to be awarded for "meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy"

T-4 Hedrick was awarded the Bronze Star Medal on June 17, 1945, at Seventh Army Headquarters for his outstanding service in Belgium and Germany from 13, January 1945, to 8, May, 1945.

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Former Lee Countian Promoted To Captain

The promotion to rank of captain of Henry S. Shackleford, son of Mrs. Sarah Shackleford, of St. Charles, Va., has been announced by headquarters of the Sacramento Air Technical Service Command.

At the time he entered the Army, Captain Shackleford's home was in Harrogate, Tenn. He entered the army as an enlisted man on May 29, 1941, and received his commission as 2nd Lieutenant on November 28, 1942, after graduating from OCS. He was promoted to 1st Lieutenant on June 3, 1943. He is now chief of the Chemical Warefare of the Property Branch Chief in the Supply Division.

His wife, Rosalee and a son, Phillip Michael, are with Capt. Shackleford at Sacramento, Cal.

How women and girls may get wanted relief from functional periodic pain

Cardui, many women say, has brought relief from the cramp-like agony and nervous strain of functional periodic distress. Taken like a tonic, it "could stimulate appetite, aid digestion" thus help build resistance for the "time" to come. Started 3 days before "your time", it should help relieve pain due to purely functional periodic causes. Try it!

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Pennington Gap, Virginia.

LADY'S STOMACH WAS LIKE A GAS FACTORY; MEALS TURNED TO GAS

One lady said recently that her stomach used to be like a "gas factory!" That is, when she ate a meal it seemed to turn right into gas. She was always bloated, had awful stomach gas pains, daily headaches and constant irregular bowel action. Now, however, this lady says she is FREE of STOMACH GAS and she says the change is due to taking ERB-HELP. Her meals agree with her. No gas or bloat after eating. Headaches and constipation are gone. "Oh! what relief!" states this lady. "Why don't other gas and constipation sufferers get ERB-HELP?"

ERB-HELP contains 12 Great Herbs; they cleanse bowels, clear gas from stomach, act on sluggish liver and kidneys. Miserable people soon feel different all over. So don't go on suffering! Get ERB-HELP. Sold by All Drug Stores here in Lee County.

We Recommend and Stock
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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

Andy Botkin has a hobby

Andy Botkin, tavern keeper at the Garden Cafe, has a hobby. It's writing to all the service men who used to make his place a sort of club.

And do they appreciate it! One of them sent him a German combat helmet; another, a Jap flag. He's got pictures and coins and souvenirs of all kinds on the wall—mementos with "To Andy" written on them.

And he showed me the letters that he's got back . . . from homesick privates to reminiscent colonels. Letters about home and Main Street and the Garden Cafe . . . from men who remember listening to football scores on Andy's radio, sharing a mild glass of beer with friends . . .

From where I sit, Andy's doing a one-man job of boosting morale. Andy's spotless tavern, with its decent, homelike surroundings, is doing a job on the home front, too . . . in promoting moderation and wholesome relaxation.

Joe Marsh

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Come Back Home Jobs Are Waiting

A LOT of our patriotic neighbors left home to serve their country, either in the armed services or in war industries.

If you are one of them, we want you to know there is a warm welcome and a job waiting for you here.

We hope you will come back to make your home here among your old friends and neighbors. This is a good town with a lot of fine people—and a fine future.

Plenty of Jobs Here

In addition to the opportunities here with which you are familiar, some new ones have developed during the war. For instance, a lot of people around here have been making good money working in pulpwood. The tremendous war-time demand for pulpwood will continue because of the civilian demand that has been piling up and the many new industrial uses that have been discovered. Pulpwood has no reconversion problem.

And that is typical of most of our business here. It runs along pretty steadily—no big ups and downs. You can enjoy security here and a nice way of living that doesn't cost every penny you make.

So come on back home to stay! We'll be mighty glad and proud to have you with us again.

Cut this out- Mail it to somebody you want to come back home

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Resolution Of Endorsement

August 31, 1945

We, the Lee County Women's Republican Organization do hereby endorse and support the following candidates:

For Governor--Sen. Floyd M. Landreth
For Lt. Governor--Carl Marshall
For Atty. General--Lester Parsons
For House of Delegates--Fred Kirk
Of Lee County

Signed
Women's Republican Club
Of Lee County

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One nice building lot, 60 x 140, in front of J. O. Gibson's residence; good price for quick sale.

Six nice building lots in Barlow subdivision, just south of the Hospital.

One nice, 7-acre tract, just slightly rolling; beautiful location to build—real good land, in the Barlow subdivision, on top of Skaggs' Hill.

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JOBS!

All of us believe in the future of America. We believe that the present uncertainty is only a temporary period between war prosperity and an era of peacetime plenty.

But believing is not enough. That alone, is not the answer to unemployment and the other hazards of reconversion through which we are passing. The only solution for unemployment is—JOBS.

We, in this community, are fortunate. Of course, the national situation is bound to have some influence on each state and county of the nation, but by and large we have no reconversion problems here. Our farms and forests are producing commodities as necessary to the well-being of the country and as urgently needed now as during the crucial years of the war. Our coal mining industry is being called upon to produce coal comparable to the war years. A job is waiting for most anyone who wishes to work.

Of course, working on a farm or cutting pulpwood in the forests does not pay the swollen wages obtainable from some of the big city war industries before V-J Day. But living and working here does not cut wide gaps into a pay-check either, with everything from rent to recreation at inflated prices. In fact, taking all things into consideration, it is possible to live better and save more at current wages here than could be done with considerable higher big city wages.

Nor are current wages low. Current farm prices enable farmers to earn and pay good wages, while pay for pulpwood cutters and haulers and other workers in forest industries are higher than they have ever been.

If anybody wants good living, doing healthy and invigorating work at good wages, he can find it on one of our neighboring farms or in cutting urgently needed top quality pulpwood for one of our neighboring pulp mills.

There is no reconversion problem here.

LEE COUNTY'S ILL PUBLICITY

By Lt. Edgar Bacon, Jonesville, Va.

In the past four years I have met and talked with people from every section of the United States, and I find that practically all of them have about the same opinion of Lee County and this section of the country. Most of them think that we are a bunch of "ridge runners" who settle our disputes by feuds and that we are largely a "snake-handling Holiness sect," and that we believe in ghosts and all sorts of mystics.

I am deadly serious when I say that this is the opinion that many people from all over the United States have towards us. They have formed their opinions from the ill publicity that Lee County and surrounding territory has gotten in the past few years.

Now I do not maintain that Lee County is the most highly developed place I've ever seen, or that the people of Lee County are the most highly educated or the wealthiest people to be found, but I do maintain that our fair county of Lee with its beautiful mountains and valleys and streams and farms with rolling green fields over which roam herds of fat cattle, and on which farms are grown numerous crops with bountiful yield, and whose people are unsurpassed in hospitality and integrity and intelligence, who conduct church services with all sanctity and reverence and who carry out the laws of county, state and Federal government through duly elected representatives and courts of justice—ranks along with the best.

It is my opinion that the greater majority of the people of Lee County have been done a great injustice by the type of publicity it has received in the press and radio in the past few years.

The type of people who believe in mystics and ghosts and those who belong to the "Snake Handlers Cult" comprise only the smallest minority of Lee County's populace and certainly are not representative Lee Countians, yet their "carryings on" have been so widely publicized that thousands of people over the United States think they are representative of this area.

[illegible] from a letter received from a Lee County boy in Great Lakes Naval Training Station. He said in his letter: "I went to a show last night and saw a news-[illegible] Pennington Gap. It was about those 'Snake [illegible].' We really got a ribbing about that today. [illegible] boys here think that everyone around [illegible] on like that."

[illegible] Lee Countian and I'm proud of it, so it [illegible] for our fair county to be subjected to so much ill publicity.

Jonesville PERSONALS

Miss Thelma Smith, of Oak Ridge, spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Orr and son, Lelan, of Fairfax County, after spending ten days vacation visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Z. Orr and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cox, of Route 4, returned to their home the last of the week to be on time for the opening of school.

Mr. Orr teaches handcraft, woodcraft and metal working in the Herndon High School.

Cpl. Walter R. Cox, recently returned from the European Theater of War, is enjoying a 30-day furlough with his wife and parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cox, of Route 4. For the past eighteen months he has been in the combat area in England, France, Belgium and Germany, and narrowly missed being caught in the Bulge. He expects to return soon to Fort Meade and will probably receive his discharge from the Army.

While in Germany he met with his brother, Fred, for three days at Stuttgart, and also once while in France.

College students

Among the young people here who have gone or will be leaving soon to attend their chosen schools and colleges are:

Betty Jean Keel, Jean Sewell, Maxie Roop, Radford; Nanette Fox, Union College at Barbourville; Francis Perkins, Emory & Henry; Helen Price and Mary Lee Garrett, Knoxville Business College; Pauline Warner, Tennessee School of Beauty Culture.

Miss Stella Conn spent Tuesday in Middlesboro.

Miss Saluda Sewell accompanied Misses Jean Sewell and Maxie Roop to Radford the first of the week to help them get settled in the State Teachers' College.

Mrs. Palmer Stallard, of Mt. Hope, had the following list of relatives during the past week end: her aunt, Mrs. Andy Leedy of St. Charles; her sister, Mrs. Rufus Hubbard and children and Mr. Hubbard, of St. Charles; Mrs. Jim Miller, of Keokee; Mr. and Mrs. Dan Driscoll, of Woodway; Eva Poteet and Erma Jean Ramey, of Jonesville.

Governor Receiving National Traffic Safety Contest Trophy

Governor Darden is shown receiving Virginia's trophy as the winner among the Southern States in the 1944 National Traffic Safety Contest. Those in the picture, left to right, are Burton Marye, Jr., Traffic and Planning Engineer for the State Highway Dept.; Crawley F. Joyner, Jr., Commissioner of the Division of Motor Vehicles; Governor Darden; Major James R. Nunn, Acting Superintendent of State Police and Carroll E. Mealey, Regional Director of the National Safety Council. Virginia traffic deaths were cut from 602 in 1943 to 552 in 1944.

Lee County Men Who Have Been Discharged From Armed Forces

We wish to advise all employers of the following Lee County men who have been separated from the services of the Armed Forces of the United States Re-employment Committeeman Sam J. Lewis, of the Local Selective Service Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, Va., or Miss Marie McNiel, chief clerk Selective Service Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va., will gladly assist employers in contacting men.

Mr. Lewis may be reached at Local Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, Va., and Miss McNiel at Local Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va.

A list of Lee County men discharged from the Armed Forces will appear in this newspaper each week as they are furnished to us by the two Local Selective Service Boards in the County.

James Carl Lankford, Rose Hill; Thomas Sheffy Fee, R. 2, Jonesville; Rex Luster Pendleton, R. 4, Jonesville; James Cleo Gollahon, R. 1, Rose Hill; Jess Willard Davis, R. 4, Jonesville; C. N. Hamilton Warf, R. 1, Ewing; Howard William Sumner, Hagan; John Henry Allen, R. 4, Jonesville; Jack Gibson, R. 2, Rose Hill; Roy Tom Bailey, R. 1, Ewing; Woodrow Wilder, R. 1, Jonesville; Morris Euster Gilpin, Ewing; Louis Franklin Tompkins, R. 3, Jonesville; Clifford Luther Hobbs, Rose Hill; Neal Howard Ingle, Ocoonita; Daimer Marcum, R. 3, Jonesville; James Howard Baumgardner, Ben Hur; Benjamin Sewell Richmond, Jonesville; James Cornelius Kensinger, Rogersville, Tenn.; Omer Clifton Owens, R. 2, Rose Hill; Alexander Campbell Wynn, Jonesville; Dillard Lawrence Taylor, Ewing; Joseph Elmer Carter, Jonesville; Denver N. Livingston, R. 2, Blackwater; Oral Crumley, R. 1, Jonesville; Vernon Q. Kirk, R. 1, Jonesville; William George Whited, Ewing; Woodrow M. Collins, R. 4, Jonesville; William Tomlinson, R. 4, Jonesville;

William H. Morgan, R. 2, Rose Hill; Ronald Odell Elkins, R. 3, Jonesville; Champ Hall, R. 1, Jonesville; William Baynard Poteet, R. 4, Jonesville; Millard R. Scott, Rose Hill; Roscoe Goins, R. 2, Jonesville; Elmer Hensley, Rose Hill; Jody Benton Hounshell, Jonesville; Claude Munsey Orick, Jonesville; Rhea Southgate Jerrell, R. 4, Jonesville; Clyde I. Pendleton, Jonesville; Esaw Gibbons, Rose Hill; Jack Houston Brooks, Ewing; Don Joe Foster, R. 2, Pennington Gap; Charles Wade Johnson, R. 2, Jonesville; Pearl Noe Minton, R. 2, Jonesville; Otto Milford Ledford, Jonesville; Ted Little, R. 4, Jonesville; James Timothy Lambert, R. 1, Ewing; Lester Long, Rose Hill; Ralph Edward Stapleton, R. 1, Ewing; Daniel F. Young, R. 2, Jonesville; Roy Lee Smith, Rose Hill; Cecil Cox, Jonesville; Arville H. J. Cole, Rose Hill; Lloyd Hampton Fannon, R. 4, Jonesville; Abraham Jones, Ben Hur; Edward Jackson Hester, R. 1, Rose Hill; Alonzo Virgil Gregory, Jonesville;

Wendell Edwin Edwards, R. 1, Ewing; Hubert Cheek, R. 4, Jonesville; Bee Maness, R. 3, Jonesville; Robert Akiles William, R. 1, Gibson Station; Jerry Junior Harber, Rose Hill; Leggett Traver Oaks, Ocoonita; James Paul Kirk, Ben Hur; Rains M. Robbins, Ben Hur; Clifford William Carroll; Jonesville; Carl Eugene Pennington, R. 2, Jonesville; Clyde Earl Rowlett, Ewing; General Cheek, Rose Hill; Wallace Reed Johnson, Jonesville; Colonel Slemp Moore, Jonesville; John Brent Arnold, R. 2, Jonesville; Willie Emory Anderson, R. 4, Jonesville; Robert Williams, R. 4, Jonesville; Arthur Taylor, Ewing; John Seals, Ewing; Merion Patton Shupe, R. 2, Jonesville; Shermon Lemons, R. 1, Ewing; Bruce Romain Barnes, R. 1, Ewing; Dave Sewell Fleenor, Jonesville; Woodrow Williams, Jonesville; Caswell Harber, Hubbard Springs; Earl Marshall Spangler, Hubbard Springs; Herbert Milford Hicks, Jonesville; Marion V. Orr, Jonesville; Charles R. DeVault, R. 1, Jonesville;

Kermit Fields, R. 1, Jonesville; Virgil Eck Hounshell, R. 2, Jonesville; Bishop Bailey, Jonesville; Kelly Day Gibson, R. 1, Rose Hill; Ben Gibson, R. 1, Gibson Station; Marvin James Young, R. 1, Rose Hill; Arlie James Tompkins, R. 4, Jonesville; Martin Evert Tonker, Jonesville; Rader Miles, R. 3, Jonesville; Onis Conley Kinser, R. 2, Jonesville; Joe Spurlock, R. 2, Jonesville; Noyce Burgan, Hubbard Springs; Charles Alfred Covey, R. 2, Jonesville; Carlis Milton Thomas, Rose Hill; Gib Hensley, Jonesville; Wheeler Parsons, Jr., Jonesville; Golden Rufus Goins, R. 1, Blackwater; George Lawrence Marcum, Rose Hill; William Warren Sensabaugh, R. 1, Rose Hill; Albert James Ray, R. 1, Rose Hill; William Burleson Orr, R. 4, Jonesville; Tilman Gilpin, Ewing; Beryl Jones Harris, Ewing; Robert Almond Davis, Rose Hill; Doyle Denver Jones, Rose Hill; Luther Henderson Oaks, Rose Hill; Henry James, R. 3, Jonesville; John Carroll; Jonesville;

Pfc. Stewart Off For 3-Year Tour Of Duty

Pfc. Fred N. Stewart, son of Mrs. Emma J. Stewart, of Pennington Gap, was sworn into the regular army September 18 for a three-year tour of duty with the Army Air Forces at Seymour Johnson Field, N. C.

Pfc. Stewart entered the service on August 15, 1940. On August 7, 1942, he departed for overseas as a cook with the Engineers, and returned to the states on June 8 of the same year.

He wears the European Theater Ribbon with four battle stars for action in Normandy, Central France and Germany. At the conclusion of a 90-day furlough Pfc. Stewart will return to the First Air Force base at Seymour Johnson Field, to rejoin his outfit.

Mrs. Fuller Says She's Thankful For Retonga

Distress From Indigestion, Loss of Appetite, and Weak Run-Down Feeling Promptly Relieved, Declares Mrs. Fuller. Has Regained Several Pounds.

Happily praising Retonga for the relief this noted herbal and Vitamin B-1 medicine gave them, well known men and women are daily coming forward to tell others about this famous preparation. Among the latest is Mrs. Betty Fuller, of 175 Woodward Ave., Atlanta, Ga., who gratefully states:

"I felt so weak and rundown that it was all I could do to drag through my housework. My appetite was gone and sour burning indigestion tortured me after practically every meal. So much gas formed in my stomach I felt like it would cut off my breath. I felt nervous and restless and what little sleep I got did not seem to rest me. I had swimming headaches from sluggish elimination, my muscles often felt sore and painful, and I had to take a laxative practically every day.

"I will always thank Retonga for its wonderful relief. My food digests so well that I have regained eight pounds. I sleep restfully, and even the sluggish

Mrs. Betty Fuller

elimination is relieved. I don't know when I have felt stronger and better, and Retonga deserves all the credit."

Retonga is intended to relieve distress due to insufficient flow of gastric juices in the stomach, loss of appetite, Vitamin B-1 deficiency and constipation. Accept no substitute. Retonga may be obtained at Pennington Pharmacy, Incorporated.

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Announcement

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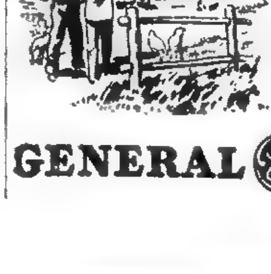
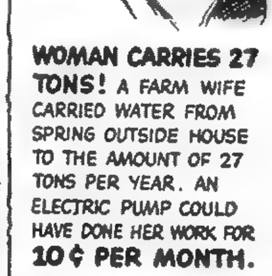




WOMAN CARRIES 27 TONS! A FARM WIFE CARRIED WATER FROM SPRING OUTSIDE HOUSE TO THE AMOUNT OF 27 TONS PER YEAR. AN ELECTRIC PUMP COULD HAVE DONE HER WORK FOR 10¢ PER MONTH.

GENERAL ELECTRIC

Dr. Davidson In Demand A-Bomb Speaker

Lee County Scientist Predicts Great Future For The Atomic Bomb

When some six years ago Dr. W. L. Davidson, of Akron, Ohio, son of W. L. Davidson, Sr., prominent attorney of Jonesville, Virginia, set up and put into operation the cycletron in the Yale University Research Department, little felt that it's effect would be felt around the world in so short a time, nor that it would have so much to do with his future.

Just recently, to quote the Akron Beacon Journal: "Dr. William Davidson, Jr., research physicist at B. F. Goodrich, finds himself in an exclusive position. So far as it is known at this time, Dr. Davidson is the only man of science in industry who turned down an invitation to join in the work on the super-bomb (atomic bomb.)

Now that the war is over, and interest in the atom bomb is beginning to die down a little, Dr. Davidson finds himself still much in demand as a speaker and an authority on this subject. The Goodrich Board of Directors, mostly Wall Street bankers, met in Akron on September 10, and Dr. Davidson addressed this group. On September 12 he spoke before the Optimist Club of Akron at the Mayflower Hotel, and on September 17 he also addressed the Cleveland (Lakewood) Rotary Club, being flown to and from this appointment by the chairman of the Club in his private plane. The fourth of his series of addresses will be given before the Wadsworth, Ohio Rotary Club, on October 16.

In the report of the War Department on the development of the atom bomb, the author suggests that for a technical background of the subject the reader should consult Pollard & Davidson's Applied Nuclear Physics This book, of which he is co author, is a principal text book on the subject, now used in many colleges and universities. The following is taken from the Akron Beacon Journal of August 24:

"Before the year 2000 A. D. rolls around there will be rocket trips to the moon. Fuel for the trip will be a chunk of metal about the size of a golf ball."

This was the prediction of Dr. W. L. Davidson, of the physical research division, B. F. Goodrich Co., in a talk before the Akron Crime Clinic, Inc., Thursday night. "Chances of harnessing the atomic energy, such as has been done in the case of the atomic bomb, for peacetime uses are very good indeed," Dr. Davidson said.

Discovery of the uranium fission which made the atomic bomb possible, took place in Germany late in 1938, he pointed out. "It is indeed fortunate for us that the discovery did not come a year later, since by that time Germany was at war and the outside world would never have heard about it," he went on. Americans would have felt the first atomic bomb had this timing not occurred, he continued.

The Goodrich researcher, co-author of a text book on atomic energy, and engaged in atomic study at Yale as early as 1940, is now engaged in special studies with X-ray and electronic defractions. He told these details about the atomic bomb:

Uranium consists mainly of atoms. One has an atomic mass of 235, the other 238. There are 140 times as many 238 atoms as there are 235. This makes it difficult for those who wish to make an atomic bomb, since the 235 atoms alone are the ones which explode when struck by a slow neutron. When a 235 atom does split, two new neutrons are given out. These must be utilized to make other 235 atoms explode, and so on down the chain.

But with it all the 238 atoms flocking around just itching to gobble up these neutrons, too, the poor outnumbered 235 atoms don't have a chance. If a pound of pure 235 could be separated out and a neutron stuck into it, it would make a super dooper fire cracker. The whole idea sounds very easy, because there is a pound of U235 in every 140 pound lot of ordinary uranium. But the job is tough. The two are so chemically identical that regular chemical methods are useless. Before the war, a Minnesota physicist worked for months separating U235 and at the end had only one tenth enough to make a pin head.

Scientists found that U239, formed by slow neutron bombardment of U238, split. It was found to be artificially radioactive and would transform into a new element in a few days. The new element, unlike uranium, was called Plutonium, after the planet Pluto.

In a pile containing tons of uranium, only a few grams of Plutonium will be produced each day. "Chemists probably must work over 100 tons of uranium to get Plutonium enough for a single bomb," Dr. Davidson estimated.

"Consequently, even with our great plants at Oak Ridge and Hanford," he declared, "I would wager our stockpile of atom bombs is nearer a dozen than a gross."

Lonesome Pine Ends, Playoff Starts Sunday

(Continued from page one)

Charles Miners to a 7 to 1 victory in the first game, striking out 12 men and allowing but 4 scattered hits. Wacks pitched the second victory for the Miners, winning 7 to 3.

Big Conn Holman, the league's leading home run hitter, led the Miner's hitting in the first game with 3 hits for three trips to the plate including two long doubles, Hensley had 3 for 4, Walker and Wooliver had 2 each.

In the second game, Cobb led Oreton with 3 for 4, Moore and J. Mabe had two each. For St. Charles Pannell led with a single, double and triple for 4 trips, Forester and Pennington had 2 for 3 each while Hensley collected two. J. Mabe pitched the first game for Oreton, June Mabe twirled the second.

At Jonesville, where their existance depended on two victories or be eliminated, they delivered just what the Doctor ordered, two victories. They defeated Cumberland 2 to 1 with both runs and base hits extremely rationed in each contest. These wins put them in the playoff and Oreton's losses at St. Charles put them out.

Ben Bowen came through with a three hitter on the mound for Jonesville to win the first encounter, he also contributed well on the offensive, winning his own game with a single in the third inning that sent Roop and Johnson across the pan.

Darnell opposed Bowen, allowing Jonesville six scattered hits.

In the second game, Graham chunked out a five hitter for Jonesville, he was opposed by Palco who allowed an even number of hits, but manager Horton's stick work turned the tide for the Lee Countains. Horton singled in the first inning to score Roop from second and repeated with another single in the fifth to score Johnson. Horton led Jonesville's hitting with two hits for two trips, Hughes led Cumberland with 2 for 3.

Dunbar and Pennington Gap did not play, Dunbar forfeiting their games.

Bright Future Promised For Pulpwood Industry

A bright future is in store for the pulpwood industry in the peacetime years ahead, according to conclusions reached in an industry survey, just released to The Powell Valley News from Pulpwood Campaign headquarters.

"The war has served to increase present day civilization's dependence on paper and other pulpwood products," the survey pointed out, "and the industry hopes to keep its war-born outlets as well as adding new uses and new customers."

Among the reasons advanced in support of the view that pulpwood products may expect a continually expanding market in the years ahead are:

1. Retailers have a tremendous amount of catching up to do on their supplies of paper bags as well as other types of packaging made from pulpwood.

2. Newspapers and magazines will undertake to retain their great war time circulation, while new publications will certainly be entering the field.

3. New types of wrapping and packaging material will be made from pulpwood to accommodate the growing deep-frozen food industry.

4. Food store managers predict that packaged goods in retail stores are expected to increase many times their present number.

5. Many altogether new and novel uses of pulpwood in paper and plastic form are already being planned for commercial manufacture.

In this connection the survey pointed to some recent advances in the utilization of pulpwood which include: plasticized paper for roofing tiles; especially treated paper, so soft and yet so resistant to tearing that sheets and pillow-cases for hospital use can be made of it; sturdy, long-wearing rugs made from pulpwood, and furniture made of compressed pulp that will have all of the durability of wood without any of its bulkiness or weight.

"Right now," the survey stated, "no one had a very good idea of exactly what is in store for us in the days to come. However, one thing seems certain—it will almost surely be packaged in a pulpwood product."

Mills in this region are in urgent need of more top quality pulpwood NOW, with which to meet present peacetime orders.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Margaret Bales Gibson, 71, widow of the late C. B. Gibson, passed away on September 6, at her home near Rose Hill. She had been an invalid for about a year, and had been critically ill for several weeks.

She was born at Ewing, Va., the daughter of the late Dr. C. J. Bales and Adelia McLin Bales, of Richmond, Ky. Her early years were spent in Kentucky, and she was educated at Bellewood Seminary, at Anchorage, Ky.

Hers was a lovely Christian character that radiated happiness and cheer to those with whom she came in contact. She united with the Presbyterian Church when quite young, took an active part in the work of the church, and remained a faithful member until death. She had been living at Rose Hill for the past few years, having formerly lived in Jonesville. While there she was active in civic and social affairs, serving as president of the Jonesville W. C. T. U., for over 15 years, and holding offire in the Lee Chapter of the U. D. C., for more than 15 years. During later years, when ill health forced her to give up active service, her interest and faith, together with the Christian fortitude with which she bore her illness, was indeed an example and an inspiration to the wide circle of her friends.

Funeral services were conducted at the Mt. Carmel Presbyterian Church, at Rose Hill, on September 8, with the Rev. S. Sexton Buchanan, of Green Springs, Va., in charge, assisted by Dr. A. H. Doak, of Middlesboro, Ky. Pall bearers and flower bearers were friends of the family from Jonesville, Rose Hill and Ewing. Interment was in the Hill Cemetery, in Jonesville.

Surviving are five daughters, Miss Nanette Gibson, Alderson, W. Va., Mrs. Fred C. Russell, Johnson City, Tenn., Mrs. C. A. Whorton, Palmetto, Fla., Mrs. Carden Davidson, Jonesville, Va., and Mrs. Bruce Huffine, Bristol, Tenn., and one son, Cale J. Gibson, Ph. M. 1-C. U. S. Navy Corps School, Bainbridge, Md., and one sister, Miss Kathleen Bales, Richmond, Ky.

Red Cross Executives Will Meet In Virginia

Alexandria, Virginia—Executive secretaries of 27 Red Cross chapters in Virginia will meet September 27 and 28 in the Hotel Roanoke, Roanoke, Va. The conference will discuss organizational and administrative problems arising in their chapters.

Ramone S. Eaton, manager of Eastern Area, announcing the meeting, said that V. A. Phillips, Regional Director for Virginia, will preside.

The general field representatives who cover the chapters represented, will also attend.

Red Cross Chapters located in the following cities and counties will be represented: Bedford, Big Stone Gap, Bristol, Tenn.-Va., Buchanan County, Carroll County, Charlotte County, Covington, Danville, Dickenson Co., Eastern Wise, Giles County, Grayson County, Lee County, Lunenburg, Lynchburg, Mecklenberg County, Pulaski County, Radford, Roanoke County, Rockbridge County, Russell County, Salem, Saltville, Smyth County, Tazewell County, Washington County.

News From BLACKWATER

Mr. and Mrs. Emert Munsey and daughter, of Kingsport, Tenn., were visiting Mrs. Munsey's mother, who is ill, over the week end.

Miss Geneva Sanders recently underwent an operation at Lee General Hospital, Pennington Gap.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Kirtley are visiting Mrs. Kirtley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hickam.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Giles, of Big Stone Gap, had supper with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Richardson Sunday night.

Miss Nell Wallen is visiting relatives here this week.

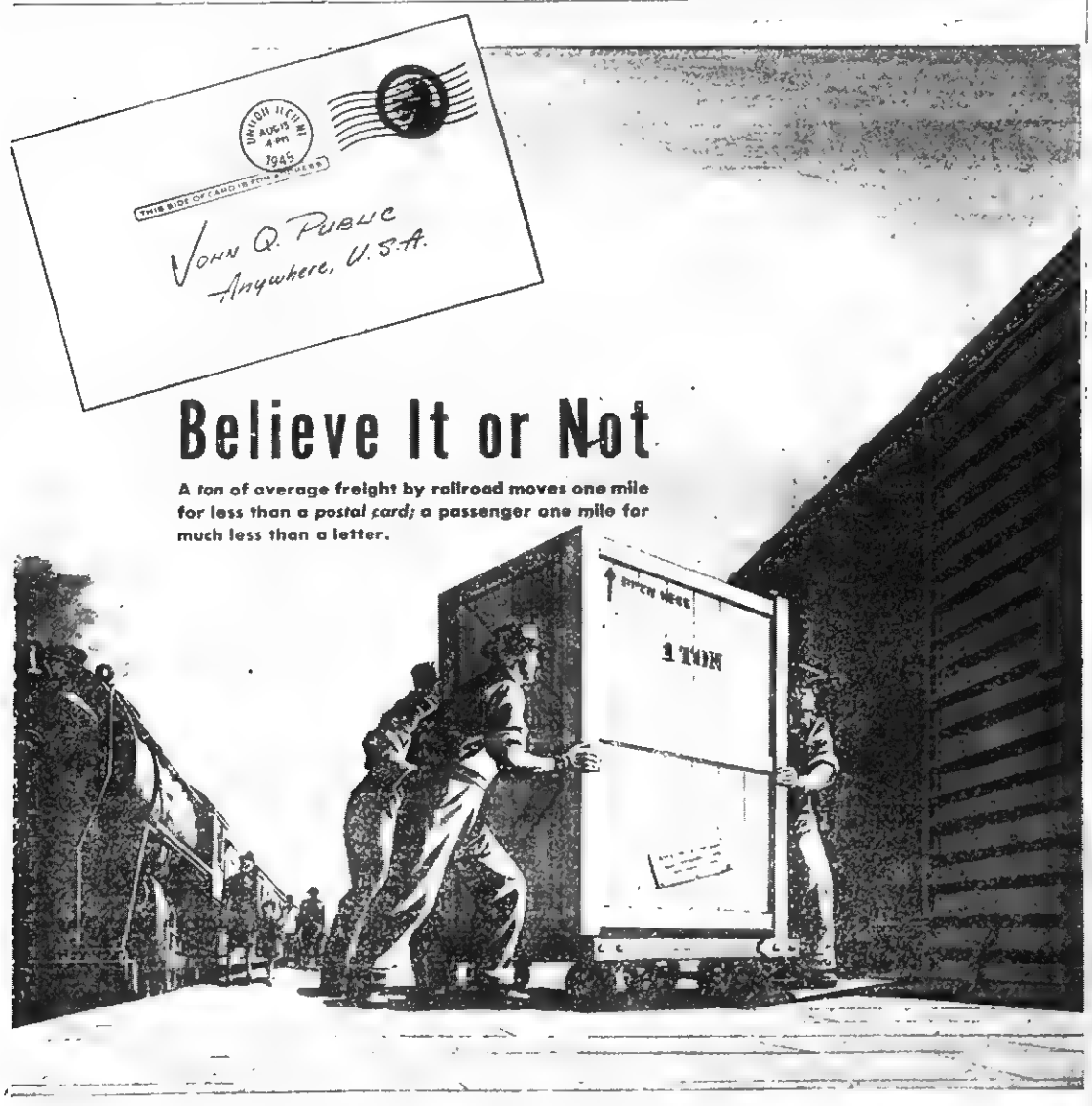
Onzo Robinette was trading in Pennington Gap Saturday.

Joe Wallen, of the U. S. Army is spending a furlough with his father, Garfield Wallen.

Mr. and Mrs. Emett Kinsler were calling on Mr. and Mrs. Kit Richardson Sunday.

The farmers of this section are having a difficult time harvesting their hay.

Charlie White is visiting relatives here.



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News and Shorts

To Whom It May Concern

By:

W. I. Jones

We are all ready to hail as heroes those who fought our battles and came home wearing medals. These boys deserve all the honor we can give them. They will always be held in esteem as heroes and good soldiers. Anyone who goes through battle has risked his life for his his country. wherever they have served, at home or abroad, we cannot praise too strongly those who won our victories.

But in all this we should say a word for those who wanted to go and could not. Because of weak eyes, or heart or other ailments they were kept at home. They have done their part nobly and well, and deserve the gratitude of our Country. The man who could and should have carried arms in this war and dodged his responsibility, deserves the contempt of his fellows. But from here on we should know that a man should have been a soldier and refused before we blame him. Many 4-F men have remarked that they wanted to enlist and couldn't and that they did the next best thing, served their Country at home. To these we take off our hats. It has taken all of us to win.

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News From MILLER'S CHAPEL

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Clawson spent Saturday night with Mrs. Clawson's sister, Mrs. Van Anderson and Mr. Anderson.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Van Anderson on September 1, a daughter to whom has been given the name Flora Alice.

There will be an all day meeting at the Plain View Baptist Church, Sunday, with dinner on the ground. Everyone invited to attend, especially all ministers and singers.

Announcement has been made of the marriage of James Frank Ely, son of Mr. and Mrs. Isom Ely, and Miss Opal Hicks, of Harlan, Ky. Mr. Ely has recently been released from Army service.

Frank Garrett continues seriously ill at his home here

Sally Bea Johnson spent Saturday night at the home of her parents, Mr and Mrs A J Johnson

The marriage of Miss Reeda Glass to Cecil Saddler has been announced

Mr and Mrs Ballard Bledsoe entertained the following at dinner Sunday Mr and Mrs Glenn Terry and children, Joyce Ann Lowell Hubert and Winston and Sally Bea Johnson.

The following were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Rogers: Mr. and Mrs. Olen H Parsons and children, Jess and sons, Mr. and Mrs George Carter and daughter, Leatrice, of St Charles. Mr Rogers remains in bed, recovering from pneumonia

Mack Neeley, of Baltimore, Md, visited at the home of Mr and Mrs. A. J. Johnson, last week

News From HAGAN

Mr and Mrs. Barney Blankenship, of Yorktown, Va., is visiting relatives and friends here this week.

Miss Bonnie Langley spent Saturday night with Mrs. Dewey Langley

Gill Hensley spent the week end with relatives in Harlan, Ky.

Mrs. Maude Fee, who is employed at Oak Ridge, Tenn., spent the week end here with her husband.

Lt. Hugh Chance and wife are visitng his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Chance.

Mrs. Frank Irvin, of Sunshine, Ky., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Irvin and family.

Letters From Servicemen

Misses "Good Old USA"

One of our hometown boys, C. E. Jones, S. 1-C., writes us as follows:

Dear Editor:

Have received a few letters from home asking why I don't send you a little news item regarding my service career. There isn't much to tell, but it is as follows:

I took training at Camp Peary, Va., then had a grand and appreciated leave with my wife and son; then to the fatal Shoemaker, Calif., where it seems that all good little sailors go at one time or another; and from there to the South Pacific.

After spending different periods of time in several different places in New Guinea, all of them hot, I was gradually worked to the Philippines where I am now serving aboard the USS APC 9, a small coastal transport. Having served nine months in these areas, I am looking forward to my home-coming, especially to my wife and son.

Enclosed is a picture of myself. The uniform is rather out of keeping as we don't wear dress uniforms out here. No liberties calling for the occasion you know.

At present I am well and getting along fine, but miss the good old United States, as we all do over here.

Yours very truly,
C. E. Jones, S. 1-C.

Wants to find friend

Whoever and wherever Cecil Payne is, he has a friend who would like to communicate with him. The following letter will explain it all:

29 Div. 118 Inf. Co. C., APO 209, c-o Post Master, New York.
The Powell Valley News
Pennington Gap, Va.
Dear Editor:

I'm in need of a little help. When I was on the front lines, I met a Sgt. by the name of Cecil Payne from Lee County. If possible I would like to get his address. He saved my life, and I feel indebted to him. I am from Lee County, and we discussed your paper. He said at one time he subscribed for it.

All I know, he was Platoon leader in the 106 Division, and I think in the 159th Inf.

Thank you very much,
Pvt. Jerome Stapleton.

Thinks point system unfair

Philippine Islands, Aug. 29
Mr. S. C. Blackwell, Editor
The Powell Valley News
Pennington Gap, Va.
Dear Mr. Blackwell

Will write a line or two to say that I am still in the hospital here, have been here ever since about the first of June. I hope they will soon send me back to the States, for I think I have done enough.

We didn't do very much celebrating when the war ended, it was just another day with us, although of course we were glad. I want to get back to my family as soon as possible, but this point system is the darndest thing I ever heard of. Boys back in the states who have married after the war begun will get out before we married men with families. I have four dependents, but still lack about six points being released.

I say let those men who have never been overseas come over here and replace us men who have had the hardest job. My outfit got orders to go to Japan before the war ended, but I don't know whether we will have to go or not-can't tell anything about the Seabees.

I am hoping to see my wife and babies soon, who live at Duffield.

Yours truly,
Ora Sturgill, S. 1-C

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Jonesville High School

Ray Bledsoe, Reporter

The Senior Class of Jonesville High School held their first meeting of the year on September 11, 1945, for the purpose of electing new officers to carry on the business of the group for the coming school year.

The officers elected at this meeting are as follows:

President, Ben Davidson, Jr.; Vice-president, Jo Ann Johnson; Secretary, Warren Wood; Treasurer, Polly Bellamy; Reporter, Ray Bledsoe.

Miss Davis, home room teacher, was chosen class sponsor. The class numbers forty-nine pupils, thirty girls and nineteen boys.

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"Now, maybe that sounds a little bit like bragging. Well, I reckon we've got a brag coming, me and my company both. They've treated me right all these years and they're treating me right now that the time for my pension is here.

"Like I said, you've got to do more than just take the old man's place. The South is going places now. New factories are moving in, new mines opening up. Good, dependable electric service at low rates is helping bring 'em.

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Lee County Men Who Have Been Discharged From Armed Forces

We wish to advise all employers of the following Lee County men who have been separated from the services of the Armed Forces of the United States. Re-employment Committeeman Cam J. Lewis, of the Local Selective Service Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, Va., or Miss Marie McNiel, chief clerk Selective Service Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va., will gladly assist employers in contacting men.

Mr. Lewis may be reached at Local Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, Va., and Miss McNiel at Local Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va.

A list of Lee County men discharged from the Armed Forces will appear in this newspaper each week as they are furnished to us by the two Local Selective Service Boards in the County.

Henry Ford Pugh, Pennington Gap; Carl Wade, Leona Mines; James Robert Waddle, St. Charles; Clarence Eddington Reece, Pennington Gap; John William McCullough, St. Charles; Marshall Fleenor, St. Charles; Robert Cecil Gibson, St. Charles; Murray Clay Newman, St. Charles; Joseph Neil Payne, R. 1, Keokee; Charles Earnest McPherson, St. Charles; Charles Edward Stapleton, St. Charles; Floyd G. Roberts, R. 2, Pennington Gap; Herbert C. Hobbs, Johnsons Mill; Emmett Haskell Coeburn, St. Charles; Burchell Tritt, St. Charles; J. R. Cowan, St. Charles; William Eugene Crusenberry, Pennington Gap; James Joseph Gardner, Calvin; Dennis Shade Robbins, Pennington Gap; Robert Junior Lindsey, Bonny Blue; Claude Johnson, Pennington Gap; John P. Kegley, St. Charles; John Carson Patton, Jr., Bonny Blue; Sylben Wilson, St. Charles; Henry Thomas Shoemaker, Woodway; William Paul Johnston, Pennington Gap; Carl Edgene Ely, Pennington Gap; Robert Herman Hatfield, Bonny Blue; Ulysses Elbert Musick, Woodway; Charles E. Wallen, R. 1, St. Charles; Emory Earnest Creekmore, Bonny Blue; Henry Ray Clift, Bonny Blue; Harley A. Reynolds, St. Charles.

Wm. J. B. Young, Pennington Gap; Buster Clyde Hale, Bonny Blue; James Henry Fink, Bonny Blue; William McKinley Winters, Pennington Gap;, Haborn L. Davis, Jonesville; Andy Harless, Duffield; Freeman Hedgecoth, St. Charles; Curtis Alsup, Pennington Gap; Thomas Henry Shoemaker, R. 2, Duffield; Charles Bradley Bruner, St. Charles; James B. VanDeventer, Pennington Gap; Neal Wayne Lewis, R. 1, Pennington Gap; Morgan Walker Legg, R. 1, Duffield; Lawrence E. Martin, St. Charles; Daniel Lee Collins, Bonny Blue; William Henry Cleusman, R. 1, Pennington Gap, McKinley Thompson, Bonny Blue; Walter Woodard, Pennington Gap; Elbert Carl Bush, Keokee; Thomas L. Lewis, Johnsons Mill; Howard Lafeyette Thompson, Pennington Gap; Lucian D. Purcell, Pennington Gap; Thomas Howard McCracken, R. 2, Pennington Gap; Joe Zion, Pennington Gap; Allen England, St. Charles; Jessie Cruso Wilson, Bonny Blue; Everett Theodore McQueen, R. 1, Keokee; Carl Baker, St. Charles; Napoleon Lee Collins, R. 2, Pennington Gap; Junior Hammons, St. Charles.

James Wm. Petrey, St. Charles; Bob Frank Crabtree, Dryden; Virgil G. Lucas, Pennington Gap; Lionel C. Brummitt, Pennington Gap; Marvin C. Belcher, Pennington Gap; Conley Cinnamon, Pennington Gap; Geo. H. Rhea, R. 1, Penington Gap; Denver Dallas Howard, Pennington Gap; Hubert Raymond Watkins, Bonny Blue; Alexander Wilson, Jr., Dryden; James Edward Payne, Pennington Gap; Joseph D. Graham, R. 1, Pennington Gap; Charles C. Gilbert, Keokee, Frank Dean, R. 1, Pennington; Levar E. Brooks, Pennington Gap; Howard Tinley Enix, Jellico, Tenn.; Clyde Like, Bonny Blue; Bascom Bruner, St. Charles; John Gibson, Jr., R. 1, Duffield; John Gilliam, Bonny Blue; David Wallen, St. Charles; Jack Skiles, St. Charles; Worley Eugene Clark, Pennington Gap; Harless Hammons, Johnsons Mill; Myrl Coolidge Morris, Keokee; Clifford Parsons, Pennington Gap; Denver Nathaniel McElyea, Pennington Gap; Earl Edward Kinney, Pennington Gap; Dudley Gilliam, Pennington Gap; Warner Hardin Kirk, Pennington Gap; Marion Ben Coffman, Pennington; James Earl Bush, Dryden; Dewey Cooper, Pennington Gap; Clarence Rothelle Price, Jr., St. Charles; James Junior Dickey, St. Charles; Dana Zack Ely, Dryden; Robert French McCullough, Pennington Gap; Lewis Waldon Patterson, Bonny Blue; Jack Roach, St. Charles.

J. Rogers, Pennington Gap; Clifford C. Parsons, Pennington Gap; Billy David Astrop, R. 1, Dryden; Kenneth Willis, Keokee; Henry F. Collier, Woodway; Everett William McLain, R. 1, Pennington Gap; Lon Theodore Napier, R. 1, Pennington Gap; Lewis George Speaks, R. 1, Pennington Gap; Bascom Marsh, St. Charles; Leonard Bradley Bowens, R. 1, Duffield; Jack James Smith, Duffield; Lawrence Kelly, Keokee; Stallard Ray Bowman, Leona Mines; Thomas R. Edmonds, St. Charles; Lawrence Middleton, R. 1, Pennington Gap; James H. Turner, Pennington Gap; Charles Howard Reece, Bonny Blue.

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News From JONESVILLE

Mrs. G. W. Ball

Route 4

Miss Maude Kinzer and Mrs. Dexter Keel were overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Davis Wednesday night.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Parsons a son on August 28.

Mr. and Mrs. Job Osborne and children, of Dayton, Ohio, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Osborne and other relatives here after having visited his mother, Mrs. Sam Rickard, of Morristown, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs E. P. Orr and son Lelan, of Washington, D. C., recently visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Z. Orr and other relatives here. While here Mrs. Orr and E. P. visited her father, J. M. Tomlinson, known to us as "Uncle Jimmy", who resides at Duffield. Mrs. Orr reports that her father continues quite ill, and that her sister, Mrs. T R. Hurst, of Manasses, Va., has also been at his bedside.

Mrs. Lee Osborne and baby daughter, Vivian, were calling on Mrs G. W. Ball Saturday.

Raydas Ball, of Wallens Creek was on Route Four Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Roberts and family spent the week end with his parents at Middlesboro, Ky. Mr. Roberts says this is the second visit with his father in ten years.

Mrs. Georgia Tritt and little daughter, Judy, were visitors in the Sunday School here Sunday.

News comes to relatives from one of our former Lee County boys, A-C Edison Orr, stating that he is with 7th Bks., 507 U. S. N. A. M. S., Clinton, Okla. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Orr and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. W. Z. Orr and Mrs. W. S. Cox, of Route 4.

Rev. [illegible] McConnell, of [illegible]port, is having the portions of his farm here facing Highway No. [illegible] cut up into lots that will be sold at auction in the near future.

News From BLACKWATER

Week of Sept. 13

Quite a number of people from Blackwater attended the Lee County Fair. Everyone reported a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. Newman Munsey were visiting Mrs. Munsey's father, J. B. Walton, Sunday.

Miss Sallie Frank Hickam has returned to Oak Ridge, Tenn., to resume her teaching position after spending a vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hickam.

Little Miss Sarita Couk, of Pennington Gap, has recently been visiting her grandparents at this place.

Mrs. Everett Munsey, of Kingsport, is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Florence Robinson, at the home of T. H. Robinson.

Rev. Hobart Hall, Rev. Logan Wills and Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Flanary attended a [illegible] meeting at Whitesburg, Ky., over the week end.

[illegible] Robinette spent Monday and Tuesday of last week visiting [illegible] in Kingsport.

[illegible] reported released from U. S. Army service.

Mrs. Roy Roop and son, Lewis, and Mrs. Lewis Robinette visited relatives at Jonesville, Sunday afternoon.

Will Receive Son's Bronze Star Medal

Pat Bledsoe, of Blackwater, Lee County, is to receive the Bronze Star Medal, awarded posthumously to his son, Tech. Sgt. Ray Bledsoe, it was announced by Brigadier General Don E. Scott, commanding general, Virginia District, Third Service Command.

Sgt. Bledsoe was killed in action while serving with the 1st Cavalry Division in the Pacific.

The official War Department citation commends Sgt. Bledsoe, "For meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy from 1 February 1945 to 6 March 1945.

Miss Nora Kinzer, a former teacher in Jonesville High School, is now teaching in the High School at Coeburn.

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News From OGOONITA

Week of Sept. 13

Rev. Kester Greene, of Pennington Gap, filled his regular appointment here Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Carter, of St. Petersburg, Fla., were visiting Jake Hinkle and family, last week. Emogene Hinkle accompanied them home.

Miss Zenia Herron, who is employed at Oak Ridge, Tenn., spent the week end with her father, Claude Herron, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Emmette, Henry Hammonds and Misses Ruby and Faye Hammonds visited Mr. Hammonds' sister, Mrs. Kate Rowland, at Page, Ky., last Sunday.

Misses Hazel and Eula Davis, who are employed at Richmond, Va., spent the past week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sherley Davis.

Mrs. Dora Mae Gibson and children spent two weeks recently with her brother, Ed Gilbert, and family, at St. Charles.

Allen Grubbs, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Grubbs, recently underwent a tonsilectomy at Lee General Hospital in Pennington Gap.

Miss Roberta Hinkle and Jack Hinkle have returned home from St. Petersburg, Fla., where they have been employed the past summer.

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Social and Personal

Motor to Harlan

Dr. and Mrs. C. B. Hines, proprietors of Lee Drug, treated their employees to an outing Sunday evening, which included a chicken dinner at "The Dairy Barn" near Harlan.

The accompanying guests were: Misses Marguerite Hargraves, Aileen Emmette, Helen Rogers, Mrs. Lawrence Dean, Messrs. Wallace Stewart and Jimmy Joe Bright.

Bridal shower

Mrs. W. B. Livesay entertained Friday evening for her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Wayne W. Livesay, a recent bride. A series of lively games and contests was given, and refreshments, consisting of a dessert course was served, after which the honoree opened the gackages containing the many beautiful and useful gifts. Before her marriage to Lt. Livesay, the bride was Miss Anna Ruth Jessee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Jessee.

Delayed honeymoon

After 37 years of married life, it occured to Mr. and Mrs. Sam Coffman, of West Pennington, that they hadn't as yet taken a honeymoon trip. Accordingly they set off at once for a visit with his mother, who lives on Kingston Highway, in Tennessee, and who is 93 years old

They also visited with his sister, Janey, and his nephew, Howarr Bowman, who live in Knoxville.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Gibson, of Dayton, Ohio, are here visiting their daughters and families, Mrs. Ed Stout and Mrs. J. S. Howard. They will also visit with relatives in Tennessee before returning to Ohio.

Don't fail to see "Rainbow Island," coming to Lee Theater, Monday and Tuesday, September 24-25.

Mrs. C. D. Mehaffey is spending a couple of days this week at Lake Junaluska, N. C.

Verlin and Vogal Osborne, both former Staff Sergeants in the U. S. Army, and whose home is at Four Mile, Ky., are visiting here with their uncle, R. L. Osborne, and family.

Both these former soldiers have recently been released from the Army, after terms of overseas service.

Two more enter colleges

Dr. and Mrs. C. B. Hines and daughter, Barbara, left yesterday for Tuscaloosa, Ala., where Barbara will enter the University of Alabama.

Also ,Miss Ritchilieu Orr daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Orr, left yesterday to enter William and Mary College at Williamsburg, Va. She was accompanied as far as Bristol by her parents.

Mrs. Jim Ely, widow of the late Rev. Jim Ely who died recently at his home in the Dry Branch community, has gone to Detroit to spend the winter with her daughters. She plans to return to her home in the spring.

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Sgt. Pete Orr is on furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Orr of Oak Ridge.

Dortha Minton spent last week end with relatives in Middlesboro, Ky.

Jewel Lucas and Bob McCullough were dinner guests of Peggy Sue King Monday.

Imogene Burgan was in Harlan Tuesday.

Mrs. Elbert Bailey has as her guest her sister-in-law, Mrs. Elmer Marsee of Harlan.

William P. Kelly, Mailman 1-C., USN, has returned to duty after spending a 30-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Kelly. Mailman Kelly was in the South Pacific for 31 months serving with the 39th Naval Construction Battalion. He left Sunday for Nashville, Tenn., where he will report for reassignment.

Mrs. Rosa McVeigh spent last week end with relatives in Pineville, Ky.

Chief Petty Officer Charles Garber returned to duty last Friday, after thirty days leave with his parents at St. Charles. CPO Garber is now stationed at Boston, Mass.

Mrs. Jake Howard spent last week end with her daughter, Jenelle Anne of Oak Ridge.

Don't fail to see "Rainbow Island," coming to Lee Theater, Monday and Tuesday, September 24-25.

Mrs. Gordon Ely is now home from Oak Ridge where she has been employed for the past few months.

Mrs. C. H. Howard and little grandson, Bobby Stout, of Kingsport, were in town today enroute to Jonesville, where they will visit with her mother, Mrs. Julia Wells and family.

Lt. and Mrs. B. B. Laningham are here from Greenville, S. C., visiting with their parents and other relatives. Lt. Laningham will report to Fort Meade, Md., about the 27th. for his final discharge from the U. S. Army Air Corps Service.

Miss Bertha Myers spent last week end with her aunt, Mrs Claude Lawson, of Pennington Gap. Mrs. Lawson has been ill for a few days but is much improved.

Mrs. Jim Tipton and Mrs. Tom Quinley were in Oak Ridge, Wednesday.

Separated on birthdays

W. L. Tinsley, of the PVN staff, and his sister, Jaquelyn, have birthdays on the same date, namely September 20, althougth there is five years' difference in their ages.

This is the first year they have ever been separated on their birthday anniversaries "Jackie" is working at Oak Ridge.

Back to duty

Ensign J. C. Brooks will return to SanFrancisco, Calif., Sunday night, to report back to his ship, the SS "Nancy Lykes"

Ensign Brooks, who is serving with the Merchant Marines, was called home last week on account of the accidental death of his father, Curtis Brooks.

Mrs R. G. Bolin is back home from Dr. Botts' Hospital in Norton, where she underwent a serious optical operation.

A R. Brown, of Jellico, Tenn., has returned to his home after a few days' visit with his daughter, Mrs. W. J. Richards and family.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Dooley are here from Christiansburg, Va., visiting with friends. The Dooleys are former residents of Pennington Gap and while here Mr. Dooley was manager of the C. & P. Telephone Company.

First Baptist Church

Sunday morning, September 23: Sunday School at 9:30, Arthur T. Burchette, Superintendent.

Morning worship at 10:45: sermon topic, "Can you get along without God?"

Sunday evening: Training Unions meet at 6:30; evening worship at 7:30: sermon topic, "The work of a Christian."

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30.

P. R. Stubbs, Pastor.

First Christian Church

Sunday, September 23: Bible School at 10:00 a. m., H. O. Hines, Superintendent.

Worship with communion at 10:45 a. m. Sermon by the pastor.

Christian Endeavors meet at 6:15 p. m., Mrs. Ruth Keith, President

No preaching at night as pastor goes to Union Church for evening worship.

Choir rehearsal Wednesday at 7:00 p. m.

Prayer and praise service at 7:30.

W B Moore, Minister.

Jonesville Baptist Church

The revival at the Baptist Church in Jonesville is drawing unusual crowds, under the preaching of Evangelist John A. Leland, of Johnson City, Tenn., who brings the messages each night

The revival will continue through Sunday night, September 23 Services each night at 7:30

Rev. Leland spoke at Jonesville High School Tuesday morning, on the topic of "Understanding Christ." On Friday night a special service will be held, presenting a life size oil painting of Christ on the cross. The message will be "The Blackout at Calvary."

Methodist Church

Sunday, Sept. 23: Church School at 9:30 a. m., Clyde M Kirk, Superintendent.

Morning worship, 10:45. Sermon theme, "Christ evaluates personality."

Special music: "The Lord's Prayer," by the choir; special parts sung by Mrs. Ed Gardner and Miss Rebecca Fry.

Reception of new members.

Evening: Youth Fellowship meeting at 6:45. Installation service in charge of Mrs. C. D. Mehaffey, installing new officers for the year.

Sermon at 7:30 by Rev. Roy E. Early, District Superintendent Big Stone Gap District: Topic, "Only God can do it."

Quarterly conference meeting following worship period.

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30.

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Mullins-Phillips

Miss Margaret Mullins, daughter of Mr. Lloyd Mullins, of Woodway, and Pfc. Olin Phillips, of Benedict, were married September 16.

Following the ceremony a wedding supper was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Eddie Collier. The guests included the bride and groom, Lloyd Mullins, Mrs. Carrie Collier and daughter, Joan, Mrs. Frankie Fleenor, of Woodway; Mrs. Laura Hobbs and children, of Dryden; Mrs. Will Fleenor and children, of Le Junior, Ky.

The bride will continue to make her home at Woodway for the present while Pfc. Phillips will return to Ft. Johnson, S. C.

All-Day Church Meeting

An all-day Quarterly Conference and Sunday School Rally of Jonesville District, Methodist Churches, will be held at Jonesville Camp Ground Sunday, September 23, with dinner on the ground.

The public is cordially invited to attend. Bring enough lunch for yourself and others.

Attend Meeting At Lake Junaluska

Rev. and Mrs. C. D. Mehaffey have returned from Lake Junaluka, N. C., were they attended a two days' planning conference, relative to the Methodist Church Holston Conference to convene at Chattanooga, Tenn., beginning October 10.

Rev Mehaffey is chairman of the Board of Ministerial Training.

Four Keokee Girls Will Attend L.M.U.

Four girls from Keokee say they will attend Lincoln Memorial University, at Harrogate, this year They are:

Jewell Morris, Margaret Asher, Jean Carter and Octavia Dinsmore.

Local Men Commended For Service On Guam

Guam—For the part they played in the historic series of five low level incendiary attacks on Japan during an all-out offensive, two men from Pennington Gap and vicinity, Virginia, and hundreds of other enlisted men at B-29 bases in the Marianas have been commended by the Commanding General of the Twentieth Air Force.

They are specialists with the ground echelons supporting the almost daily Superfort assaults against the Japanese mainland.

"Your determination, skill and courage have delivered a stunning blow to the Empire of the Rising Sun," the General said. "Combat crews and the hard-working maintenance and staff people are to be heartily commended for their accomplishments in these historic operations."

Throughout the period of sustained bombing attacks, these men and other members of the ground staff worked night and day, virtually without rest, to keep the Army bombers in the air and striking at the enemy.

The men are: Cpl. Neal Boggs, whose wife, Leatha D., lives at Pennington Gap; Pfc. Calvin J. Roberts, whose mother, Mrs. Mattie C. Roberts lives on Route 2, Blackwater.

Mrs. J. G. Reasor, of Big Stone Gap, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. S. L. Myers.

TOWN TALK

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tered the Mosque which stands on the former site of the Bible-famed Soloman's Temple; they fished from the Sea of Gallilee at sunrise; took a jaunt into the Valley of Jehoshaphat, where, according to ancient belief, the final judgment is to take place; and many other places which we haven't room to record.

They came back by way of Athens, Naples and Rome; by Algiers in Africa, Ponta Delgarda, and finally landed at Providence, Rhode Island.

They brought back with them picture after picture of people, scenes, cities, deserts, mountains and valleys, all having part in their wonderful trip.

The hour was growing late, and I "just had" to leave, but not without a deep appreciation of the account of their travels and a determination to go back and learn more and study the pictures again. (They extended this invitation.)

Since writing the above, the Middlesboro Daily News has announced the sudden death of Dr. J. McKee Adams, who headed this interesting tour.

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Town Talk

About This, That, And The Other

Reporter—to aged gentleman "And what do you think about the girls of today?"

Aged gentleman: "Well, sir, to be frank, I stopped thinking much about them nearly two years ago. You see, I'll soon be a hundred."

No Nylons Yet!

If women folk are planning on wearing Nylon hose any ways soon they're doomed for disappointment, according to The Knoxville News-Sentinel.

The Sentinel quotes a Knoxville executive as saying, "There won't be enough on the market to make even a ripple on the surface before November or December. The mills can't get yarn, and a dozen of the larger mills contacted say that there won't be enough nylon hose to supply one pair to everyone who wants them until about next Easter. There are none coming into Knoxville now that we know of."

It's Fall!

Robert Kincaid, "from his window" in the Middlesboro Daily News, recently wrote a nice little article on the fall season, but lamented the fact that summer had passed without his having taken a vacation.

Vacations are mighty nice, and sometimes essential to "keeping on," but in this day of hurrying around it's difficult to find time for them. Sometimes they can be taken on the installment plan. For instance, an overnight trip to some quiet place or a week-end visit occasionally will help. Just now it's interesting to walk along the country roads and see the marks of autumn along the wayside.

Don't fail to notice the wild flowers that bloom at this season of the year—the Black-eyed Susans, White Top, Wild Asters and others They're not so gorgeous as some of the home-grown flowers, but somehow the humble manner and places in which they grow seem to say something to you; and besides, they're really pretty.

Mr. Overbay Hunts Squirrels

The first squirrel season which opened September 15 is scheduled to end Saturday, September 29. Among those who have enjoyed hunts this season is J. G. Overbay—the first time he has gone hunting in five years, due to ill health. Mr Overbay's many friends are happy to know he is making this fine come back.

The second squirrel hunting season opens November 15 and lasts until January 1.

Visit With Harold

Harold, the little son of Mrs Ruby Burgan, remains in the Crippled Children's Hospital at Richmond.

Misses Pauline Cooper and Rita Stapleton, of Pennington Gap, who are employed at Rich-

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Mr. and Mrs. Meiman To Go West

C. B. Meiman, representative of the Peoples' Life Insurance Company in this area, announced today that he has been granted a leave of absence until January 1, and will spend the time visiting, sight-seeing and touring in the West.

Mr. and Mrs. Meiman plan to leave via auto Monday, October 8, and will go direct to California for a visit with Mrs. Meiman's sister. They will then travel over California, Texas and New Mexico.

Powell Valley Youth Rally At Rose Hill

The Powell Valley Youth Rally will be held at Rose Hill Christian Church Sunday, September 30, 1945, beginning at 4:00 p. m., with the president, Ruth Keith, in charge.

Rev. Bill Reese, pastor of St. Charles Christian Church will deliver the evening sermon.

Everyone invited. Come and bring a basket of lunch.

H. C. Hilliard, Pastor,
Edith Waddell, Secretary.

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Returned To Atlanta

PVT DAVIS N PRICE

Pvt Davis N Price has returned to Atlanta, Ga., after spending 30 days with his parents, Mr and Mrs Hubert Smallwood, of Jonesville, Va He has served 22 months overseas.

Pvt. Price was awarded the Good Conduct Medal, Three Overseas Bars, EAME ribbon with 6 Stars, and a Mission Bar He was with the 452nd Bomb Group that made 200 missions, and he has 79 points to his credit.

Scout Troop No. 82 Have Board of Review Meeting

Seventeen boys participated in the regular Troop Board of Review held at the Town Hall Tuesday night, at 7:30. Both the Board and the boys were given instructions as to what they were supposed to do, and their work in general was outlined

Four boys were assigned to two Board members. All in different groups to take the different requirements outlined by the Council, Boy Scouts of America.

The requirements passed were Sending secret messages, doing First Aid work, checking the boys' ability to live an outdoor life.

The Board of Review is a group of men who review the Scout on his rank, requirements and to maintain the standard of a Boy Scout. The Board is composed of members of the Lions Club, along with the Troop Committee, who are also members of the Club. The Board was:

Sam C Blackwell, E. S. Vaughan Jake Chinsky, Jack Pearce, O F Vaughan, Leonard Hays, J H Dellinger, Guy A Kauffman

The boys who passed their requirements were

John Culbertson, Sonny Hays, Billy Gordon Howard, Ben Ellis Pitts, Gentry Scroggs, Wendell Snapp, Charles Culbertson, Gerald Vaughan, Randolph Kesner, Earl Stidham, Marvin Wise, Jimmy Smallwood, Jackie Stout, Tommy Geisler, Billy Bowling, Jr., Eugene Mehaffey, Johnnie Bailey.

The boys reviewed were fine examples of American Youth. They certainly showed by their every action and behavior the results of Scouting under the able leadership of their Scout Master, Claude Grace.

Truck Leaves Road Near Ewing, Killing Driver

Henry Barnes, 25, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barnes, of Middlesboro, was killed late Saturday night when the truck which he was driving along on the Virginia Pike left the road near the Gillis Denny place, about seven miles west of Ewing, according to J. S. Doyle, Deputy Sheriff of Rose Hill, who investigated the wreck.

Sheriff Doyle reported that the body was mangled almost beyond recognition.

Mrs. Vernon Pellman and three children of Cincinnati, are visiting here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Adams. Also the Adams enjoyed a visit last week from another daughter, Mrs. C. W. Milhorn and little son, Larry of Johnson City.

Doublebills at Jonesville and Cumberland, Sunday

The Lonesome Pine League Shaughnassey playoff is under way. St. Charles and Dunbar won their opening contests Sunday. Dunbar shellacked Cumberland, Ky., 14 to 6 in a wild and erring contest while St. Charles had tough sledding to finally stem Jonesville out of a very close victory, 7 to 2.

Dunbar will play a doubleheader at Cumberland next Sunday to end their share of the Shaughnassy series. St. Charles will ramble to the capitol town of Lee to play Jonesville a double to also determine a shaughnassy winner. The winners of these series will play a two best out of three for a $90.00 cash pot and the title of the Lonesome Pine for 1945

At St Charles Sunday, Jonesville got off to a 2 to 1 lead which lasted until the eighth inning, looking very much like the Miners had gotten off to a bad start after having topped the league for the year with 17 wins against only three defeats.

Jonesville accounted for one run in the sixth which came after a bad throw at second base had sent Paul Roop all the way to third. The second tally came in the seventh when a thrown away ball from left field allowed Allen to cross the pan

St. Charles scored their first run in the fourth frame, on three singles.

The game apparently gone, was recovered in the last of the eighth by the Miners. Dame Pannell led off with a single, Holman doubled into right field wall sending Pannell to third. Pope singled scoring Pannell to tie the game. Jonesville sent Graham in to relieve Bowen. Hensley struck out, Stallard beat out a bunt scoring Holman Walker flew out to center, Shelbourne struck out, the catcher missing the third strike, Shelbourne ran it out safely at first. Foster singled scoring Pope. Wooliver grounded to Graham who threw wild to first with Stallard and Shelbourne scoring, Foster later coming in while a fielder held on to the ball delaying it's return to the infield. Pannell flew out ending the inning.

Manager Horton led Jonesville's hitting with 3 for 4. Pope led St. Charles with 3 for 4. Stallard, Holman and Pannell collected two safeties each.

Dunbar lost their score book and little report is available on their game They defeated Cumberland 14 to 6 with Porter doing the chucking for Dunbar. The game was deflectd with lots of errors said manager Sam Riddle.

Lions Meet In Interest Of Soil and Timber Conservation In Lee

Lions A. S. Pennington and Leonard Hayes, of Pennington Gap Lions Club, and Lions W. M. Bellamy and W. R. McDowell, of the Jonesville Lions Club, met Wednesday in Appalachia with District Governor of Lions International, Albert Large, in a regional meeting to discuss soil and timber conservation.

Mr. E. W. Mundie, acting Administrative Officer of the State Soil Conservation Commission, Blacksburg, Va., together with Mr. Wilkins, of the Federal Agency, explained how Lee County can secure the services of a soil and timber conservation engineer.

Incidentally, it was disclosed that Lee County is one of only eleven counties in Virginia that doesn't have this service at this time

Pfc. Hobbs Released From Army Service

After 30 months in the Army, Pfc. Charles R. Hobbs was released from Army service at Pasadena, California, September 17. Pfc. Hobbs spent nine months in Newfoundland as flight clerk with the ATC.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hobbs, Pennington Gap.

THE PRESS CODE OF ETHICS FOR NATIONAL NEWSPAPER WEEK, OCTOBER 1-8, 1945

We believe that journalism is an honorable profession, essential to the welfare of society in War as in Peace.

We believe that the success of democratic government depends upon sound public opinion, and that the newspaper should aid in creating and maintaining sound public opinion by publishing significant news and editorial interpretation of news.

We believe that newspaper writers and editors should be adequately prepared for the great responsibilities placed upon them.

We believe that a newspaper should publish the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth concerning all matters of importance to readers as citizens of the community, state and the nation.

We believe that a newspaper that goes into the home should publish nothing that cannot be read aloud in the family circle.

We believe that news of crime, scandal and vice should be presented in such a manner as to deter readers from attempting to imitate the criminal and the vicious.

We believe that all persons and all organizations are entitled to fair play in the columns of the newspaper.

We believe in the right of privacy of individuals in all matters not of public concern.

We believe that no propaganda or publicity matter should be published unless it contains information to which readers are entitled, and that whenever such material is printed, its source should be plainly indicated.

We believe that editorials should present the truth as the writer sees it, uncolored by bias, prejudice or partisanship.

We believe that neither the business interests of a newspaper nor any outside influence should interfere with the publication of the truth in news or editorials.

We believe that the purpose of newspaper advertising is to create a demand for commodities or services, to inform readers, not to mislead or defraud them.

We believe that advertisements should be clean and wholesome as news and editorials and that such advertisements are essential to the development of our high standards of living.

We believe that rates for subscriptions and advertisements should be sufficient to insure the publisher a fair profit.

We believe that all statements of circulation should give the actual number of bona fide subscribers

We believe that only such newspapers as maintain the highest standards of truth, honesty and decency in news, editorials and advertisements deserve the support of the community

We believe that if business is worth having it is worth going after, and that a prosperous newspaper can do more for its community than one that is "ill-equipped, ill-housed, and ill-supported."

We believe in our state and county and their unlimited possibilities and will do all in our power to sell them to our people and the nation.

We believe that World unity, progress and peace depends upon free access to all news sources and uncensored fair dissemination thereof.

We believe that "A FREE PRESS IS THE TORCH OF WORLD PEACE."

THE POWELL VALLEY NEWS
Sam C. Blackwell, Publisher

Mrs. Sayre to Address Lee County Women

Mrs. Raymond Sayre, vice president and director of the Associated Women of America, will speak to Lee County women on building better community life and especialy on matters of importance to teachers and farm women. She is a cultured woman who knows farm life and its problems and her message is directed toward the improvements so much desired by farm women and their families. All county women are invited to attend this meeting which will be held at the Court House in Jonesville at 1 p. m. on Monday, the 1st day of October.

Mrs. Montague Anderson was shopping in Bristol last Wednesday.

Lee Countians Attend Boy Scout Meeting

Dr. G. B. Setzler, Vice-President, C. F. Connelly and Sam C. Blackwell, Executive Board members of Lonesome Pine Council, Boy Scouts of America, attended an Executive Board Meeting of Lonesome Pine Council, held in the assembly room of the Consolidation Coal Corporation, Jenkins, Ky., last Sunday.

The meeting was presided over by Council President, Harry E. Greer, of Hazard, Ky., and was well attended by Executive members of the Council from all areas of the fifteen counties, five in Virginia and ten in Kentucky, which comprise the Council.

Forrest G. White, Deputy Regional Executive, Area Four, of Cincinnati, Ohio, was present at the meeting.

Lee Co. Dist. B. S. A. Held Meet Sept. 21

Majority Lee Countians Desire Eastern S. Time

A recent act of Congress authorized war time, which set the nation's clocks forward one hour early during the war, as a war measure, abolished, which will at midnight, Sunday, September 30, set the clocks of the nation back one hour, a further noticable event that we are again at peace

Due to a recent survey, as this act affects Lee County, we quote the following statement from Dr. Charles H. Henderson, Chairman, Lee County Board of Supervisors:

"As Lee County is the only county in Virginia that observes Central Standard Time, and as the civic organizations in the county have made a survey of the industrial companies, business houses, both wholesale and retail, and the representatives of labor and farmers, and ascertained that the overwhelming majority of the citizens of Lee County are in favor of observing Eastern Standard Time and as these organizations and other interested parties will recommend to the proper authorities, through the proper channels, that Lee County observes Eastern Standard Time.

"I suggest to the citizens of Lee County, that they do not set their clocks and watches back one hour, on September 30th, at twelve, midnight. Thereby, you will have Eastern Standard Time and request you continue to observe this time until it is officially decided which time Lee County is to observe."

Signed:
C. H. Henderson, Chairman,
Lee County Board of Supervisors.

Popular Pennington Girl Died Wednesday

Our community was saddened this morning by news of the death last night of Mrs. J. D. Housley, 22, at Black Mountain Hospital, Evarts, Kentucky.

Mrs. Housley was formerly Miss Charl Helen Denny, daughter of the late C. E. and Mrs Mattie Denny. She was a favorite among the younger set in Pennington Gap, where she was born and reared, and was widely popular for her exceptionally fine qualities. She graduated from Pennington High School, class of '39

Brief services were held at Evarts today, and the body lay in state for a short time at the Methodist Church, after which the body was brought here to the home of her sister, Mrs. E. E Fry, to await funeral services tomorrow at the Methodist Church, which will be in charge of the pastor, Rev Charlie D Mehaffey, assisted by the other local pastors

Mrs Housley is survived by her husband, one small daughter, Carroll, four sisters: Mrs E. E Fry, Pennington Gap; Mrs T. R. Ford, Cherry Point, N. C.; Mrs. Elmer Russell, Jonesville; Mrs. A. N. Boggs, Pennington Gap.

Lt. Hugh W. David Back To Civilian Life

Lt. Hugh W. David, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. David, has been honorably discharged from the AAF, after a service covering a period of more than four years.

He is now visiting his wife and son at LaVeta, Colorado, and is considering returning to Emory and Henry, where he was a student at the time of his enlistment.

Walter Stewart Is Honorably Discharged

Pvt. Walter S. Stewart, who for several months said "What for you?" at the Service Grocery prior to entering U. S. Army service, was released from service at Sioux City, Ia., on September 26, in accordance with the Army's point system.

Pvt. Stewart is a veteran of many months of active duty in the American theater as a butcher.

Organization of District Completed at Meeting

The recently formed Lee County district, Lonesome Pine Council, Boy Scouts of America, met in the town hall, Pennington Gap, Friday evening, Sept. 21, for the purpose of, among other things, completion of the district organization.

The meeting was called to order by District Chairman Sam C. Blackwell, and was opened with prayer by Rev. P. R. Stubbs. Chairman Blackwell introduced the men present at the meeting, who were: Harry Tiller, M. H. Mahoney, E. T. Barker, Mr. Southerland of Bonny Blue; C. F. Connelly, Kemmerer Gem; Charles E. Fritz, Benedict; J. T. Watson, Virginia Lee; John Richmond, Jonesville; E. L. Scroggs, H. E. Gibson, Frank Parr, Dr. M. H. Robbins, Rev. P. R Stubbs, Frank Gibson, Jack Pearce, Dr. G. B. Setzler, Leoard Hays, Elmo David, Charles Berry, Jake Chinsky, Mayor E. E. Parsons, S. J. Shelburne, Rev. Charlie D. Mehaffey, Pennington Gap; Rufus Fugate, St. Charles; Harold G. Hayes, council executive, Pikeville, Ky.; and Forrert G. White, Deputy Regional Executive, Cincinnati, Ohio.

District Chairman Blackwell named the chairmen of the six operating committees as follows: Organization and Extension, Robert Guy Pugh; Leadership Training, E. S. Vaughn; Finance, Dr. M. H. Robbins; Health and Safety, Charles E. Fritz; Advancement, Rufus Fugate; Camping and Activities, Ernest T. Barker. These committe chairmen were instructed to select the men to serve on their committees and to make plans for the carrying out of the Boy Scout program for the Lee County District for the remainder of this year. Committee members named were: Pugh's committee, John Richmond and Dr. Dellinger; Vaughan's committee, Leonard Hays and Charles Berry; Dr. Robbins' committee, C. F. Connelly, Jack Pearce and Montague Anderson; C. E. Fritz's committee, Dr. G. B. Setzler and Elmo David; Fugate's committee, H. E. Gibson and J. T. Watson; Barker's committee, Harry Tiller, O. M. Hyatt and Bill Pleenor.

The question of financing Lee Co. District's quota for the administration of Lonesome Pine Council for the year 1945 was much discussed Finance Chairman Robbins asked the group

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Pennington Business Men Hold Meeting

A representative group of Pennington Gap merchants met at Pennington Hotel at 7:30 p. m., Monday, September 24, for the purpose of determining closing hours for the stores. Robert Guy Pugh presided as chairman.

After a round table discussion it was agreed that stores would begin staying open the first Wednesday in November, and continue to be open until the first Wednesday in January.

After much discussion as to the benefits to be derived from a Chamber of Commerce, it was unanimously voted that a temporary set of officers and board directors be elected and proceed with the organization. The following were elected:

Leonard Hays, President; Jake Chinsky. Vice-president; Charles Berry, Secretary-Treasurer; Directors: A. S. Pennington, Frank May, R. C. Parsons, Murphy King and Robert Guy Pugh.

Several projects were discussed, after which it was decided that the organization's first act would be to send delegates to the State Highway Commission meeting in Roanoke October 9, for the purpose of securing funds for Lee County roads. The selection of the committee was held over until Friday, September at Calvin Sunday.

officers an opportunity to confer with the Lions Club regarding the delegates.

Lee County Men Who Have Been Discharged From Armed Forces

We wish to advise all employers of the following Lee County men who have been separated from the services of the Armed Forces of the United States. Re-employment Committeeman Cam J. Lewis, of the Local Selective Service Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, Va., or Miss Marie McNiel, chief clerk Selective Service Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va., will gladly assist employers in contacting men.

Mr. Lewis may be reached at Local Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, Va., and Miss McNiel at Local Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va.

A list of Lee County men discharged from the Armed Forces will appear in this newspaper each week as they are furnished to us by the two Local Selective Service Boards in the County.

Albin Rigsby, R. 1, Jonesville; John Clifton Holmes, R. 2, Jonesville; Palmer Earnest Cress, R. 1, Jonesville, Kelly O'Neal Frazier, R. 2, Jonesville; James Elmer Parsons, R. 4, Jonesville; Clarence Bernard Flanary, R. 1, Jonesville, Quentin Elvin Miles, R. 2, Jonesville William C Southern, Jr Rose Hill; Thomas F Noe, Hubbard Springs; Fred Tyler Warf, R. 1, Ewing; Otis Garrett, Jonesville Bobby Clinton Williams, R. 4, Jonesville; Curtis Coeby, R. 1, Gibson Station; Grady Sewell Laforce, Jonesville; Beryl Fulton Giles, Rose Hill; Estil Hensley, Rose Hill; Earl Taylor, R. 1, Jonesville; Chester Terry Melton, Ocoonita; Clifford Brown Long, Rose Hill; Harold Russell Roop, Jonesville; Buster Bowman, R. 4, Jonesville; Alonzo Jason Blanken, R. 4, Jonesville; Roy Hansford Garrett, R. 4, Jonesville; Marvin L. Whitt, Rose Hill; Gilbert Franklin Ramsey, Rose Hill.

Alfred Gibbs Mc Connell, R. 2, Jonesville; Roscoe Daniel Ely, Jonesville; Harold Odell Napier, Jonesville; George Chester Burton, Ocoonita; Jessee Woods, Rose Hill; Leon Franklin Sulfridge, Ewing; Luther Charles Williams, Gibson Station; H. L. Grubb, R. 4, Jonesville; Joseph E Presley, Ben Hur; Judge Meek Surber, R. 1, Gibson Station; Charles Buford Robbins, R. 4, Jonesville; James Morris Snodgrass, R. 2, Jonesville; Earl Harvey Stanton, Ben Hur, Hubert Marson Marcum, Rose Hill; Edward D. Phillips R. 3, Jonesville; Virgil W Pendleton, R.4, Jonesville; Robert Roberts, Jr R. 2, Jonesville James Henry Bledsoe, R. 1, Blackwater, Walter Lloyd Shackleford, Rose Hill; Austin Willard Brooks, Ewing; Cecil M. Hopkins, R. 1, Jonesville; Carson Johnson, R. 3, Jonesville Ben W Phipps, R. 2, Jonesville; Robert Edwin Carter, R. 1, Jonesville, Shulus S Warf R. 1, Ewing, Hughie Curtis Noe, R. 1, Jonesville; Howell Vernon Jones, R. 2, Jonesville; Duran Kinser, R. 4, Jonesville

Noby Fee, Rose Hill; David Eugene Orr, Jonesville, William Tyler Mullins, Ben Hur; Gleason W Stidham, R 2, Jonesville, Leland Lemar Gibbons, R. 2, Jonesville; Paul Everett Barnes, Ben Hur; Gen Allen Sumpter, Gibson Station Samuel Lee Poteet, R. 4, Jonesville; Marshall Gilbert, Ewing; Roy Edward Woodward, Jonesville; Hubert Niday, Jonesville; Everett R. Bonham, R. 2, Jonesville; Thomas Reed Hudgens, Jonesville, Jessie Frank Brown, Ewing; Howard K Overton, Ewing Walter Taylor, Ewing Charles F Smith, Jr, Jonesville Bernie Warf, R 1 Ewing Walter Robert Marcum, Rose Hill Albert Grover Webb, R 2, Jonesville Lester Parsons, R 1 Rose Hill Jerome Wesley Gray, R 2 Jonesville John William Henry Morgan, Ewing James Oscar Marcum R 2 Jonesville Frank Porter Jaynes, Rose Hill Howard Lafayette Spivey R 2, Jonesville Lawrence Hubert Garrett R 4, Jonesville Paul Carson Combs, Rose Hill John Walter Ramsey, R 1, Ewing, Buford Perry Shelton, R 4, Jonesville, Walter Eldridge, Ewing, Roy Lee Bankenship, R 2, Jonesville Clyde Fuson Thomas Gibson Station

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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

Our town has heroes, too

Over at Thistle Ridge they're always boasting about their local heroes—ancestors in the Revolutionary War, congressmen, and an artist with pictures in the Metropolitan Museum.

Well, we've got our local heroes, too...

There was old Doc Turner, who fought for years against the intolerance and bigotry that kept children from being vaccinated in our county.

And Deacon Follensby, who fought for free pews in the churches; Jess Hackney, who campaigned for teaching honest history in schools; Wedd Towers, who fought the encroachment of Prohibition in our county and persuaded folks they wanted tolerance and moderation in place of a return to lawlessness.

You won't find monuments to these folks. But from where I sit, they're heroes in a cause that's pretty sacred in our town: the cause of freedom, tolerance, and human dignity.

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Saturday, October 6—Double Feature
GEORGE ZUCCO—SHARON DOUGLAS
—in—
Fog Island
and
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News From BURKHART'S CHAPEL

Rev. Elmer Carter preached here Saturday night and Sunday.

Coolidge Woodard has recently been discharged from the Army.

Mr. and Mrs. Ermine Alsup and son, of Poor Valley, visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Capps and children, of Robbins Chapel, spent Saturday night with Mrs. Myrtle Robbins and family.

Mrs. Mollie Wallen was visiting her daughter, Mrs. Minnie Stapleton and family, of Slab Town last week end.

Clint Woodard, who is employed at Oak Ridge, Tenn., visited home folk here last week.

Mrs. Frank Lambert and children, of Benedict, were visiting friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Wade and children were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Wade Sunday.

Pastors' Enrichment Camp At Jonesville

The Methodist Pastors of Big Stone Gap District, Holston Conference, headed by Rev. Roy E. Early, District Superintendent, assembled at Jonesville Camp Ground Recreational Center on Monday morning and remained through Wednesday in a special gathering known as Pastor's Enrichment Camp.

Included in the group were several members of the Conference Staff, including Dr. C. E. Lundy, Executive Secretary Inter Board Council, and W. M. Seymour, Associate Executive Secretary.

One of the special study courses given was a study on the Book of Acts, by Rev. M. S. Kinchloe. Also talks and lectures were given by various members of the group. Some of the ladies in the District went down to fry chicken for them.

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Deaths AND FUNERALS

Mrs. D. E. Pierce

Mrs. Kitty Fulkerson Pierce, wife of Dr. David E. Pierce of Rose Hill, Va., died September 21, following a several weeks' illness. She was 70 years of age.

Mrs. Pierce was a loyal member of Mt. Carmel Presbyterian Church of Rose Hill, where for many years she served as Sunday School teacher.

Funeral services were held at the home Sunday morning, September 23, at 10:00 o'clock, in charge of Rev. A. E. Robertson, assisted by Rev. M. H. Rambo. Burial followed in Fulkerson Cemetery, with Richmond Funeral Directors in charge.

Pall bearers were: T. B. Fugate, Van Grabeel, White and Walter Marcum, Robert Bales, John Seals, Alva D. Yeary, M. B. Hobbs, Robert Smith, Drs. G. C. Sumpter and John W. H. Morgan.

Besides the husband, Mrs. Pierce is survived by two brothers, S. H. and R. J. Fulkerson, of Ewing, Va.

Robert Clawson

Robert Clawson, 72, of Stickleyville, died suddenly at his home Saturday evening, September 22.

Funeral and burial were held Monday at the Hobbs Cemetery in Dryden.

Mr. Clawson is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Ollie Musick, of Dryden, and one son, Frank, of Kingsport.

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News From KEOKEE

The following servicemen are here visiting with relatives: Sgt. Jack Cooper, returned from the European theatre; Cpl. Oscar Barker, returned after spending eighteen months in England; Garvey Smith, recently honorably discharged from the U. S. Army.

Pvt. Eugene Townsend, Camp Gordon, Ga., spent a ten-day furlough here with relatives.

Among those on the sick list this week are Mrs. Lee Barker, Mrs. Minnie King, and Mrs. Bradley Mullins, who has been a patient in Lee General Hospital for the past six weeks.

Lillian Townsend, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., spent the past two weeks here with her parents and brother, Pvt. Eugene Townsend.

Mrs. Elmer Williams and children, of Calvin, spent a few days here last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Stanley.

Misses Lillian and Katherine Townsend were visiting Mrs. Ralph Shuler Sunday.

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News From FRIENDSHIP

The Y. W. A. met Monday night with Misses Maxine and Donna Rhea Johnson.

Mrs. V. A. Hyatt and daughter, Zela, were dinner guests of her sister, Mrs. Walter Spangler and family Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Spangler also had as visitors during the afternoon the following:

Mr. and Mrs. George Spangler, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Spangler and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Cunningham, of Jonesville, and J. A. Gregory, of Harlan.

Homecoming services will be held at Friendship Church Sunday, September 30, with dinner on the ground. Rev. J. C. Jackson, of Jonesville, will bring the message at 11:00 o'clock, and Rev. Green, of St. Charles, will speak at 2:00 o'clock. Mrs. Jackson will also sing Sunday night showing pictures of the Prodigal son, and also pictures of the work done at Clear Creek, Ky.

Mrs. Ada Yates who has been [illegible] for some time, is improved.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 21st day of September, 1945.

E. J. Olinger Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Mattie Olinger Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce on grounds of desertion.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Mattie Olinger is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address is unknown, it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after her due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

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Bonny Blue Soldier Rendered Outstanding Service, World War II

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Sgt. Morrison had been in service two years and four months. He went over the first time on November 17, 1943; He served with the 88th Division in North Africa and was sent from there to Italy where he was captured in September, 1944. Following are some of his Army adventures:

During the battle for Santa Maria Infanta, beginning the 11 of May, 1944, his regiment had been slowly advancing in the attack. Casualties were heavy, particularly with reference to officers and non-commissioned officers. Two of the air men had been wounded and evacuated. Due to the increasing number of wounded, it was impossible to obtain sufficient litters for the evacuations. Furthermore, many of the wounded in the forward elements of the company were so seriously wounded that it was impossible for them to crawl back to the rear.

Sgt. Morrison, without regard for his personal safety and under a constant barrage of enemy mortar, artillery and small arms fire, crawled forward to the wounded, carried them back to the company CP and rendered first aid. No water being available, Sgt. Morrison crawled from fox hole to fox hole getting the water the men had in their canteens, for the wounded. Undoubtedly his heroic act saved many lives of the men in his unit.

Again on May 13: In the same vicinity, all the officers except the Company Commander and Executive Officer had been killed. The Company had been ordered to advance. Sgt. Morrison was with the Company Commander at the forward OP. Radio Communication, but 536 radio was not available. The distance to the rear CP was approximately 500 yards over open terrain which offered little if any cover. Furthermore, enemy machine guns had this sector well covered.

Sgt. Morrison, disregarding the deadly fire, crossed the open territory and reached the CP. Together with the Executive Officer they reorganized each platoon, gave encouragement to the men and kept the tired and weary going.

In the vicinity of Veiletri, on the 2nd of June, '44, the battalion was moving forward toward their objectives. The battalion commander and his staff were advancing up hill to establish an OP, and it was discovered that the enemy still retained the hill. Battalion called over the 300 radio and asked that a squad of men be sent up immediately. Again, Sgt. Morrison, without regard for his personal safety, volunteered to take the men forward. Following a draw around a small hill they reached open terrain. At this point the enemy opened fire with machine gun. The squad, consisting mainly of new replacements, immediately hit the ground.

Sgt. Morrison kept on moving forward, calling the men to follow, and gave them encouragement. They crossed the open terrain and reached the battalion command group as ordered. Sgt. Morrison's fearless actions and outstanding calmness was the inspiration that induced these new men to carry out their mission under deadly enemy fire.

Again, on the 12th day of July, '44, his company received a message that a German messenger on a motorcycle had come through our lines and had taken cover in a house to the rear of the base of the hill on which the company was dug in. Again, Sgt. Morrison volunteered to apprehend him. He, together with three other men, under cover of a small draw, crawled and ran toward the house. Upon reaching the house, Sgt. Morrison posted a man at each corner of the house.

He tried the front door and found it locked Going to the rear door, he found it partially open. He called to the German to come out with his hands up. He received no answer. Throwing the door open, he proceeded into the room, and found the German in the corner. Keeping him covered, he had him searched thoroughly and found that he had with him two brief cases containing maps, rosters and other very valuable information. Together with the other men they returned to their company with the prisoner who was later turned over to the battalion headquarters.

The war is over. Sgt. Morrison is due to be back home with his parents at Bonny Blue. The above are only a few of his outstanding donations to the highest service in World War II, but his is a fair example of what American soldiers are made of, and to whom we owe a debt of eternal gratitude

James E Scroggs, one of our boys "in Navy B'ue" is visiting home folk and friends here for a few days Rating, Seaman first class

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News and Shorts

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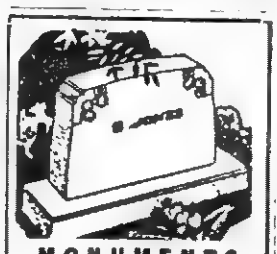

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Mr. R. R. Ridenour, a carpenter contractor of Pennington Gap, has a record to offer that should earn some sort of citation or decoration. He drove his Willys coupe over 32,000 miles since October 1939, he has driven continuous, using his car every day in his work and otherwise during the past five years and has never bought, or even needed a new tire, what's more, he has only had one flat during that time. He has bought neither tires nor tubes during this period, the ones he was using were of no special kind or type, they were the ordinary standard brands that are bought anywhere. He does not attribute this record to special quality, he says, this record was due entirely to the special care he maintained while driving his car. He was not housed up with only an "A" card during the war, he had "B" and "Cs" too.

What's more that proves that there's no need bothering your rationing board during war times, Mr. Ridenour got by well with the same shoes he had when the war started, he never needed nr used any of his shoe stamps and he worked and walked lots every day.

Church School Elects Officers For 1945-46

At a recent meeting of the Board of Education, the Methodist Church School officers were elected to serve for the ensuing year, 1945-46, as follows:

General Superintendent, Clyde M. Kirk; Assistant, and Secretary of Literature, W. H. Creech; Secretary, J. M. Fry; Assistant, W. D. Harr; Treasurer, O. H. Reasor.

Superintendent, Adult Division, E. K. Geisler; Pianist, Mrs. J. M. Fry; Assistant, Mrs. C. W. Adams; Women's Bible Class teacher, W. H. Creech; Assistant, Mrs. P. R. Hinkle; Mens' Bible Class, teacher, E. E. Parsons; Shadow Class, teacher, Mrs. J. E. Laningham; Assistant, Mrs. U. G. Flanary; Young Adult Class, teacher, Mrs. C. D. Mehaffey; Assistant, Helen Fry.

Youth Division, Superintendent, Paul Johnston; Assistant, Ruth Campbell; Pianists, Mildred Kelly, Floravista McKinnon; teachers, D .H. Stallard, Pearl Cornette, W. I. Dickenson, Woodrow Kelly, Joe Smith

Childrens' Division, Mrs. D. H. Stallard, General Superintendent; Junior Department, June Lewis, Superintendent; Assistant, and Secretary, Edith Quinley; Pianist, Cora Lewis, Teachers, Mrs. Woodrow Kelly, Pearl Johnston, Mrs. J. B. Tipton.

Primary Department, Mrs. D H. Stallard, Superintendent; Pianist, Mrs. Buford Rhea; teachers, Mrs. Fred Wheeler, Mrs Luther Cress, Mrs. Buford Rhea;

Kindergarten Department, Mrs Claude Grace, Superintendent; Teachers, Mrs Pete Myers, Mrs Ovis Vaughan.

Nursery Department: Superintendent and Nursery Home Visitor, Mrs H. H. Kesner; Assistants, Mrs. Ann Vaughan and Miss Elise Rhea.

Home Department· Superintendent, Mrs. Etta Green; Assistant, Mrs. Ida Smith; Home visitor, Miss Elise Rhea.

First Baptist Church

Sunday morning, September 30· Sunday School at 9 30, A. T. Burchette, Superintendent.

Morning worship at 10:45: Sermon topic, "Victory Assured."

This is Promotion Day, and certificates will be awarded those who are changing from one department to another.

Evening: Training Unions meet at 6:30: Evening worship at 7 30; Sermon topic, "The Unbeatable Game."

Prayer Meeting Wednesday at 7:30.

P. R. Stubbs, Pastor.

Methodist Church

Sunday morning, September 30. Church School at 9·30, Clyde L. Kirk, Superintendent

Morning worship at 10 45. Sermon by the pastor.

Topic, "Spiritual Atmosphere"

Special music "Jesus Lover of My Soul" by quartette

This is Promotion and Rally Sunday, and all members are urged to be present at Church School and morning service

Evening Youth Fellowship Groups meet at 6 45

Sermon by pastor at 7 30

Topic, "Maintaining our Birthright."

Monday evening, Oct 1, Meeting of Wesleyan Service Guild at the church at 7 30

Midweek prayer service Wednesday evening at 7 30

Charles D Mehaffey, Pastor

First Christian Church

Sunday, September 30· Bible School at 10 00 a m, H O Hale, Superintendent

Worship with communion at 10 45 Sermon subject, "Spiritual Strength"

There will be no evening service as this church joins with the others of the district in Youth Rally at Rose Hill, this being a Fifth Sunday feature.

Choir rehearsal Wednesday at 7:00 p. m., Prayer and Praise service at 7:30, Board meeting to follow at 8·15.

First Sunday in October is World Communion Sunday. While this church observes communion every Lord's Day, a special plea is being made for every member of the church to be in attendance on this special day of world-wide communion observance.

W. B. Moore, Minister.

Benefit Party To Be Given At St. Charles

The St. Charles Woman's Club is sponsoring a benefit card and game party on Friday night, October 12th, at 7:30 p. m., in the High School auditorium.

The admission will be 50c. The proceeds will go for Civic purposes.

Mrs. Roger Rector of Harrogate, Tenn., visited her mother, Mrs. E. R. King and other relatives last week.

Thousands of returning veterans will be calling home tonight

We know you want those returning veterans to get their Long Distance calls through as much as we do.

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One nice, 7-acre tract, just slightly rolling; beautiful location to build —real good land, in the Barlow subdivision, on top of Skaggs' Hill.

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THE ROAD TO RUIN

The new and better life we are all promised in our post-war world may be costly entertainment. The plan to pay $25 maximum unemployment benefits for 26 weeks might better be called he National Vacation Measure. What would happen at the end of 26 weeks when the vacation was over? Would there be a new bill for the next year, on the theory that unless it was passed there would then be unemployment? Naturally, the higher the benefits and the longer the period each year for which they are paid, the more difficult it will be to recruit help. Retail stores, garages, and many other trades find workers unwilling to accept work, even when thousands are being laid off from war industries. Farm help is almost impossible to get at any price the farmer can pay, to raise food to sell at a figure demanded by the government.

Sooner or later we are all going to have to get down to earth and work and save, or we will starve. All the hot air to the contrary, government can't take money away from the people in taxes to furnish the handouts now proposed. Legalized loafing on the government payroll will break any nation ultimately.

Proclamation - National Newspaper Week, Oct. 1-8

THE WHITE HOUSE

Washington

September 7, 1945

TO THE NEWSPAPERS OF THE NATION:

National Newspaper Week has a deeper significance in this year of victory than through the war years now happily ended.

In this hour of exultation we should dedicate ourselves anew to the perpetuation of one of our cherished heritages—freedom of the press.

It is with a sense of genuine pride that I can emphasize to all American editors and publishers and bring to the attention of Americans everywhere one singular triumph of our war experience. That is that the American free press through the stress of the most horrible of all wars withstood subversive and open attack and operated under a voluntary code of censorship.

Ours then is the plain duty, as we face the grave days ahead, to work without ceasing to make a free press the true torch of world peace.

(s) Harry Truman

GOVERNOR DARDEN'S STATEMENT REGARDING NATIONAL NEWSPAPER WEEK—1945

National Newspaper Week will be observed from October 1-8 for the fifth consecutive year but in this year of victory which assures Americans of their cherished heritage the free press it has a new meaning Because of their superb coverage of the war and their unfailing cooperation with all wartime endeavors here at home a brilliant chapter has been written in the history of journalism

Of the hundreds of war correspondents who risked their lives that waiting millions all over the world might be informed, thirty-one correspondents and photographers were killed, twenty-nine were injured and five were captured.

With greatly depleted staffs, lack of newsprint and many other technical difficulties, newspapers carried the message of each wartime appeal. For the Seventh War Loan Drive alone 62,000,000 lines of copy were used, all of which was the contribution of the newspapers

Their task continues to be to link the world to their respective communities, and they must help make secure the peace so dearly bought by the assumption and discharge of those obligations which rest upon all who enjoy the freedom of publication

RETIRING AND NEW PRESIDENT C. & P. TELEPHONE CO.

Lloyd B. Wilson

Mark R. Sullivan

Responding to his request, the the directors of the Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Company of Virginia, at their meeting held Sept. 19, accepted the resignation of Mr. Lloyd B. Wilson as president and elected him chairman of the Board, effective October 1st.

Mr. Mark R. Sullivan, Vice President of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company, was elected president to succeed Mr. Wilson. Similar action has been taken by the Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Companies of Washington, Baltimore City and West Virginia.

Mr. Wilson has been president since September 1, 1929, covering the period of the depression and World War II.

Mr. Sullivan, a native of California, has a distinguished record in the Bell System. For the past four years he has been Vice President in charge of the Department of Operation and Engineering of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company.

Navy Recruiting In So. W. Virginia Outstanding Section In The Nation

Lt. Commander Charles L. Kessler, Officer in charge of Navy Recruiting for Virginia, was in Bristol today and congratulated Chief Petty Officer John Baden, of the Bristol, Va., Navy Recruiting Station on the splendid job of recruiting being done in this Section.

Southwest Virginia, Kessler said has been one of the outstanding spots in the nation, all during the war as far as Navy Recruiting is concerned This could not have been accomplished by our personnal alone, no matter how enthusiastic and efficient they might be, the recruiting officer said. The cooperation of the news outlets was and is, absolutely essential. For this, Navy Recruiting is grateful.

Future Insurance

A large peace time Navy is a "MUST" if we are to win the peace Bases in the far-flung fronts of the world will have to be maintained These bases, will be the cheapest insurance we as a nation can buy

Quota

Therefore more and more men are needed as replacements for the men who will be discharged The Naval Reserve enlistment quota has been constantly reduced in recent months and now is very limited

The regular Navy quota is unlimited and naturally, regular Navy enlistments are more desirable to the Navy

Periods of Enlistment

Enlistment in the Naval Reserve is for the duration plus six months, or two, three or four years. Men do not necessarily complete the term of enlistment in the Naval Reserve on active duty, since they can be placed in an inactive status at anytime For example daily, men are being discharged because of the point system who have not served the minimum period of enlistment in the reserve (2 years), and obviously they have not remained in for the duration. They have returned to inactive duty and received a discharge like every other man leaving the service under the point system.

Regular Navy

Enlistment in the regular Navy for 17 year olds is for minority The men are discharged one day before they bcome 21 years old, and they can leave the service if they so desire. All 17 year old applicants for enlistment must have their parent's consent

Men 18 through 37 years of age regardless of their draft classification, and whether or not they have received their final notice of induction, can enlist directly into the Navy via our recruiting stations without going through their draft boards

Enlistments in the Navy for men 18 and older is for 4 years Applicants 18 and older do not need the consent of their parents

Dependents

Men with dependents were not eligible for enlistment in the regular Navy prior to this war A new ruling of the Navy Department now makes these men eligible if otherwise qualified

Education Requirements Modified

For thirteen years prior to World War II, it was necessary for men to have at least a complete high school education. Now all a man has to do to pass entrance examination and it makes no difference how much or how little formal education he has.

Physical Requirements Lowered

The present physical examination is less severe than formally. This is the result of our war-time experience, and many men will now have an opportunity to serve who previously were denied this privilege.

Peacetime Navy Interesting

Never before in our history has our Navy offered a more interesting and thrill packed life than now. The Navy will travel more than ever and sailors will continue to learn to do useful work and to qualify in the trades that will enable them to earn a splendid living wage should they decide to return to civilian life at the end of their enlistment.

Jack Rogers Promoted

Stanford Jack Rogers, 21, has been advanced to seaman first class USNR. Besides service aboard a destroyer escort, the USS Cats of the Pacific Fleet, Rogers has also been serving at Bainbridge, Md., aboard the USS Cates of the Pacific Fleet, convoy duty in the North Atlantic.

He is the son of Mrs. Sarah Rogers of Bonny Blue, and was formerly employed by Blue Diamond Coal Company.

Served With the SACO

It can now be revealed that Billie C. Hall, radioman second class, R. 4, Jonesville, Va., played a role in one of the most romantic and dangerous episodes of the war against Japan, as a member of a group of guerillas, intelligence agents and weather observers behind the Jap lines in Asia.

The group, now known as SACO-SINO, American Co-operative Organization, began shortly after Pearl Harbor as strictly a weather reporting unit. The project grew until it was providing the U. S. Fleet, the Army's 14th Air Force and the Chinese and American Army Headquarters with weather reports and with intelligence movement of Jap ships, troops and supplies. Finally, it became a dangerous fighting outfit, killing Japs, blowing up trains, raiding Jap outposts. It's activities finally extended all the way from Indo-China to the Gobi Desert.

SACO intelligence allowed the 14th Air Force to mine coastal waters, forcing Jap shipping out to sea, where they were attacked by American submarines, on information from SACO. Weather information helped the Navy decide when to stage invasions on Jap islands and raids on the Jap homeland.

Wins Meritorious Service Unit Plaque

The Meritorious Service Unit Plaque has been awarded to the 192nd Ordnance Depot Company of which Technician Grade Five C. R. Rowland is a member.

Cpl. Rowland is the son of Charles Rowland, who makes his home at Ewing, Va During the 27 months of overseas service at the South Pacific Base in New Caledonia, his unit maintained large Ordnance warehouses and supplied both combat and service troops with the necessary Ordnance equipment to carry on the war to it's successful conclusion.

Saw Jap Surrender

Roy L. Pennington, Machinist's Mate 3-C, of Keokee, Va., on September 2nd witnessed the formal Japenese surrender from the 3rd Fleet Destroyer, the "Kimberly," one of the first ships to enter the Tokyo Bay, which was anchored near the USS "Missouri," scene of the ceremony.

The "Mighty K" is a veteran of Pacific battles from Tarawa to Okinawa.

THE WOOL-CARDING MACHINE

By MRS. ETTA GREEN

The high price of clothing, the probelm of finding just the style and color you want, may be trying enough for the modern generation—these were the least of peoples' worries a generation or two ago.

The men, as a rule, raised the sheep, did the shearing, had the wool carded into rolls ready for the spinning wheel—the rest was up to the women. They spun the wool into yarn, wove it into cloth or knitted it into socks, stockings, or other items for winter use.

One of the leading "manufacturers" of the wool rolls was A. K. ("Andy") Bonham, who lived south of Jonesville, in the Town Branch community. Mr. Bonham lived in an age when modern machinery had not reached its peak but he did a fine job of operating the old "Carding Machine" located near his home.

The Carding Machine was built much like the old-fashioned water mill. The building was of logs and connected with a big wooden wheel on the outside. The water from the creek ran through what was known as "the mill race," turning the wheel and operating the wool-carding machinery. It is said that before cars, buses and good roads became common, people would come for miles around, even from Kentucky and Tennessee, to have their loads of wool cleaned, carded into rolls and prepared for the spinning wheel.

Often Mr. Bonham would run his machine all night long, just to give his customers an early start on their way next morning. In addition, he was a farmer and an all-around business man of his day.

There's now not a trace of the building, and Mr. Bonham has passed on; but like many of the fine Lee County pioneers, he served his age in a fine way.

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Production Resumed 'Lee Has Everything'

Coal Mining and Cattle Herds Now Being Filmed

Production was resumed this week on the motion picture "Lee Has Everything," a movie in natural color being produced in Lee County by Virgil Q. Wacks.

"Shooting" has been under way for several months on the picture which has been slowed down several times for various reasons, mainly to wait on certain crops to mature and various developments to reach the stage to be photographed.

Wacks is endeavoring to tell a story on the screen of Lee County that is unexcelled in any other part of the state of Virginia. According to his research, Lee County really does have everything in natural resources, such as coal, iron, steel, ore, manganese steel, lead, oil gas and silver. It's fertile farms produce an annual $2,000,000 tobacco crop, hybrid corn, finest of Hereford cattle (Blue Ribbon winners), hogs, sheep, poultry, and a rich variety of vegetables sufficient to feed many counties it's size.

The scenic beauty of Lee County in color can hardly be excelled in colourful California; the schools, railways, rivers, churches, power systems, etc., will also furnish scenes of interest. Wacks plans too, to photograph the bad with the good. For example, the highways—one way bridges still exist in the coalfield area where travel is the third greatest in the state of Virginia, the roads are narrow and dangerous, this will become a part of the picture as well as some fine strips of highway found elsewhere in the county.

Scenes of the record-breaking Lee County Fair and the beginning of the story of the coal mines were shot this week and are on their way to Washington for Lab inspection. Hereford cattle and further mine shots are next on schedule.

TOWN TALK

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mond, visited with Harold recently. They found him getting along well and maintaining his characteristic cheerfulness, despite the fact that he is probably facing a major operation.

Methodist Ministers Get Better Pay

One of the most worthy signs of progress is better pay for ministers. Rev. Roy E. Early, Superintendent Big Stone Gap District, in his sermon at the Methodist Church here Sunday night, stated that nearly all the churches in his district, including those of country areas, have voted substantial increase in salaries for their pastors.

Time was when "the preacher" gave his time and efforts to the public for a song and sang it himself. Even the pioneer circuit rider traveled far and wide over rough and rocky roads, carrying on religious work and building churches, for very meagre pay. We are glad that the ministerial career has at last come into its own.

"Backs to the Farm"

Sheriff and Mrs. J. W. Newman have turned their backs to the farm on Route 2 where they have been living the past two years or more, and have moved to Jonesville to make their home.

Young Friends in Hospital

The other day while visiting at Lee General Hospital, I was just about to pass by two young ladies in adjoining beds, thinking I didn't know them, but they called to me and made themselves known.

One was Mrs. J. W. Hill, of Oak Ridge, formerly Miss Bernice Reynolds, of Pennington Gap, Route 1. This was the first time I had seen Bernice since she was a small girl in my Sunday School class.

The other young lady was Miss Joy Fletcher, of Jonesville, who reminded me that she was a student in Pennington High School at the time I worked in the Library. Needless to say I was happy to meet again with them, and especially glad to find them recovering from their illness and expecting to be dismissed from the hospital soon.

"Ptomaine?"

S. F. Smalley was taking treatment at Lee General today for an infected foot. The trouble started in the toe he said, and B. H. Wainscott joined in "Toe Maine poisoning, of course!"

NO WONDER MORALE IS HIGH!

Pfc. Andy Ely and Junior Hostess

Pfc. Andy Ely, of Alexandria, is photographed with junior hostess in USO recreation hall at Oklahoma City Thousands of Virginians all over the nation are being entertained by USO, which in October will seek financial aid of the state in maintaining its services to the millions of American boys at home and overseas.

W. Tayloe Murphy, president of the Virginia War Fund which in October will seek to raise more than $1,800,000 for 20 war agencies of our Allies, stated today that 50 per cent of this money will go to keep hundreds of USO clubs going in America and the thousands of Camp Show entertainers on duty in more than 125 countries all over the world. A local committee has been assigned the task of raising a part of the state fund and is now planning an active campaign for Lee County in October. Miss Saluda Sewell, of Jonesville, is chairman of this committee.

One Lone Tree

One lone tree stands among the rest
The only one in warm hues dressed;
For in last night's visit of Old Jack Frost
Some drops of colored print were lost.

They fell from out of his bucket gold,
On the topmost branches took fast hold—
Now they've trickled down most half way,
A few more leaves are stained each day

Soon Mr Frost, with impartial hand,
Will scatter gold over all the land,
Then this lone tree with its sisters will blend,
And so will be heralded the summer's end!

—"Tony"

Lee County District B. S. A. Held Meet

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present to make their contribution before leaving the meeting and a good portion of the money needed to take care of the district's 1945 quota was raised before the meeting adjourned.

Forrest G White, Deputy Regional Executive, discussed the problems of the District Organization and showed ways and means on how the district could be made function, and showed where Leadership Training was most important, and that it would be stressed through the coming months.

District Commissioner Frank Parr, selected as his neighborhood commissioners: S. J. Shelburne, C. F. Connelly, Frank Gibson, Rev. Charlie D Mehaffey, Dillard Ball, and Carl W. Green. Mr. Parr plans to call a meeting of the neighborhood commissioners soon for a training session.

After much discussion as to the amount of time the field executive was to devote to Lee County during the remainder of this year, Council Executive Harold G. Hayes assured the district that they would receive one-half the field executive's time during the remainder of this year, the other half of his itme to be devoted to Wise County district.

It is the ultimate objective of the Lee County district to have as many troops, with as many boys in Scouting as is within their power, by the end of the year 1945.

The next District meeting will be held Friday, October 26, at 7:30 p. m., at the Town Hall, Pennington Gap.

All citizens of the county interested in Scout training for our youth are earnestly requested to attend this meeting.

Dr. Setzler Again Appointed Chairman of UNC. Collection

Dr. G. B. Setzler, Pennington Gap, Va., local chairman of the United National Clothing Collection for overseas relief of this past spring, has been asked by President Truman and Henry J. Kaiser to serve again as local chairman in a second nation-wide clothing collecion for overseas relief.

President Truman in his letter said that the need for this collection is "imperative." The campaign, to be known as the Victory Clothing Collection, is scheduled for January 7, 1946, through January 31st. The national goal is 100,000,000 garments with additional shoes and bedding.

The President wrote "Without adequate clothing and other necessities of life to sustain victims of war on the long road to rehabilitation there can be no peace. I therefore ask you and the more than seven thousand local chairmen of the United National Clothing Collection to lead the Nation in another clothing collection for the relief of victims of war."

Expressing willingness to accept the local chairmanship, Dr. Setzler said, "In view of the President's appeal, Mr. Kaiser's response, and Mr. Kaiser's letter to me, I feel I must accept the responsibility to organize our community to meet this new challenge.

"UNRRA has informed local chairmen that every pound of the clothing contributed in the nation-wide collection this past spring will be in the hands of war victims overseas by Christmas. But Mr. Kaiser's letter to me said that total victory has brought many more millions of war victims within range of our assistance. I know our community will again make every effort to do its part. No innocent victim of these years of horror must go naked while clothing hangs unused in the closets of America. We will all of us make our contribution toward a happier New Year for the helpless. Since the task is urgent, let's get ready now to undertake it. All that is asked is whatever used clothing, shoes and bedding we can spare.

"According to Mr. Kaiser's letter to me each contributor will be invited to enclose in the garments a 'good-will' letter to the unknown recipient. I think it is a wonderful idea to have this expression of international friendship."

Destination, Tokyo Bay

Robert C. Bacon, fireman first class, Rose Hill, Va., is serving on the "USS Pavilic" in Tokyo Bay. The Pavilic was one of the first Allied ships to enter the bay, landing British Marines and volunteers from her crew to demilitarize the four forts guarding the entrance to the bay.

After the landing party was re-embarked, the vessel sailed to Yokosuka naval base, where the British were landed again to become part of the occupation force.

Friendship Fund to Aid Scouts Abroad

'hrough their World Friendship Fund nearly 2,000,000 members of he Boy Scouts of America—as well as every friend of Scouting—will ave an opportunity to further the cause of world brotherhood. Every 'ub and Scout will contribute whatever he wishes to help reorganize couting in allied countries devastated by the war

TO THE VOTERS OF LEE COUNTY, VIRGINIA:

I am a candidate for House of Delegates, Election to be held November 6, 1945, and if successful, I will use my influence and will vote for the following measures in the House of Delegates:

1. Pensions for all teachers who have taught in the public schools for 25 years, and for pensions for all teachers who have become disabled while teaching regardless of number of years taught.
2. Better pay for teachers, with a minimum wage of $1200.00 per year, payable in 12 monthly payments.
3. If elected I will introduce a bill in the House of Delegates to have the Bible taught in all free schools; also for free school books.
4. Better roads, especially in Rural Communities.
5. Better enforcement of traffic laws, by employment of more State Highway Patrolmen.
6. Repeal of the Absent Voters Law, and payment of poll taxes as a prerequisite to voting.
7. Repeal of the State law for registration of voters as it now stands and the appointment of a Bi-partisan Registration Board for each precinct, consisting of one member from each of the two major political parties.
8. Election by the people of Judges of the Circuit Courts, Trial Justices and Superintendents of Public Instruction, including Division Superintendents.
9. Pensions for all disabled miners, their widows and orphans, the funds for this pension to be provided one-half by the employer and the other one-half by the employee. Widows to receive at least $50.00 per month for life; also old age pension for miners after attaining the age of 55 years.
10. I favor any legislation which will be for the betterment of the soldiers who are returning from the Army. They have given their time, health, and some of them their lives that we might live in freedom.

If I am successful in the election I pledge my sacred honor that I will do my utmost to have the above pledges enacted into law.

If you believe as I do, vote for me, and it will be greatly appreciated.

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Two Pennington Gap Navy men, Frank E. Duncan, Jr., chief yeoman, USNR., and Earl P. Minnix, seaman first class, USN, son of James P. Minnix, are serving on the battleship USS Alabama, in Tokyo Bay. This ship is a part of the powerful Pacific Fleet completing the first stages of the occupation of Japan.

Under the occupational control of Admiral William F. Halsey, USN, the Alabama, with 11 other battleships, 17 aircraft carriers, 6 escort carriers, 20 cruisers and more than 290 other U. S. ships is helping take over control of the Nips' big naval bases.

Aboard USS Mertz

Joe Austin, 20, seaman first class, USNR, Leona Mines, served aboard this veteran destroyer when she highlighted 20 months of Pacific battle with a bombardment of the steel city of Hitachi, 59 miles from Tokyo, shortly before Japan's surrender.

On the bridge of the Mertz are marks for six campaigns, the Marshals, Marianes, Paleus, Philippines, Iwo Jima and Okinawa.

Somewhere in W. Pacific

Jack N. Wolfe, ship's cook, second class, USN, Ocoonita, Va., is a member of the crew of the "Weehawken" who recently found ten Japs among the seashells on a captured Pacific island where the sailors had landed for a few hours of relaxation.

The crew had just sampled their precious rations of stateside beer when they heard the yells of a wandering shell picker who had spotted a Jap in one of the many caves along the shore. The ship's shore patrol quickly took over and approached the cave with .45 caliber pistols. The Japs hesitated at first, but after a few shots they straggled out. The Army then arrived on the scene and marched them back to barracks.

Bronze Star award for Carson

Sgt. Charles E. Carson (Colored), son of Rev. and Mrs. Joe Carson, Pennington Gap, was recently awarded the Bronze Star medal.

Sgt. Carson has served 22 months in the Army, six of which were spent in overseas service. He is now on the Ie Shima Island

Promoted

Pvt. Harold R. Shuler, of Keokee, was recently promoted to the rank of Corporal at the Infantry Replacement Training Center, Camp Wheeler, Ga., it has been announced by the Commanding General, Thomas C. Hearn.

Promoted in Belgium

Fred P. Russell, Jr., writes from Charleroi, Belgium, to give us his new APO number, and to tell us that he has been promoted recently from Cpl. to Tech. 5th grade. He also tells us that he is enjoying the PVN, because it brings him news from his home county.

Ack-Ack Men

Pfc. Joe B. Haynes, Leona Mines; Pfc George W. Garrison, Pennington Gap, and Pvt. Claude M. Vaughan, St. Charles, are among the Ack-Ack men in Antwerp, Belgium, who are helping speed redeployment troops on their way.

They are serving in Battery A, of the 559th Anti-Aircraft Artillery (Automatic Weapons) Battalion which has helped ship more than 20,000 troops to the United States through Camp Top Hat, Antwerp's staging area, since July 1. The Battalion fought in France, Luxembourg, Belgium, Holland and Germany, and destroyed a total of 50 enemy aircraft

Stationed in Texas

Leonard J. B. Fleenor, ship's cook, second class, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fleenor, R. 2, Pennington Gap, Va., is now on duty at the U. S. Naval Receiving Station, Galveston, Texas.

Fleenor enlisted October 28, 1942, and has served in the Panama Canal Zone, the West Indies and Central America. He attended Pennington Gap High School.

David Pence, student at Medical College, Richmond, is home for a few days.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 26th day of September, 1945

Grace Willis Eades, Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
William Paul Eades, Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce A Vinculo Matrimonii, and an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, William Paul Eades, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address is General Delivery, Newark, Ohio, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste

VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D. C.
p. q. Guy A. Kauffman
Adv. No. 39-4t

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 26th day of September, 1945

Golden Noel Cowell, Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Paul Henry Cowell, Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce A Vinculo Matrimonii. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant Paul Henry Cowell, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address is General Delivery, Louisville, Ky., it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

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News From STICKLEYVILLE

S. 1-C. Billy J. Ward was home on a fourteen- day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Ward.

Mrs. Dorothy Keck and Miss Wilma Sage visited with Mrs. Maude Stout Sunday.

Pfc. W. D. Castle and wife, have been visiting his parents, Mr and Mrs. B. J. Castle, of Stickleyville.

Harve Ramey has been visiting his sister at Stickleyville, after spending a few months in California.

Misses Betty and Peggy Ward, Zaleen and Betty Hall, Jean, Roverna and Vivian Parsons, attended the revival at Mt. View Friday and Saturday nights.

Jerome Ramey visited his daughter, Mrs. Cora Bell Hall, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Elkins was visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Litton Sunday.

Ulyss Bledsoe, Jimmie Laster and Essie Young attended church services Sunday night at Blue Deep Springs

Pvt. Johnnie Coffman is now stationed at Camp Blanding, Fla.

Cpl. Willington Miles is home on a 30-day furlough after serving some time overseas.

Leonard Hall is now employed at Slater, S. C.

Miss Zaleen Hall spent Monday night with her aunt at Pennington Gap.

Misses Peggy Ward and Clara Rasnic spent Wednesday night with Mrs. L. E. Robinette.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Crowell, of Newport, Va., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Stewart.

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News From BENEDICT

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Blevins and family, and Miss Alma Sturgill visited relatives and friends at Calvin Sunday.

Mrs. Ruth Evans and little daughter, of Monarch, visited with Mrs. Garland Bryant and family here Saturday.

Cpl. Robert Holman, of the U. S. Army, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holman and family, here.

Rev. Roe Smith, of Elizabethton, Tenn., was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Pascal Holman here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pascal Holman visited friends at Pattonsville Sunday.

Rev. Roe Smith preached in the Benedict Church Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Jess Lamb, of Sneedville, Tenn., filled his regular appointment here Sunday morning and Sunday night.

Pfc. Olen Phillips, who has been overseas for several months is home on a 31-day furlough visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Phillips and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Johnson and daughter, Joan, of Jonesville were visiting their daughter here Sunday, Mrs. Robert Fortner and family.

Mrs. Elsie Holman visited friends at Keokee and Calvin, Sunday.

LEE HAS IT
Middlesboro, Ky.

News From HAGAN

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Langley have with them their daughter, Mrs. Howard Sumner and children, of Akron, Ohio, and their two sons, Cpl. Dewey Langley, of Florida, on a 15-day furlough, and Sgt. Emory Langley, also on furlough from overseas.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bay Cheek, a daughter, to whom has been given the name Reba Sue.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ingle, of Hubbard Springs, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Kin Hensley.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Irvin spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bay Cheek.

Lt. Charles Sprinkle is here with his family. He has been serving in the Atlantic Area.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Adams and family and Mrs. Lettie Shufflebarger spent last Sunday in Johnson City.

Sgt. V. L. Stewart is home on furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stewart.

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To Whom It May Concern

By:

W. I. Jones

Not so long ago someone remarked: "We may expect a wave of crime when the boys come home." That sentiment is heard often. It sounds disrespectful when it must be remembered that those in uniform are the ones who have preserved our freedom and kept concentration camps from our neighborhood. Actually, some Countries talk of larger jails and more officers and better patrol wagons to handle the ex-service men who are supposed to have developed into criminals during the war.

It is safe to predict that the boys will be sounder and more sober than when they left us. They will hate shame and crooked politics. They will expect us to take our religion and our patriotism seriously. They will add a strength and security to the patriotism we have been talking about. We, and not they, will be the ones who need to lay aside the weights of indifference and carelessness in our communities.

If there had been no war, some of these boys would have been criminals. It may be that army discipline and battle dangers have made men out of many of them. There will be, doubtless a fringe who will go on a rampage of crime but to brand ex-service men as criminals and to speak of large jails for them is unkind, to say the least. Jobs and social workers and hospitals will be a much better solution.

Ewing Soldier Awarded Combat Infantry Badge

Fort Story, Va.—A Combat Infantryman Badge has been awarded to Private First Class Charlie L. Britt of Ewing, Va., it was announced today by Cpl. Howell Brewer, commanding officer of Fort Story Convalescent Hospital, where Britt is a patient.

Britt joined the army March 6, 1942, and was overseas 21 months with the 78th Infantry Division. He was wounded in the shoulder during the Rhineland campaign

A farmer before the war, Britt expects to go into the trucking business when he receives his discharge. He is also entitled to wear the Purple Heart Medal, and the European theater ribbon with two battle stars.

Roundup of OPA Price and Rationing News

Ration Calendar For Week of Sept. 24, 1945

MEATS AND FATS: Red Stamps . . . V2, W2, X2, Z2, now valid; expire September 30. A1, B1, C1, D1, E1, now valid; expire October 31. F1, G1, H1, J1, K1, now valid; expire November 30. L1, M1, N1, P1, Q1, now valid; expire December 31. R1, S1, T1, U1, V1, become valid October 1, expire January 31, 1946.

SUGAR: Sugar Stamp 38 now valid, expires December 31.

SHOES: Airplane Stamps Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 4 now good, will remain valid indefinitely.

Five More Red Stamps Good

Five more red stamps in War Ration Book Four will become valid Monday, October 1. The new valid stamps, good until January 31, 1946 will be R1, S1, T1, U1, and V1.

Red Stamps V2, W2, X2, Y2 and Z2, now valid, will expire at midnight, Sunday, September 30

Sugar Stamp No. 38 remanis the end of the year.

Tire Situation Still Acute

Demand for passenger car tires has increased so rapidly since the lifting of gasoline rationing that it will be many months before motorists get all the new tires they need, according to OPA District Director Bernard C. Goodwin in Roanoke

He said that unfilled applications for passenger car tires are at an all-time high, while inventories are at an all-time low the country over.

It is expected that the backlog of approved unfilled applications may total one million for the country by the end of September. In this area alone, Mr. Goodwin said, the figure approches the 15,000 mark.

"These are all applications that have been approved, but local boards can't issue certificates for their purchase because passenger tire quotas have been exhausted," he said.

This explains, he declared, why local boards are forced to turn down thousands of tire applications. He added that in many cases dealers do not have tires enough for all motorists who hold certificates.

Used Cars and Trucks

Ceiling prices are still applicable to all sales of used automobiles and trucks. Every person who sells one of these vehicles must execute a certificate of transfer and turn it over to the purchaser. The purchaser must then add his signature and file the certificate with his local War Price and Rationing Board

Dealers selling used vehicles at warranty prices are required to show their authorization number on the certificate of transfer.

Low-Priced Auto Seat Covers

Price relief measures have been granted manufacturers of low-priced automobile seat covers in an effort to get these scarce items back on the market, it was announced yesterday by OPA District Director Bernard C. Goodwin in Roanoke

"The fabric supply is now loosening up to the point where military cutbacks in textile manufacture can be felt and normal production should soon be resumed in this industry with a normal spread over the entire price range."

Because of wartime wear on automobiles and the difficulty of replacement, demand for seat covers has increased while shortages have developed in the low-priced lines, he added.

Control Of Building Costs

Some details on OPA's most far-reaching peace-time price control program have been released in Atlanta with the declaration "building material costs must and will be stabilized."

OPA asserted, "One look at the record of what happened after the last war is enough to show why this program is so vital: 68,000 mortgage foreclosures on homes in 1926; 97,000 in 1927; 116,000 in 1928; 134,000 in 1929."

Commenting on these figures a few days ago, OPA Administrator Chester Bowles said, "That's what happens when a building boom goes bust."

Washington has given regional OPA officials authority to set community dollar-and-cent ceiling prices on construction materials and building costs in each area. These will be decided upon after a survey has been completed to determine what costs need to be flat-priced and where.

James Alyce Laningham, a student at Virginia Intermont College, spent last week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Laningham.

It's Fun To Be A Scout

Is there a young boy in your home? Is he a member of a Scout Troop? If not, ten to one he'll want to be, and you'll want him to be, when you read the following tribute by Scout Master Claude Grace:

"We're a hiking group that's
flown the coop
For a rollicking, roving tramp;
We're a bunch of boys who
Know the joys
Of making a forest camp."

You hear a song and shout from the distance, then the tramp tramp, tramp of a dozen feet. A gang of fellows come hiking over the crest of the road. they are Scouts there's no mistake they are Scout--ther's no mistaking those khaki uniforms; the broad-brimmed hat, the bright neckerchief, and one of the fellows isswinging a flag with an animal emblem in time with the tune.

Some of the boys flash a broad grin when they pass you, then they disappear down the road. But you can still hear their song as they swing into the last line of it:

"We're off on the morning
breeze, to see the lakes and
the trees;
There's room for more in our
jolly corps--so wont you come
along?

What a peppy gang! What a good time the fellows seem to have together. Of course they're having a good time-- why shouldn't they? A small group of Scouts grown into a strong gang with real fellowship; they know the fun in camping, making new trails, sending messages from hill top to hill top, cooking and in living the outdoor life. These boys are made up of the swellest boys in the world.

Miss Verlie Tiller of Bristol, visited relatives and friends here last week.

Virginia Tipton is home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tipton. She has been employed at Oak Ridge for several months

Lois Burden of Bonny Blue, spent last Wednesday night with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Waymon Burdon.

News From JONESVILLE

Mrs. G. W. Ball

Route 4

Rev. E. L. McConnell, of Kingsport, attended the sale of his farm here which had been cut up into lots and sold at auction Saturday

Willard Wells visited his nephew, who was home on furlough, and other relatives in Esserville, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bowen and children and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ball of Appalachia, visited relatives and friends on Route 4 Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Robert Osborne and small daughter, Carroll Sue, made a brief neighborly call with us Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Howard and son, of Kingsport, and Mrs. Bobbie Stout, Jr., and son, Bobbie Mack, were guests of Mrs. Julia Wells and family over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard and Kofer Wells gave us a pleasant call Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Howard also called on her friend, Mrs. John Davis, Saturday.

Mrs Sallie Hall was a guest of her brother, Lee McConnell and family, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Harris and family were visitors on Route 4 Sunday afternoon.

The small children of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wells are now recovering from whooping cough; the only cases that have been reported in this community for quite a long time.

Eugene Holmes, of Jonesville, was surveying land on Route 4 last week.

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FARM NEWS

Beef Cattle Subsidy Payments Continued

The removal of slaughter quotas on slaughterers does not affect beef production payments to feeders, according to Jim Bales, Secretary of Lee County AAA committee Payments will continue to be made on eligible cattle the same as since the program began last May

Slight changes in the definition of slaughterers and in the provisions for certification of ownership have been made in the procedure followed by county AAA offices in making payments.

Termination of the slaughter quotas has changed the reference to "legally authorized slaughterers" in the program requirements to include all slaughterers, Mr Bales explained.

On sales after September 8, payments may be verified by checking the names of slaughterers on the certification who qualified as "legally authorized slaughterers" before that date

For sales on and after October 1, payments will be made on certification of the buyer that the cattle were purchased by a slaughterer for slaughter or by a person who will deliver them within 299 days to a slaughterer for slaughter. Other evidence needed by the AAA committees to prevent duplicate payment on the same cattle includes:

(1) Certification that the cattle were raised by the applicant, or

(2) That the cattle weighed less than 700 pounds when purchased by the applicant or that the price paid was at least $1.00 below the minimum price (for "good" cattle) for the applicable zone Name and address of person from whom purchased should be included, or

(3) A record of previous sale of the cattle tracing back to the last 30 day ownership previous to the applicant's ownership,

(a) That such previous owner sold the cattle weighing under 500 pounds or under the minimum price (for "good" cattle) for the applicable zone or

(b) That such previous 30 day owner certified he sold them as feeders

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"Is that in the rule book?"

WHETHER it's football or business, Americans expect fair play all down the line. In football, the referee is there to see that the game is played according to the rules. But he's not supposed to run with the ball. In business, the referee is the government, which establishes regulations for fair practices.

But when government goes into business and competes with its own citizens, the American tradition of fair play is set aside. The referee then becomes a *player*, and he enjoys advantages that are denied to all the other players in the game.

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Not only has TVA escaped paying its share of wartime federal taxes but, under present regulations, it will not contribute anything in taxes toward reduction of the 300-billion-dollar national debt regardless of how much it takes in. No wonder TVA officials are so fearful over the possibility of having their books examined by the Director of the Budget and of Congress regaining control over its free-spending activities.

Despite this unfair competition, with its hidden subsidies, business-managed utilities continue to supply 80 per cent of all the electric power. It is a tribute to the unbeatable combination of skilled employes and business management that every demand of the wartime period was met without fail.

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Special Dinner

Last Saturday was Mrs. Bernice Cooper's birthday anniversary; Monday was Mrs. R. E. Orr's; and with it all Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Payne plan to leave the last of the week for Florida to spend the winter. Therefore Mrs. Cooper, assisted by Mrs. C. E. McNiel, treated herself (and Mrs. McNiel), Mrs. Orr, and the Paynes to a special dinner at her home last Saturday.

R. P. Crowell Is Home

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Crowell motored to Greensboro, N. C., last week-end and brought back with them their son, Tech Sgt. R. P. Crowell, who has been confined to the Army hospital at Greensboro since March. He was in a hospital in England from December till March, for wounds received when his plane was shot down over Belgium. He will be here 30 days.

Lt. and Mrs. B. B. Laningham are taking a trip visiting with home folk at different points. They will see his sister, Mary Ann, at Virginia Intermont; his brother, Jimmy Tom, at Quantico; and his father, J. E. Laningham at Richmond, finally concluding their trip at Fort Meade, Maryland, where Lt. Laningham will get his official release from the U. S. Army Air Corps.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Collier had as their week-end guest their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Jimmy Collier (Nell Fritz) of St. Charles.

Miss Cora Evelyn Matthews left last Sunday to enter Lincoln Memorial University at Harrogate, Tenn.

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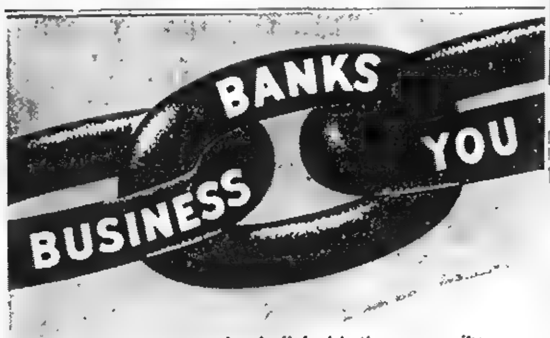

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Mr. and Mrs. Garner (Steve) Tomlinson of Johnson City are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tomlinson, Mrs. Tom Pugh and other relatives.

Misses Mary Louise Smith and Julia Pankow were in Harlan shopping last Tuesday.

Mrs. Murphy King and Mrs. Murl Rush, Jr., visited friends in Harrogate last Sunday.

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Miss Willie Hall has returned home from Dr. Botts' Hospital where she underwent a tonsilectomy, and is getting along fine.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Shelton, Benedict, motored to Corbin over the week end to visit with Mrs. Shelton's uncle, Rev. Frank Snavely, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Willey are here from Baltimore for a few days' stay with Mrs. Willey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Stacey. They will leave Friday for Lincoln, Nebraska, to visit with his parents, going by way of Louisville where his brother will join them.

Mr. Willey will enter the armed forces October 11, and for the duration of his term Mrs. Willey (formerly Miss Virginia Stacey) will stay with her parents.

J. V. Kelly is back home after a several weeks "vacation" in a Harlan hospital. Joe says that at last he's feeling fine, but that he will not resume work for a few days yet

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Mr. and Mrs. Letcher Baker are spending a vacation sightseeing in New York City and other points up north.

Jacqueline Tinsley, who is employed at Oak Ridge, Tenn., is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Tinsley.

S 1-C William Minton, who is stationed at Seattle, Wash., is spending a leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Minton, of West Pennington. Seaman Minton has been in service for over two years, having served 21 months overseas.

Russell-Bellivelle

Miss Elizabeth Russell, daughter of Niel Russell, of Pennington Gap, and Staff Sergeant Leo Bellivelle, were married at the Methodist Church Monday evening, with the pastor, Rev. Charlie D. Mehaffey, officiating.

Members of the immediate family and a few close friends witnessed the wedding.

The couple left yesterday for Rhode Island where they will make their home for the present.

Onkst—Harber

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Onkst, of Pennington Gap, announce the marriage of their daughter, Lela Marie, to Mr. Kenneth Harber, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clearance Harber, of St Charles. The wedding took place in Harlan, Ky., September 27, with Rev A. R. Perkins officiating.

The bride wore a street length dress of baby pink with blue accessories. Their attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kirk, of Norton, Va.

The groom is employed at Haislip Baking Company, of Norton.

The couple are at home in Norton

Son Is Born

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Simpson, of Flint, Michigan announce the birth of a son on Sunday, September 23.

Mrs. Simpson was formerly Miss Lillian Howard, daughter of Mrs Ella Howard of Pennington Gap. Mrs. Howard is with Mrs Simpson.

New Coal Area In Virginia To Be Opened By Railroads

A 125,000-acre tract of coal land, with recoverable coal estimated at 160,000,000 tons, is soon to be open in Southwest Virginia, according to a recent news article from Norton, Va

Two railroads are to construct new lines into the coal area, so states the article, work to begin by December 1, 1945, and to be completed by December 1, 1946.

One tract in the Bold Camp section of Wise County, will be reached by the CC&O (Carolina, Clinchfield & Ohio) and the other on the South Fork of Pound River will be reached by the C&O (Chesapeake & Ohio)

The CC&O has done most of its surveying and engineering work. The C&O has about forty engineers and draftsmen working on their location, with headquarters at Jenkins

Attention, Please! See the Big Circus!

The greatest public event of the season is yet to come—the Circus Friday night, September 28, at the Methodist Church Recreational Hall.

This outstanding event is put on by the Cub Scout Pack, made up of boys from 9 to 12 years of age In it will be featured the following spectacular thrills

Mexican Bull Fight, Educated Horse, Tight Rope Walker, the Strong Man, the Fat Lady, Senor ? ? ? ? ?, the Spanish Sharp Shooter, and of course there'll be the famous fortune teller!

In addition, of course, there will be [illegible] lemonade, and other [illegible], together with games and recreational features

In [illegible] promotion service three boys will be promoted from Wolves to Bears They are: Jimmy K[illegible] M[illegible] and Hale Robbins and Roderick Stubbs

"Rejoicing In Camp" With 6th Inf. Division

Pfc. Chilton Stewart, son of Mr and Mrs Delbert Stewart, of Pennington Gap, has been serving with the Sixth Infantry Division in Northern Luzon.

Ted Wagner, war correspondent for the St. Louis Dispatch, says:

"Men of the Sixth Infantry Division, activated at Fort Leonard Wood, received the radio announcement of the Japanese surrender offer with whoops of joy.

One of the four United States divisions still in contact with the enemy, the Sixth had driven through the Kiangan deMile in northern Luzon, and was poised for a final assault on the headquarters of the 300-pound Japanese Commander, General Tomoyuki Yamashita, deep in the Cordillera mountains

The radio flash from Manila was received at 9:00 p. m. in the division command post. Shouts broke the quiet of the camp, and there were cries of "It's over!" as excited soldiers dashed through the camp. Men slapped one another on the back, and a bedlam of speculation followed."

Wagner writes much more about the Sixth, but, using his words, "It's over now," and Pfc. Stewart has been transferred to Japan.

Just "Mister" Keel Now

Former Sgt. Benjamin S. Keel, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Keel of Pennington Gap, has joined ranks with civilians after a service of 11 years and two months with the U. S. Marines. He recently obtained his honorable discharge.

"I've seen all the world I want to see, and am good and ready to settle down," he states in a letter to his parents. He added that he is contemplating attending a Government School in Washington, D. C., to take a four-year course in refrigeration.

Admant Baptist Church

Sunday morning, Sept. 30: Sunday School at 10 a. m., J. R. Harber, Supt. Morning worship at 11:00; sermon topic, "High Priced Words."

Sunday evening, B. T. U. meets at 6:15; evening worship at 7:30. Sermon topic, "The Inexhaustible and Satisfying Fullness."

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30

W. H. Parrott, Pastor.

The Ross Boys Visit Here

Two young Army Lieutenants passed through our community this week making for their home at Four Mile, Kentucky, but they stopped over in Pennington Gap long enough to see many of their old friends and schoolmates

They were Paul and Glenn Ross, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Ross, who formerly lived at the Pocket, where the father was employed as Operating Engineer Both boys attended Pennington High School.

Cpl. Fletcher In Air Service Group

Cpl Dewey Fletcher has recently been assigned to the 529th Air Service Group which has been named as part of the European Occupational Air Force

Cpl Fletcher is the son of Mrs Rhoda Fletcher who resides at R 2, Jonesville, Virginia. He entered the Army in July, 1942 In addition to the European Theater Ribbon and Good Conduct Medal, Cpl Fletcher has been awarded two Battle Participation Stars for action in Italy and Africa.

Mr. and Mrs. James VanDeVenter, Jr., of Abingdon, Va., were guests of Mr. VanDeventer's brother, M. H. VanDeventer and family in Pennington Sunday.

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Last War Fund Drive Opened Tue., In Lee

Town Talk

About This, That, And The Other

This working world

It's interesting to get up early and watch the world going to work. While the morning is still fresh, the buses come pulling in, bringing people from the rural sections to their jobs in town. Many of them are women who clerk in stores. They have to get up very early to catch their run, and often have to wait a long time for their stores to open.

As the bus turns and starts on the return trip, it takes school teachers, commissary clerks, office workers, and others to their jobs elsewhere.

On the streets we see merchants and bankers hurrying to open their places of business; the news staff on their way to the office; teachers headed toward the High School. Long before we're up and reviewing these street scenes, miners are at their work, taking coal from the earth to supply our daily needs. Beyond our towns farmers are harvesting their summer crops, making sorghum, getting their tobacco ready for market or maybe ploughing the ground for next spring's planting

The school buses come whizzing through the highways, filled with happy children on their way to school. They too belong to the working world, working for a future. A few—no, several years ago when we were children, we walked to school over rugged roads and sometimes tiresome distances; usually carried with us some biscuits with something between them for lunch, and knew nothing of the bus rides, hot restaurant lunches, ice creams and soft drinks that school children of today enjoy.

We're living in an age of hurry, hustle and progress, and we all have our part in it.

Rather mixed up

Charlotte, the small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Kelly, is attending her first year of school. Upon her return home the first day, her mother asked her who her teacher was and Charlotte replied, "Miss Go." "Miss Go?" her mother repeated "No, I b'leve I'm mistaken, it's Miss Hurry," Charlotte said. The mother found the teacher's name to be "Miss Rush!"

Wedding anniversary

Fifty seven years of happy married life is the record of Mr and Mrs. J. B. Harber, of Pennington Gap. Their anniversary was Wednesday, October 3rd This was also the anniversary date of their coming to Pennington Gap to make their home, 46 years ago

Until the last few years they operated a rooming and board-

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Many Bad Car Wrecks Occur Over Week End

A "low flying" coal truck Monday night, forced Sgt. Charles Hobbs off the road in the gap of the Stone Mountain on the St. Charles road, his car dropped off one of the highest embankments on the road badly crashing it into the river. Hobbs and the other occupants were not hurt seriously, Hobbs however, had just been released from an Army Air Corps Hospital. The coal truck kept going, and officers are in search of it.

Seven other wrecks, many of which were bad, occurred in Lee and Wise Counties over the week end, injuring at least 15 people. A Tennessee Ford burned near Jonesville, with 5 escaping.

October Induction Call Local Board No. 1

The following three men complete the induction call from Selective Service Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va., for the month of October: Luther Ray Collinsworth, Blackwater; Glen E. Olinger, Ocoonita; Felce Flanahy, (Col.) Ewing.

Big Oil Well Tapped At Ewing, Lee County

Marriage Licenses Issued During September In Lee

The records in the Clerk's Office at Jonesville, reveal that marriage licenses issued are still on the increase, after reaching a very low number during the war period.

Marriage licenses issued during the month of September follow:

Bay Seal, 20, and Martha Young, 22, both of Rose Hill; John Turner, (Col.) 55, and Clara Kelly, (Col.) 49, of Harlan, Ky.; James Edward Payne, 29, Lone Mt., Tenn., and Mary Virginia O'Dell, 26, Cumberland Gap, Tenn.; Clarence V. Kelly, 23, Clospiint, Ky., and Lulie Lamb, 21, Evarts, Ky.; Samuel Day Reasor, 21, Olinger, and Jane Bayless, 18, Big Stone Gap; James H Wells, 22, and Inez Stanley, 19, both of Pennington Gap; George Coomer, Jr., 22, Olinger and Audrey Elliott, 20, Big Stone Gap

Lee Nelson, 21, and Roxie Dean, 20, both of Rose Hill; Clarence B Hall, 24, and Elsie M McCracken, 19, both of St. Charles, Leo Bellevile, 23, West Warwick, Ill., and Elizabeth P. Russell, 18, Pennington Gap

Scouts Of Pennington Present Court Of Honor

The Boy Scouts of Pennington Gap, Troop 82, will present their Court of Honor, Friday night, October 12, at 7:30 p. m., at the First Baptist Church, Pennington Gap.

The Charter will be presented to the Troop and Scouts who have passed the rank of tenderfoot, 2nd class, 1st class, Star and Life, will be presented their badges of rank. Registration certificates will be presented to the members of the Troop committee

There will also be an Investiture Ceremony, receiving new Scouts in the Troop. The Cub Scouts are invited to be present in uniform.

This program is being sponsored by the Troop committee and the Boy Scouts of Pennington Gap, Troop 82.

The public is corially invited to attend this Court of Honor

Whether your boy is a Scout or not, you will want to be present Friday night, 7 30 p. m., October 12, at the First Baptist Church.

Ensign Clarence F Keys is now cruising around in the Pacific, aboard the USS Jarvis, a Destroyer Ensign Keys formerly of Jonesville, writes friends here that he hopes to spend Christmas in Tokyo, Japan.

New Well Fills 1000 Feet In Few Hours

Lee County's largest oil well was uncapped this week three miles west of Ewing, a producer ten times larger than any of it's four previous wells that has been drilled during the past three and one-half years of prospecting in the Ewing-Rose Hill basin

The oil basin was tapped at 1 20 a m, Wednesday morning, by chief driller Floyd B. Fitch, of Beattyville, Ky., who immediately capped it off until further test could be made. His strike came at a depth of 1212 feet and not more than 100 yards from the first producer drilled there three years ago

The well had filled to 1005 feet early today when crewmen arrived to make tests They found an exceptionally high grade, beautiful yellow oil just 205 feet down

Oil measures 1 1 2 gallons to the foot where 6 inch tubing is used, therefore over 1500 gallons of the fine crude now stood in the new well. They begin their tests and the bubbling yellow crude began bubbling out the top and running down a gutter.

Mr. Fitch, in charge, with his two partners, Fred Seale and Raymond Shiney, of Middlesboro, the latter two who had rushed over to learn results of their undertaking, stood with smiles as Fitch and crewmen began pumping the crude into large reserve tanks.

After the oil is pumped out of the way until it is again possible to resume drilling, Mr. Fitch said they would drill further into the huge basin of oil which they had merely tapped into the edge. "I know it is a good one," said Fitch, who has been drilling oil wells in many states for the past thirty years. "This is like finding that long sought ace in the hole when an exceedingly large pot is at stake," he said

Mr Fitch, who has already drilled six wells in the Ewing basin during the past three years, hitting four oil wells, one gas well and one dry hole, neither of which he offered very optomistic comment, says, "This is the one we've been hunting for, and I believe it will be much better when we drill about ten to twenty feet further into the basin"

Oil derricks began drilling for oil in this section late in 1941 in big style after many smal attempts had failed over previous years The best they have done so far is to find an eleven barrel per day hole, that is about

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Dunbar Plays Title Game St. Chas. Sun.

Final Series To Pay Dividends To Winner

The little world series of the Lonesome Pine League will get under way Sunday with Dunbar of Wise County, meeting the St. Charles Miners of Lee County at St. Charles.

The shaughnassy playoff of the Lonesome Pine was completed over the week end with the St. Charles Miners eliminating Jonesville by a score of 8 to 2, making it two-in a row. Dunbar duplicated by eliminating Cumberland, Ky., 4 to 0, at Dunbar to remove them from further competition in the series.

Dunbar and St. Charles will meet in a two best out of three series for the 1945 title of the Lonesome Pine, a $90.00 cash pot and a silver trophy. The first game will be played at St. Charles with the next two at Dunbar. St. Charles however has the edge in victories down through the season, but the teams for the playoff will be so evenly matched that the outcome can be anybody's guess

Manager Sam Riddle, of Dunbar, says, "I'm coming to St Charles Sunday with blood in my eyes." "King Tut" Stapleton pilot of the Miners said, "We'll be waiting with plenty towels to remove the blood."

The final shaughnassy games Sunday drew exceptionally large crowds. Several hundred saw St Charles eliminate Jonesville at Jonesville, Sunday, 8 to 2.

The veteran Red Walker did mound duty for St. Charles, allowing the Capitol Hill boys 6 scattered hits, whiffing eight. Ben Bowen, of Flatwood High School opposed Walker, allowing 15 hits to the slugging Min-

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BROTHER AND SISTER IN SERVICE

F. 1-c. E. M. Osborne

Miss Zoe Osborne

The above couple, son and daughter of Mr and Mrs R. L Osborne of Pennington Gap, are still in service

E. M. ("Niel") is Fireman First Class in the U S Navy, and serving with the 5th Fleet on the coast of Japan. He has a wife and small son, Eddie.

Miss Zoe Osborne is with the U. S. Cadet Nurses' Corps in Richmond, Virginia. She has been in service about nineteen months

Sentiment In Lee County Is To Observe Eastern Standard Time

Lee County, the only county in the state of Virginia that has operated on Central Standard Time, doesn't like going back on that slow gait now that they have been doing a better job on Central War Time, for the past two or three years.

The answer is, they're going to break precedence and stay on Central War Time. All the coal mines in the vast St. Charles field, both large and small, stated Monday they will not set their clocks back. Mayor Charles M Wheeler, of the town of St. Charles, says, "We shall stick with the coal mines, we prefer the fast time"

Mayor E. E Parsons, of Pennington Gap, said he had conferred at length with civic organizations and business men in general at Pennington Gap and they vote unanimously to keep CWT.

Dr Charles H. Henderson, Chairman of the Lee County Board of Supervisors, has asked all Lee County to just wind their clocks and NOT set them back, that Lee County can do a much better job on their big farms, at the mines and throughout all industry by operating on the present CWT.

The time zone separating the Eastern and Central time, cross the upper corner of Lee County, separating it from the other 99 of Virginia's counties, thus putting it in with Eastern Kentucky and East Tennessee

Pennington Gap Has New Police Chief

The Town of Pennington Gap has a new Chief of Police.

Mayor E E Parsons stated today that the present Police Chief, Claude Benfield had resigned to take a job in a Kentucky town as Police Chief at better pay

Loyd Olinger, twenty-four-year-old ex-soldier and Military Police, from Appalachia, Va., is replacing Benfield.

Olinger has had seven years service in the U. S. Army, two and one-half of which was service in England and Scotland as Military Police.

He weighs 185 pounds, and according to the Mayor, is fast on foot in case any races bob up. He formerly attended Appalachia High School before entering the service and has been discharged from the army for about 15 days

H. C. Howard Receives Honorable Discharge

H. C. Howard, EM 2-C, of Pennington Gap, has been honorably discharged from Naval service at the separation center, Bainbridge, Md.

Seaman Howard, who was last stationed on the USS "Macon," in the Atlantic, has been in Naval service thirty-six months.

$9,200 Drive Now In Full Swing In County

Collins Formally Becomes Nominee For Lt. Gov.

Gunn's Order Removing Fenwick Is Entered In Richmond Court, Oct. 1

According to an Associated Press article from Richmond, dated October 1st, L. Preston Collins, of Marion, was formally made Democratic nominee for Lieutenant Governor, in an order entered in Richmond Circuit Court, by Judge Julien Gunn.

The order removed Charles L. Fenwick as nominee, and ended a contest of the election of the Democratic candidate, brought by Collins on the basis of fraud in Wise County, where ballot books were stolen and have never been found.

Judge Gunn Saturday decided to invalidate the entire Wise County vote because of evidence of fraud, which decision automatically eliminated Fenwick and made Collins the nominee. Fenwick's heavy majority in the August primary in Wise County carried him to nomination.

Fenwick, who is entitled to run as an independent candidate because he filed independently of the Democratic party, announced that he will not be a candidate in the election, and that if ballots are reprinted in conformity with Judge Gunn's order, he will not consent to having his name on them.

The order threw out the Wise vote and directed the secretary of the commonwealth to notify election boards over the state to print Collins' name as Democratic nominee on ballots to be used in the general elections November 6.

Fenwick's name is on 1,600 ballots already sent to servicemen, and about 150 of these have been voted. The court order written by Collins' council, agreed to by Fenwick's attorney and signed by Judge Gunn, takes no account of servicemen's votes already cast.

Lee County Garden Club Met Wednesday

Mesdames A. S. Pennington, M H. Robbins and A. J. Stacey were joint hostesses at the annual Garden Club Meeting Wednesday, at the home of Mrs A. S. Pennington

As the guests arrived, they were each presented with a corsage of red and white carnations. The meeting was then called to order by the President, Mrs Chance, of Jonesville, with the subject of the meeting being "Birds."

As the meeting came to a close, refreshments were served, which consisted of chicken salad, pickles and crackers, lettuce cups, hot coffee and cup cakes. Each plate was decorated with a sprig of wild dogwood, making the plate very attractive.

After the refreshments were seved, about five baskets of flowers were judged, and the meeting was then closed. The Program Director was Mrs. R E. Beeler, Jr.

Navy Recruiter Coming To Lee Every Monday

Chief John A. Baden, in charge of the naval recruiting station, Bristol, Va., announced today that a navy recruiter will be at the Court House in Jonesville, every Monday morning and at the Collier Furniture Store, Pennington Gap, on Monday afternoon.

Chief Baden further stated that due to a change in personnel the navy traveling recruiter has not been coming to Lee County for the past three weeks

All men 17 to 20 years, inclusive, can now enlist in the regular navy. All men honorably discharged from the U S Army, U S Marine Corp, or Navy Service Coast Guard, can now be enlisted as Seamen, first class, which is equivalent to the rating of Corporal in the army.

GM Harry Y. Litton Receives Discharge

GM 2-C, Harry Y. Litton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Litton, of Pennington Gap, and husband of Mrs. Lorraine Stout Litton, has been honorably discharged from the U. S. Navy after serving 27 months, most of which time was served in the Solomon Islands area of the Pacific. He wears three battle stars on his area campaign ribbons

Seaman Litton is a graduate of Pennington High School and before entering service was employed by the Texas Company, Pennington Gap, Va.

He now plans to enter the employment of McCall's, Dayton, Ohio.

Seaman Litton has a brother, Lt Jackson D. Litton, now serving with the Navy somewhere in the Pacific area.

Organization Completed At Meeting Mon. Night

The Lee County War Fund campaign for the USO and seventeen relief agencies begun Tuesday, October 2nd. A county organization meeting was held Monday night, October 1st, at the Town Hall in Pennington Gap, called by County War Fund Chairman, Miss Saluda Sewell, which was attended by the following: C. F. Connelly, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hagy, Kemmerer Gem; Dr. Charles H. Henderson and H. R. Gravely, Bonny Blue; J. T. Watson, Virginia Lee; W. G. Frazier, Leona Mines; Charles Newman, Benedict; John Richmond, Robert B. Ely, and Judge George P. Cridlin, Jonesville; T. B. Fugate, Ewing; Mrs. E. E. Skagga, Ellis Roberts, E. L. Scroggs, W. M. Minton, Dr. G. B. Setzler, and Sam C. Blackwell, Pennington Gap.

The meeting was called to order by County Chairman, Miss Saluda Sewell, who discussed the many reasons why Lee County should raise or exceed its quota of $9,200 in this, the last drive of its kind, terming this as the morale builder drive, the money raiser during this drive to be distributed over the next fifteen months period, during a time that several million men will be discharged form the armed services and relief needs will be at their greatest to people all over the world. Fifty percent of the fund goes to USO and fifty percent to seventeen relief agencies. Several other members of the group made short talks, all stressing the need and the worthiness of the National War Fund at this time.

The county was broken down into different geographical areas and chairmen were selected and quotas assigned each area as follows:

Town of St. Charles, Mrs. Jake Smith, Chairman, quota, $550; Wagon or Truck Mines, E. L. Scroggs, Chairman, quota, $325; Dr. Charles H. Henderson of Bonny Blue, was selected as general chairman of the industrial area. Bonny Blue, H. R. Gravely, Chairman, quota, 1,100; Benedict, Charles Newman, Chairman, quota, $1,100; Leona Mines, W. G. Frazier, Chairman, quota, $1,100, Calvin, C. M. Banner, Chairman, quota, $275; Virginia-Lee, J T Watson, Chairman, quota, $255; Kemmerer Gem, C F Connelly, Chairman, quota, $280; Stone Creek and Maness, L C Martin, Chairman, quota, $165, Keokee section, Mrs. J G Thompson, Chairman, quota, $100, Jasper, Mrs. Newton Alvis, Chairman, quota, $30; Dryden, Miss Meda Parsons, Chairman, quota, $220; Seminary and Olinger, Mrs Jack

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President Opens 1945 War Fund Campaign

Chief Executive Urges Generous Contributions

Tuesday night President Truman opened the 1945 National War Fund Campaign with an appeal for generous contributions to help war fund agencies, "Finish the job they were set up to do"

"War service has not ended," said the President in a broadcast from the White House. "I don't need to tell that to anyone whose son is still serving with the occupation forces or with the service troops in this country. For them the war is still going on."

He said the drive is for three causes—for continued "friendly" services for those still having a job to do in the armed forces, for health and welfare services for people at home, and for relief for war stricken persons in liberated areas.

The text:

"My fellow Americans:

This is the month when in cities and towns throughout the country the community war fund is making its annual appeal. Perhaps you wonder why I am coming to you in behalf of a war fund drive, now that all our enemies have surrendered. I shall tell you why.

First let me explain that your community war fund joins in one combined appeal the agencies of the national war fund serving our own armed forces and merchant marine and those agencies helping to relieve the suffering and want of war victims among our Allies. The same federated fund also unites in community chest cities with the ap-

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New Registrants Board No. 1 For September

The following young men, on reaching their eighteenth birthday, during the month of September, registered with Selective Service Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va., subject to being called for military service: Lee Emerson Willis, R. 1, Ewing; Junior George Penley, R. 2, Rose Hill; Emanuel Patrick, Jonesville; Euless Eck Long, Rose Hill; Jay Harold Miles, R. 2, Jonesville; James Clyde Shackleford, Rose Hill; Chester Ray Baumgardner, R. 2, Rose Hill; Leonard S. Thomas, Ewing; Otis Ayers, Gibson Station; Grover Collins, R. 1, Jonesville; Oran Malon Collins, R. 1, Jonesville; Thomas Edward Shell, Jr., R. 2, Jonesville; James Howard Brooks, Ewing.

Pvt. Price Williams is spending a few days leave with his mother, Mrs. Iva Williams. Also, another brother, James, who has received an honorable discharge.

Mrs. Tom Pugh and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Tomlinson were shopping in Bristol last week.

With Our Service Men

On USS "Chenango"

L. E. Johnson, seaman, first class, USNR, Route 2, Pennington Gap, Va., serves on this escort carrier, which is climaxing her war career by helping in the occupation of Japan.

This veteran carrier suffered no battle damage in steaming 252,552 miles in combat waters, after being converted from a fleet tanker in 1942.

She took part in the invasions of North Africa, Tarawa, Kwajelein, Eniwetok, Aitape, Hollandia, Guam, Saipan, the Philippines and Okinawa and in the battle for Leyte Gulf.

Aboard USS "Xanthus"

Claude M. Roop, seaman, first class, Route 4, Jonesville, Va., serves aboard this fleet repair ship, which assisted in the occupation of Ominato, Honshu, in Japan.

The Xanthus was commissioned in May, 1945, and served in the Hawaiian area and in the Aleutians before joining the 4th, Fleet under command of Vice Admiral Frank Jack Fletcher

The ship is equipped to make extensive emergency repairs for any type vessel in the fleet, as well as carrying on routine maintenance.

Receives Honorable Discharge

Tech. 4, Herman R. Robinson Pennington Gap, Va., was honorably discharged from the U. S. Army, September 29th, at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo.

On USS "Hudson"

Howard Wayne Moore, fire controlman, third class, Pennington Gap, Va., recently got his first look at Japan as his destroyer sailed into the Ominato area through Tsugaru Straits between the Japanese home islands of Honshu and Hokkaido.

The "Hudson," commanded by Lt. Cdr. Raphael A. Zoeller, U. S. N., Route 1, Louisville, Ky., is part of the force charged with the occupation of Northern Japan.

The ship participated in nearly every major Pacific action since Bougainville in 1943

Promoted to S. Sergeant

Lester J. Parsons, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hatcher Parsons, of Rose Hill, has been promoted to Staff Sergeant, and is now serving with the 29th Squadron of the 6th Air Force on the Galapagos Islands.

At a Pacific Base

Earl C. Bailey, seaman, first class, of Route 1, Keokee, Va., is serving at an Amphibous Base in the Pacific, with a training and repair base which supplied troops and landing craft for major invasions in the Marshalls, the Gilberts and at Okinawa.

Carrying a 24-hour, seven-day week schedule, his unit maintained all types of landing and assault equipment and repair supplies. The base also trained personnel in amphibious communications, minesweeping and camouflage operations.

Wants Friends to write

Pfc. William E. (Billy) Tritt, USMCR, is still lending a hand to Uncle Sam, even though the war is ended He is serving with the 8th Marines, 2nd Division, somewhere in the South Pacific Area.

Billy is fond of writing and receiving letters, and anyone wishing to write him may address him as follows:

Pfc. Wm. E. Tritt, USMCR, 8th Marines, 2nd Marine Division, c-o Fleet Post Office San Francisco, California.

Pfc. Tritt has been in the service since December, 143, and has been overseas 17 months. He is the son of Mr and Mrs W. P Tritt, of Woodway.

Jonesville High School Student Body Organized

The student body of Jonesville High School last week held their organization meeting and elected the following officers for their different school activities to serve during the 1945-46 school year

Student Body President, Ben Davidson; Vice-President, Wallace Johnson; Secretary, Polly Bellamy; Treasurer, J. D Livesay, Reporter, Warren Wood

Columbian Literary Society President, Charles Johnson; Vice-President, Wallace Johnson, Secretary, Marie Johnson; Treasurer, Jo Ann Johnson, Reporter, Betty Jean Johnson;

Agriculture FFA: President, Coy Collins; Vice-President, Charles Johnson; Secretary, Philmore Edens; Treasurer, Wallace Johnson; Reporter, Billy Wynn; Sentinel, Auburn Long

Dramatics: President, Ben Davidson; Vice-President, Betty Jo Foley; Secretary, Patsy Spangler; Treasurer, Nedra Harris; Reporter, Charleen Ramsey.

Senior Class: President, Ben Davidson; Vice-President, Jo Ann Johnson; Secretary, Warren Wood; Treasurer, Polly Bellamy; Reporter, Ray Bledsoe.

Junior Class: President, Wallace Johnson; Vice-President, Ruth Edens; Secretary, Charles Johnson; Treasurer, Marie Johnson; Reporter, Shirley Fannon.

Sophomore Class: President, Jimmy Humphreys; Vice-President, Vivian Sewell; Secretary, Bonnie Ely; Treasurer, Ray Edens; Reporter, Joyce Davis.

Freshman Class: President, Jean Williams; Secretary, Dorothy Perkins; Treasurer, Doris Ann Keel; Reporter, Macon Couk;

Emersonian Literary Society. President, Polly Bellamy; Vice-President, Carl Bledsoe; Secretary, Jimmy Humphreys; Treasurer, Reba Rosenbaum; Reporter, Joyce Davis.

Junior Class Jonesville High School Organized

Shirley Fannon, Reporter

On September 11, the Junior Class, of Jonesville High School met and elected the following officers for the school year, 1945-46.

President, Wallace Johnson, Vice president, Ruth Edens, Secretary, Charles Johnson, Treasurer, Marie Johnson, Reporter, Shirley Fannon

On September 18, the school started a community League drive which ended September 25 Two prizes were to be awarded, one for the class getting the most members, one to the student getting the most members

The Junior class won, and the Junior class president, Wallace Johnson, won, as the student getting the most members

Mrs Maggie Smalley received a telephone call from her son, S 1-C Billy King, Saturday night saying that he was getting along fine Seaman King is now stationed at Norfolk, having just returned from Pearl Harbor and other points in the Pacific area

The Methodist Church Closes Year's Work

Last Sunday, September 30, the Pennington Gap Methodist Church climaxed with another great year's work in Kingdom building. During the Conference year seventy-nine members were received into the fellowship of the Church. Sixty-one came into the fellowship of the Church on Profession of Faith in Jesus Christ and eighteen by Transfer. During the year marked progress has been made in Church School enrollment and attendance.$13,148.00 has been raised through the various organizations of the Church. The Pastor, Charlie D. Mehaffey, states that it has been one of the very best years Methodism has ever known in this community. He wishes to express his deepest appreciation to all those who have helped in any way to make possible the accomplishments of the year

The following Stewards have been elected for the ensuing conference year: D. H. Stallard, G Q. Horton, W. J. Richards, Clyde L. Kirk, Cowles Kelly, J. B. Tipton, L. C. Cress, W. P. Kelly, A N. Smalley, E. K. Geisler, Ellis Clark, J. M. Johnston, Ovis Vaughan, U G. Flanary, M H. Robbins, W. D. Harr, Pete Myers, Carl Shelton, Claude Grace, A S Pennington, Roy Fletcher, R. E. Beeler and B. M. Kelly.

The Trustees are: W. H. Creech, T. C. Barlow, J. E. Laningham, R. S. Orr and M. D. Kelly. Members of various Committees have been elected.

Scout Field Executive is Discharged From Army; Back With L. P. Council

Chas. A. Blaine, former Field Executive of the Big Sandy District, Lonesome Pine Council, returned to Pikeville on September 21st from Camp Blanding, Fla., where he has already gone back into Scouting in this Council, and will be employed as Assistant Executive, working with Mr. Harold G. Hayes, the Council Executive.

Since the war began, the training of adult leaders, and the organization of the district activities has suffered particularly in this Council. Never, since 1941 has this Scout Office had the services of half the number of Executives that it normally employs. Despite this fact, the total number of Scouts registered has continued to increase. Mr. Blaine will be engaged in the recruiting and training of adult leaders, and the building up of the various District Organizations of the Lonesome Pine Council.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weatherly and small son left Sunday for a visit with Mr. Weatherly's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Weatherly of Detroit, Mich., who were former residents of Pennington Gap. Charles has received his discharge from the Army and plans to make his home in Illinois.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 26th day of September, 1945.

Grace Willis Eades, Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
William Paul Eades, Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce A Vinculo Matrimonii, and an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, William Paul Eades, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address is General Delivery, Newark, Ohio, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:

VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p. q. Guy A. Kauffman
Adv. No. 39-4t.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 26th day of September, 1945

Golden Noel Colwell, Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Paul Henry Colwell, Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce A Vinculo Matrimonii. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Paul Henry Colwell, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address is General Delivery, Louisville, Ky., it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:

VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D. C.
p. q. Guy A. Kauffman.
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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

Americans have a word for it

Bill Larkin's boy, who's back from overseas for good, was telling us about the funny customs and the different languages of European countries

One thing he noticed is that in so many of those countries there is no word for "home," "House," yes . . . or "building." But no name that stands for what we mean when we say *home*.

"In spite of the fact," says Bill, "that it's the most important thing there is . . . a place where you can take your shoes off and let down your hair . . . enjoy a glass of beer before the fire and relax with folks you love'"

From where I sit, that may be an important difference between this country and some others. The conception of home as a place of tolerance and sacred loyalties—where differences of habit and opinion give way before love and understanding! Yes, we Americans have a name for it!

Joe Marsh

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News From BERESHOT

The quarterly conference of the Free Will Baptist Church, will be held here Saturday, October 6th. Everyone is invited to attend these services.

Mrs. Bonnie Sturgill and daughters, Alma and Lois Jean, were visiting friends at Ben Hur Sunday.

Cpl. Robert Holman is home again after being discharged from the U. S. Army.

The seven-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Davis, died at the home here Wednesday night. Burial was in Cecil Cemetery, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orb Miller were visiting relatives at Jellico, Tenn., last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Hascue Nickles and children spent the week end visiting their little daughter, Edith, who is a patient in the Crippled Childrens' Hospital at Richmond.

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News From HAGAN

Pvt. Byrd Hensley, of Pennsylvania, is spending a 12-day furlough with his parents, Mr. P. Hensley, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hensley of Kentucky, and Mr. and Mrs. Sanders Grabeel and family, of Rose Hill, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gill Hensley and family.

Jack McDonald, of the U. S. Army, is spending a furlough with his wife and parents, Mr and Mrs. Nofe McDonald and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cellie Thomas and children, spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Andy Ingle.

Byrd Hensley of the U. S. Marines, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gill Hensley and family.

Alford Langley, of the U. S. Army has returned from overseas and is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Langley and family.

Friends here were sorry to learn of the death of the infant daughter of Mr .and Mrs. Bay Cheek.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ingle, of Hubbard Springs, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Burgan and family.

News From MILLER'S CHAPEL

Miss Mary Lee Garrett left Friday for Knoxville, Tenn., where she will enter Business College.

Miss Pearl Garrett, of Baltimore, Md., is visiting her father, Bill Garrett and other relatives here.

Mrs. Alice Marie VanNastand and Miss Reeda Terry were visiting in Ben Hur, Sunday.

Miss Florence Edens, of Fredericksburg, Va., is visiting relatives here and at Rose Hill. She will return to her job Wednesday.

Miss Flora Williams spent last week with Mrs. Mary Heavens of Jonesville, R. 4.

Harold Bledsoe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bledsoe will leave Wednesday, October 4 for the U. S. Navy.

Pvt. Creed Speak, of the U. S. Army, is spending a 30-day furlough with his brother, Bud Speak and other relatives. Pvt. Speak has just returned from overseas duty.

Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Bledsoe and son, Garland Ray, spent Saturday night with Mrs. Bledsoe's sister, Mrs. Glenn Terry and children.

Mr. Jess Rogers is slowly improving after a long illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Clawson, Mr. and Mrs. Daner Clawson and Mrs. Sherman Reece attended the funeral of their brother and uncle, Mr. Bob Clawson, of Dryden last Monday.

Mr. Bill Williams and Cephus Roop left Friday night for Portsmouth, Va., where they were called on account of the serious illness of their son and son-in law, Mr. Henry Williams.

Mr. Bill Terry, who has been employed at Dayton, Ohio, is visiting his brothers, George and Jim Terry and other relatives.

Miss Vina Eagle spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Napier.

Fred Garrett, son of Mr. Harrison Garrett, left Tuesday for the U. S. Navy.

Mr and Mrs. Eulas Giles, of Coeburn, spent Wednesday night with his mother, Mrs. W. M. Bledsoe.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 21st day of September, 1945.

E. J. Olinger . . . Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Mattie Olinger . . . Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce on grounds of desertion

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Mattie Olinger is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address is unknown, it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in the suit

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia

Teste:
VESTA E SEWELL, Clerk
By CHARLES N HAWS, D C
p q. Wallace A Wells
Adv No 39-4t

MAN HAD BRICK IN HIS STOMACH FOR 10 YEARS

One man recently stated that for 10 years he felt like he had a brick in his stomach. This feeling was due to a lump of undigested food he always had inside of him. He was weak, worn out, headachy, swollen with gas and terribly constipated. Recently he started taking ERB-HELP and says the feeling like a brick in his stomach disappeared the second day Bowels are regular now, gas and headaches are gone and he feels like a new man.

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Several from here attended the all-day meeting at Mt. Hope, Sunday.

Lucille Sexton, Mary Lee Garrett, Sally Bea Johnson and Mrs. Ballard Bledsoe were shopping in Pennington Gap, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Johnson of Ben Hur, spent a few days last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Johnson.

News From STICKLEYVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Pleasant and daughter, Irene, of Blackwater, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Rhoten of Duffield, Sunday.

Mrs. Nancy Pleasant and Miss Pauline Rhoten and Mrs. Edith Collins were visiting Mrs. Myrtle Harris, of Piney Spur, recently.

Miss Pauline, Ralph and Frank Rhoten were dinner guests of Mrs. H. L. Anderson Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Sage celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary Sunday, September 31.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rhoten were visiting their daughter, Mrs. Ruby Head, and son, Billy, recently.

Mrs Ida Legg, of Blackwater was the guest of Mrs. Monroe Parsons, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Echol Legg were guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Sage, Sunday.

Mrs. Foster Keck was visiting her mother-in-law at New Tazewell, over the week end.

Curtis Miles of the U. S. Army is on furlough visiting relatives here.

Bill Perkins is a patient in Lee General Hospital

Ellis Pleasant and family have moved to Cincinnati, Ohio.

Lee County Men Who Have Been Discharged From Armed Forces

We wish to advise all employers of the following Lee County men who have been separated from the services of the Armed Forces of the United States. Re-employment Committeeman Cam J. Lewis, of the Local Selective Service Board No 2, Pennington Gap, Va., or Miss Marie McNiel, chief clerk Selective Service Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va., will gladly assist employers in contacting men.

Mr. Lewis may be reached at Local Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, Va., and Miss McNiel at Local Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va.

A list of Lee County men discharged from the Armed Forces will appear in this newspaper each week as they are furnished to us by the two Local Selective Service Boards in the County.

Paul Bernard Robbins, Pennington Gap; Harold Vernon Clark, R. 1, Pennington Gap, Leonard Edwards, R. 2, Pennington Gap; John Elmer Rutherford, St. Charles; Frank Bill Duff, Pennington Gap; Bishop Daugherty, Bonny Blue; Homer Turner, R. 1, St. Charles, Benjamin Garvey Brown, St. Charles; Harold E. Maxfield, R. 1, Keokee; George V. Shuler, St Charles; Roy E. Green, St. Charles; Renard E. Brown, St. Charles; Richard Hill Hayes, Leonia Mines; Elijah Lee Smith, St. Charles; Vivian Pearl Slemp, R. 1, Dryden; Herschel Clarence Kelly, Pennington Gap; Oscar Lee Farley, Pennington Gap, Roy Ottis Davis, St Charles; Loyd Davis Medley, R. 2, Pennington Gap; Ralph J. Williams, St Charles; Dearl Cynal Maness, Bonny Blue; Ralph Lee Jessee, Dryden; Herschel Blair, R. 1, Pennington Gap

Jesse L. Philips, St Charles, Clarence E Shuler, R 1, Pennington Gap, Percy Kennedy, St Charles, Dewey Ewing, Pennington Gap, Henry Gerald Garrett, R 1, Pennington Gap, Clyde Jessee Hester, St Charles, Henry Turner, R. 1, Pennington Gap, Hargis F Cox, Dryden; Warren Gamaliel Musick, Pennington Gap, William J Kerns, Dryden, William A Zion, R 2, Pennington Gap; Charles L King, Pennington Gap; Roy King, Pennington Gap; Daner Rhea Lambert, R 1, Duffield; Samuel Jessie Jones, St Charles; Frank Milford Hawks, Pennington Gap, Olin Farmer, R 1, Pennington Gap, Kermit Edward McFarland, Dryden, Harold William Poe, St. Charles; Jessie Amon Miller, Bonny Blue; William G. Hamm, Woodway; Earl Eberett Goins, Pennington Gap; Leonard Hays, Jr., Pennington Gap; Henry Coolidge Woodard, R. 1, Keokee.

Surprise Birthday Party

Mr W. D. Harr surprised his wife Friday night, September 28, with a dinner party at Green's Cafe. The guests were Mr and Mrs. C. E. Legg, Mrs. Ben Robinson, Miss Claudia Sheeley and Mrs James P. Legg. She received many nice gifts and also a very beautiful cake. The party was concluded with games planned by Mrs. James P. Legg.

News From OLINGER

There was an all day program of preaching and singing at the Baptist Church here Sunday. A great day of fellowship was enjoyed. Many visitors were present from nearby towns.

Five preachers were present and each delivered a good message from God's word. The singing by a quartet, composed of men from nearby towns in Virginia, and a junior trio from Kentucky, was enjoyed by all.

The residents of Olinger extend thanks to everyone who had a part in making this all-day service a success, and welcome each and everyone back to our church soon. The chicken dinner served on the grounds was enjoyed by all.

Pfc. and Mrs. Roy Tate are the proud parents of a 8 1-2 pound son, who has been named Roy Tate, Jr.

Pfc. Bailey is now serving with the army somewhere in the Pacific area, Mrs. Bailey is at present residing with her mother in Olinger.

News From BLACKWATER

Two of our outstanding boys have entered school at L. M. U., Onza Robinette and J. L. Osborne.

Ewing H. Walton and Oddie Lawson were married in Middlesboro, Ky., September 29. They have returned to Kingsport, Tenn.

Miss Sally Frank Hickam, who is employed at Oak Ridge, is reported ill at this time.

J. C. Hampton is absent from school on account of illness.

C. S. Arnold and family have recently been visiting relatives here.

Ralph Robinette has recently been discharged from the U. S. Army.

S. Sgt. Loyal Flanary, of the U. S. Army, and Mrs. Flanary are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Flanary.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hickam were calling on Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Osborne Sunday afternoon.

Misses Phyllis Quinley and Imogene Burgan were in Harlan shopping, Saturday.

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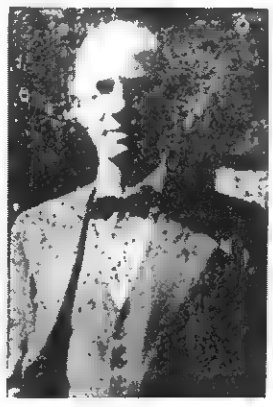

I am a candidate for House of Delegates, Election to be held November 6, 1945, and if successful, I will use my influence and will vote for the following measures in the House of Delegates:

1. Pensions for all teachers who have taught in the public schools for 25 years, and for pensions for all teachers who have become disabled while teaching regardless of number of years taught.
2. Better pay for teachers, with a minimum wage of $1200.00 per year, payable in 12 monthly payments.
3. If elected I will introduce a bill in the House of Delegates to have the Bible taught in all free schools; also for free school books.
4. Better roads, especially in Rural Communities.
5. Better enforcement of traffic laws, by employment of more State Highway Patrolmen.
6. Repeal of the Absent Voters Law, and payment of poll taxes as a prerequisite to voting.
7. Repeal of the State law for registration of voters as it now stands and the appointment of a Bi-partisan Registration Board for each precinct, consisting of one member from each of the two major political parties.
8. Election by the people of Judges of the Circuit Courts, Trial Justices and Superintendents of Public Instruction, including Division Superintendents.
9. Pensions for all disabled miners, their widows and orphans, the funds for this pension to be provided one-half by the employer and the other one-half by the employee. Widows to receive at least $50.00 per month for life; also old age pension for miners after attaining the age of 55 years.
10. I favor any legislation which will be for the betterment of the soldiers who are returning from the Army. They have given their time, health, and some of them their lives that we might live in freedom.

If I am successful in the election I pledge my sacred honor that I will do my utmost to have the above pledges enacted into law.

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President Opens 1945 War Fund Campaign

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peal for local agencies guarding the health and welfare of our own American homes and families.

We must support these war fund agencies because of their support of our armed forces. Of course we gave our armed forces in the field the best equipment and supplies that we could provide. We gave our men the best training and leadership we could secure. We gave everything we could. But there was one thing that we had to depend on the member agencies of the national war fund to supply. That was the plain, human friendship, the good-neighborliness, the little bit of home, that they provided our service men and women through every USO club and unit.

I am speaking to you tonight because it is important, because it is imperative that these war fund agencies finish the job they were set up to do. War service has not ended. I don't need to tell that to anyone whose son is still serving with the occupation forces or with the service troops in this country. For them, the war is still going on. That's why USO and USO-camp shows must go on with the fine work they've been doing, until all our service men and women are back home with us again.

Our returning veterans are looking forward to happy homes in which their children can grow up the way they should. They are looking forward to living in a community which is concerned with the welfare of its citizens. They may not think of this in terms of a child welfare program, a family service society, a scout troop, a recreation program, a visiting nurse or a clinic. But these services, which in most of our cities are performed by agencies of the local community chest, help to determine the quality of living in their community. These are services from which everyone in the community benefits.

The appeal of the national war fund and your local community war fund is a human appeal for three causes - for continued friendly services for the men and women who still have a job to do in the armed forces; for health and welfare services for our own people at home; and for relief and assistance for the war stricken people of liberated countries, our allies who fought by our side.

We have won the victory of arms; now let us push on to greater conquests—to the total victory of human justice and decency and faith in mankind.

Let us be generous, and let us give abundant thanks to God in victory.

Dunbar Plays Title Game At St. Charles, Sunday

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ers whiffing two. Both teams played very loose ball afield.

Big Hack Pope, St. Charles catcher led the Miners hitting with two doubles and two singles for five trips. Holman had 3 for 5. Stallard 2 for 3, Pannell and Walker two each.

Paul Roop and Moorley led Jonesville with 2 for 4 each.

At Dunbar, the Riddlers eliminated the hard fighting Cumberland, Kentuckians 4 to 0 behind the steady pitching of "Kid" Porter, speed ball artist of the Riddlers, who allowed but one hit, a single over short, along with whiffing eight. Galoway allowed Dunbar only seven hits which accounted for 4 runs.

Stallard led Dunbar's hitting with 3 for 4. McConnell clouted a double. Barker got the only single for the visitors.

First Baptist Church

Sunday October 7, begins a new year in the Sunday School at the First Baptist Church. Mr. A. T. Burchette and all his officers and teachers invite you to be present at 9:30 A. M.

The pastor has arranged an installation service for the morning worship hour at 10:45 A. M. This will be followed by the Ordinance of the Lord's Supper.

Baptist Training Unions at 6:30 P. M. Mr. Wayne Livesay, Director, invites you to attend one of our eight unions.

The subject for the pastor's sermon at 7:30 P. M., will be: "TWO MEN PRAYED."

The First Baptist Churches urge you to "Keep your Sundays for the Great Things of the Soul."

Perry R. Stubbs, Pastor.

Methodist Church

Church School at 9:30. General Superintendent, Clyde L. Kirk. Morning Worship at 10:40. The pastor will use as his sermon theme: "POWER." A World Wide Communion Service will be observed. All the Protestant Churches through the world will share in the "World Wide Communion Observance." An anthem "The Bread of the World" will be rendered during the morning service.

Sunday Evening: The Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet at 6:15, Leader, Miss Mildred Kelly. Evening Worship will begin at 7:00 E. S. T. Theme: "LIFTING UP CHRIST."

Those who will be attending the Holston Methodist Conference in Chattanooga, October 10-14, are the pastor, Charlie D. Mehaffey, Mrs. Mehaffey, A. S. Pennington, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Richards, Mrs. J. B. Tipton and possibly others. A. S. Pennington and W. J. Richards will go as duly elected Lay Delegates.

First Christian Church

Sunday, October 7, Bible School at 10:00 a. m., same time as has been used during the war: Worship with communion at 10:45, World Wide Communion Day, and every Christian attending here or some other Church, should be the result. Sermon subject: "IMPORTANCE of COMMUNION."

Christian Endeavors meet at 6:15; Evening Worship with sermon by the Pastor at 7:00 p. m.

Choir rehearsal Wednesday at 6:30 p. m. Prayer and Praise service at 7:00.

W. B. Moore, Minister.

Admant Baptist Church

Sunday morning, October 7: Sunday School at 10:00 a. m., J. R. Harber, Superintendent.

Morning Worship at 11:00, a. m., Sermon topic: "WHAT HAVE I DONE?"

Sunday evening: B. T. U. at 6:00 p. m.; Evening Worship at 7:00 p. m. Sermon topic: "ARE YOU READY?"

Mid-week Prayer service Wednesday at 7:00 p. m.

W. H. Parrott, Pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Tueting are the proud parents of a baby girl, born Tuesday night, October 2, whom they have named Mary Jane.

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Drive To Raise $8,200 Is Now In Full Swing

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Wade, Chairman, quota, $100; Woodway and Dot section, S. J. Shelburne and Miss Marjorie Shelburne, Chairmen, quota, $165; Stickleyville section, Mrs. Bess Young, Chairman, quota, $140; Wallens Creek section, Mrs. Guy Miner, Chairman, quota, $30; Blackwater, Mrs. Ralph Robinette, Chairman, quota, $150; Pennington Gap, Robert Guy Pugh, Chairman, quota, $1,150; Jonesville, Mrs. George P. Cridlin, and Claude Williams, Chairmen, quota, $750; Ben Hur, Mrs. Claude Pennington, Chairman, quota, $100; Ocoonita, Marvin Clark, Chairman, quota, $60; White Shoals District, Mrs. Elizabeth Lanningham, Mrs. E. S. Suttle, Mrs. T. M. King, Chairmen, quota, $400; Rose Hill, J. W. Marcum, Chairman, quota, $300; Ewing, Dan V. Richmond, Chairman, quota, $300; Wheeler and Gibson Station, Miss Ruth Fulton, Chairmen, quota, $100.

The county committee is composed of the following: Miss Saluda Sewell, Chairman; Robert B. Ely, Co-chairman; Mrs. Ruth Wynn, Treasurer; Sam C. Blackwell, Publicity Chairman; Perle Stewart, Theatre Publicity Chairman; and C. F.Connelly, Special Gift Chairman.

The campaign slogan this year is: "BE GENEROUS IN VICTORY."

The Lee County campaign has been endorsed by John Saxton, President, District 28, UMW of America, who has addressed the following letter to each local union in the county:

18 September, 1945

TO EACH LOCAL UNION AND ITS MEMBERS DISTRICT NO. 28 OF VIRGINIA UNITED MINE WORKERS OF AMERICA

Dear Sir and Brother:

A National War Fund Drive will begin October 1st, 1945, for the benefit of Soldiers, Sailors, Marines and all other members of the Armed Forces. This National War Fund is for the benefit of all who are in distress and the money is divided among the different organizations, which are non-profitable organizations and whose purpose it is to take care of all those who are in distress and who are unable to care for themselves. It is a very worthy cause and the help these particular organizations have given in the past is too great to enumerate

Although the war is over, there is still dire need for liberal contributions for assistance to our boys who are still in the Armed Forces.

I have been asked by the officers and particularly by the County Chairman who will conduct the campaign and drive opening October 1st, to appeal to our members to donate, and also to give all the assistance and help possible in making this National War Fund Drive a success.

I feel assured that our members will contribute loyally and as liberally in this drive as you have done in the past.

Let us do as much to win the peace as we did to win the war for peace!

Yours sincerely,
John Saxton, President
District 28, U. M. W. of A.

TOWN TALK

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ing house, and "Granny" Harber, as she is familiarly known, was widely famed for her wonderful cooking. All the L. & N. railway employees would make it a point to be in Pennington Gap at noontime to enjoy her famous lunches.

Has aged relative

S. Sgt. Luther Jones was in Pennington Gap this week enroute to Kentucky, where he will complete a 45-day furlough with his parents. Until recently the family lived on Stone Creek. "Luke" stated that he was anxious to see his folk, including his grandmother, who is 103 years old and still "going strong."

St. Charles Church "Spruces up"

There have been no services at St. Charles Christian Church, due to the fact that the church has been undergoing interior repairs and decorations, as well as a new painting in white on the outside. Rev. Ww. G. Reece, the pastor, states that services will be resumed Sunday, October 7.

Somewhat went to the head

Mrs. Elizabeth Harber tells us this one She went into the garden and whacked off a big crispy-looking cabbage head to cook for dinner. In trimming off the outer leaves, she found another small but perfectly formed head just inside the big one Beside this was another and another and another, and so on until more than thirty small heads had been extracted from the large one. Each small head was perfectly formed, with the outer leaves folded over and the inside hard and firm, just like sure enough cabbage is supposed to be

Stork delays ball game

Manager Tut Stapleton, of St Charles Miners, was doing a lot of howling last week because one of his ace pitchers, the veteran Red Walker, of his pennant winning Miners, was late for practice. Red showed up the next day and was asked why he missed out on practice. "I had a pretty good reason," replied Red. "The stork has delivered me a big nine pound son."

More difficulty arose on Sunday for manager Tut. Chester Smith, ace umpire-in-chief of the league, failed to show up at game time. The game was temporarily delayed and still no trace of Chet. The next few days brought the explanation, "I had a pretty good reason," reported Chet, "the stork delivered me a big ten pound son."

This stork business is causing manager King Tut's face to start reddening when players are late without advance notice.

Jonesville PERSONALS

George Sewell left Sunday to enter VPI at Blacksburg, Va. He is the son of Mrs D. C. Sewell, Jr., and the late Mr. Sewell, of Jonesville.

Charlie Haws, Deputy Clerk, will leave Friday, for Portsmouth, Ohio, where he will visit with his sister.

Mrs. Byrd McGavok, of the State Health Department, is in Jonesville this week on official business.

Miss Roberta Cridlin of Washington, D. C., is visiting with her family, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. P. Cridlin, and friends.

Ina Steel, of the Virginia Commonwealth for the Blind, is in Jonesville this week, also on official business

Mrs. Claude B. McClure was hostess to a bridge party Tuesday night at her home, where she entertained many of her friends.

Miss Saluda Sewell will attend the District Welfare meeting in Abingdon, October 11th to 13th.

Earn Litton, formerly Deputy Commissioner, and son of Mr. and Mrs. P. Litton, has been honorably discharged from the Armed Forces after serving 3 years in the European Theatre of Operations.

Misses Lucy Walker, Irene Minor and Mrs. Bee Sewell were in Middlesboro, Monday night attending a movie, "Our Vines Have Tender Grapes."

Ensign James D. Sword is spending a leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ora Sword, of Wallens Creek.

S. Sgt. J. B. Ledford has received an honorable discharge from the U. S. Army, after serving three years overseas. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hays Ledford.

Mr. and Mrs. John Seabert and Mrs. Elizabeth Long, Kankakee, Ill., have returned home after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Harris and other relatives in Lee County.

Pfc. George Seabolt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arch Seabolt, is another of our boys who is spending a furlough at home now. Pvt. Seabolt has been in service for nearly five years.

Joseph N. Cridlin has recently been promoted from the rank of Master Sergeant to 2nd Lieutenant. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George P. Cridlin.

Cpl. Ralph Russell, Route 1, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Russell, has returned to Fort Meade, Md., after spending a long session overseas.

1st Lt. Hugh C. Chance is spending a leave with his wife, the former Dorothy Clause, of Jonesville. Lt. Chance served one year in the European Theathe of Operations.

Miss Byrd McGavoch is visiting at the home of Mrs. Browning Wynn.

Miss Delia Cooper of Washington, D. C., was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. George P. Cridlin, Sunday.

Big Oil Well Tapped In Lee County

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500 gallons output per day. This one promises to topple them many times with possibilities of a big gusher. Crowds gathered today as news spread afar, they're already making big plans for Ewing, should the next few feet of drilling produce what is optomistically anticipated.

Over 30,000 acres of land has already been leased for drilling in a five to six mile basin. The present big well is on land owned by Robert Lemons, a small tract. Drillers said today that over a quarter million dollars had already been spent in drilling here since 1941. There are several more wells under contract.

Jewell Orr

Jewell Orr, age 24, died Saturday, September 29, at her home at Route 2, Pennington Gap, after an illness of several years.

Miss Orr was a member of the First Christian Church, Pennington Gap.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at her home, conducted by Rev. W. B. Moore, assisted by Rev. Charlie D. Mehaffey; burial followed in the Orr Cemetery, near Smith's Chapel.

Surviving are her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Orr, Route 2, Pennington Gap, and the following brothers and sisters: Claude Orr, in the U. S. Army, Elpaso, Texas; Jimmie and Jack Orr, at home; Katherine Orr, Elpaso, Texas; Mrs. Nell Ely, Route 2, Pennington Gap; and Inez and Ann Orr, at home.

Jonesville Baptist Church

Sunday, October 7: Sunday School at 10:00 a. m.

Evening Service at 7:30 p. m. The ordinance of Baptism will be observed at this Service.

Prayer Meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30.

The Meeting conducted by Rev. J. A. Leland closed Sunday, September 30. The success and interest of this meeting was evidenced by the large crowds attending. For several nights the crowds couldn't be seated in the Church. Forty-two decisions were made during the meeting, many of whom joined the Church for Baptism, and by letter.

As a result of this successful meeting, Rev. Leland has been invited to hold four meetings in Lee County.

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DRIVING a motor car along a fog-shrouded highway is a nerve-racking experience. Only under such conditions do you realize how much clear vision means to your safety, enjoyment and relaxation while motoring.

Eyestrain is a source of nervous exhaustion. You may have to drive in a fog or blinding rain occasionally but there is no need for risking your precious eyesight—for draining your energy—*in your own home.*

Poor light is a serious handicap, especially to a child pursuing his studies. He, too, is traveling through a fog—his eyes straining to absorb the meaning of the printed word which he sees indistinctly before him.

What can you do about it? Try this and you will be delighted with the results—

First, replace any smaller bulbs in reading lamps with 100-watt bulbs or larger. Remember one 100-watt bulb giver 50 per cent more light than four 25-watt bulbs—yet it costs no more for electricity. See to it that your table and floor lamps have shades of light-colored material instead of dark material. And don't depend on one lamp to light a large room adequately.

An empty socket is an invitation to trouble. On a stair or in a dark closet or attic, it may lead to an accident. In your living room or elsewhere, it can create serious eyestrain.

The next time you pass your dealer's store, stop in and stock up—with enough light bulbs of proper size to provide you family with Better Light for Better Sight.

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EYESTRAIN PICKS ITS VICTIMS YOUNG

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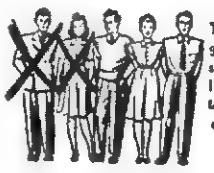
One of Every Five children in grade school suffers from impaired vision. Scientific authorities say poor lighting causes unnecessary eyestrain.



Two Out of Five college graduates have defective sight . . . a result which good lighting might have helped to prevent by reducing eyestrain and fatigue.

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Wednesday and Thursday, October 10—11
Frenchmen's Creek
—with—
JOAN FONTAINE—ARTURO de CORDOVA
In Technicolor

Friday and Saturday, October 12—13
Sagebrush Heroes
—with—
CHARLES STARRETT—CONSTANCE WORTH
—also—
Hangover Square
—starring—
LAIRD CREGAR—LINDA DARNELL

THE MOON IS RED

Editors note:

This story is submitted by Buck Pass, of Bonny Blue, as narrated by his Captain, Jack LaPietra, revealing horrible incidents which they both witnessed in Buchenwald, Germany:

The moon hangs low over Buchenwald tonight; the sky is starry, the air warm. There is a ring around the moon—a very deep change colored ring which would easily pass for red; and to those of us who visited "Koncentration Lagar Buchenwald" this afternoon, it is definitely red; as red as the blood which flowed from the human veins of it's miserable internees. And God knows enough blood has gushed down it's large concrete trough to be blotted up by the dry earth within the electrically charged barbed wire fence of this diabolical camp.

Yes, today is a day that will remain indelibly in my memory. I've seen many, many unforgetable things since New York's sky line dropped behind the western horizon fifteen months ago— always finding something which superceded some other thing in the resiveness of chastliness. But what I saw this sunbright afternoon at Camp Buchenwald, will never be equaled, even if I travel to the very depths of hell itself.

Somewhat vaguely I recall the barraks acts, cruelties and atrocities related in the volume of ancient and modern history, how far removed they seemed! Deeds of centuries ago; deeds of uncivilization; small unpleasantries that inevitably accompany the transformation of a world. Could such a thing take place today? Impossible! Except, maybe, on some undiscovered, cannibal-infested island. Even then, death would be more or less a speedy procedure—a head hacked off suddenly or a quick plunge into boiling oil.

Until today, thus ran my trend of thought. Undoubtedly yours too, but we are wrong; just as wrong as salt is sweet! I'm sure you have all heard of Buchenwald by now. No doubt the radio commentators devoted a minute to it; newspapers carried a half column; and perhaps the magazine showed a few pictures. Yes, it's the same old story, and John Q. Public, war-weary and over-worked, took it in his usual stride. And so today Buchenwald and all it's horrible crimes has slipped away into the forgotten past.

I saw Buchenwald a week after it was liberated, 'way before England's members of Parliament and our congressmen did. It was still "in the raw" then, and in the little time I have I am going to take you on the same eerie tour of horror A La 1945.

Weimar, Germany, is a fair-sized city 130 miles southwest of Berlin. A good highway leads out of Weimar to the concentration camp, and our jeep made the four or five miles in a few minutes. A huge factory, completely bombed, flitted by, and the wire enclosure of Buchenwald loomed ahead. With me were three sergeants and a corporal, members of my outfit. Crowds of visitors, most of them American soldiers, streamed in and out of the main gate which was guarded by a solitary M. P. As we stepped inside and surveyed the square mile of camp area, wondering which way to turn first, one of the stripe uniformed internees approached us and asked in amazingly good English whether we wanted a guide. Of course we welcomed his offer, and the miserable tour commenced.

But first, a word about the guide. His name, Ratchold Bonknbelh, native of Loraine, apparent age, 50, true age, 38, ... number 42558, reason for internment espionage and pro-Ally sentiments; he is an excellent telegrapher, and refused to work for the Nazis. ... occupation, seaman, traveled widely, spent much time in the United States. date of internment, September, 1942.

He spoke freely, and was very willing to tell what he knew. All my questions were answered readily; when he mentioned things that were incredible, I cross-examined him to see whether he would contradict himself; but he always had a logical explanation or "on the spot" proof.

Never was he offended; he seemed to expect us to doubt him. No less than four times during the afternoon he pleaded almost tearfully "You must believe all this; it was much more than what you see now."

As we traveled from place to place the frightful story of K. L. Buchenwald unfolded. I will relate everything I saw and learned, using generalities in some cases and details in others.

Most of the inmates were political prisoners, Poles, Czechs, Russians, French, Roumanians, Jews, Hungarians, Italians, Belgians, and a very few Germans. It is impossible to estimate how many have been "handled" by the camp during it's four years of operation, but the total dead was over 83,000. Of these, 51,000 were killed "officially", using such methods of execution as hanging, beating, shooting and electrocution. The remaining 32,- died a "natural" death of starvation or poisoning. All bodies were disposed of by cremation. A quota of prisoners to be eliminated was established each day, the number depending upon the influx of new ones. Needless to say, the six oven crematories never had much time to cool. Many of the inmates were children, ranging from three years upward. At this writing there were more than 1,200 children in the camp.

The daily food ration was the same for all, one loaf of bread to six men, served at 4:00 a. m., and one litter of soup for each served at 6.00 p. m. Deviation from this menu occurred now and then, an indication to more seasoned internees that international representatives on their routine inspection of camps were expected that day.

The camp was manned by 35 officers and troops; they in turn were assisted by habitual criminals who did the menial work. The 38 personnel lived with their families in fine buildings adjacent to the camp grounds, enjoying all the modern conveniences and comforts of present day life.

The first torture weapon that met our eyes on this unpleasant tour was called the "Beating Block." Punishment for any misdemeanor, regardless of it's insignificance, took place here. The victim was laced to this ... in a prostrate position, face down, and beaten with a leather strap or wooden club, the latter being used on days when the killing quota was high. A few feet away stood another block with a pole attached. This they termed "hanging on the tree." After their beating or ... victims were suspended ... their hands and the ... pain increased as they ... from unconsciousness, ... to lapse back into it again.

The crematorium, a one-story brick building, featured six ovens, all of which contained charred remains of human bodies. In one of the ovens a complete skeleton rested, and in another there was a half-melted skull plus a few chalk-line ribs with bits of unburned flesh still clinging on. High above the ovens hung a plaque on which were painted the wards: "Allow not disgusting worms to eat my body, give me the clean white flame."

Each furnace operated at full capacity, eighteen bodies at one cremation, 450 a day. Victims of the various murder methods were taken to the crematorium in small carts, dumped down the cellar chute, loaded onto a lift, raised to the furnace room, and tacked away into the ovens. Some of them, even though unconscious, were undoubtedly alive. More fortunate ones recovered consciousness as they slid into the cellar. These were lifted up into one of the 36 nooses which hung conveniently along the white wall and allowed to die before the white flames did it's work.

On these days when the quota was high the crematorium had to serve as a murder house, also. Prisoners were marched to the cellar under some pretense. Singly, each descended the steps, opened the door, and as he entered a SS guard clubbed him. An attendant then lifted the limp body and slipped the head into one of the nooses on the wall. When the 36th body was suspended, the longest hanging one was lowered and piled onto the elevator. This continued until all the victims were done away with, and while all this murdering took place a large machine in one corner of the cellar ground out noises loud enough to drown muffled cries that accompanied the clubbings.

The camp itself was divided into sections, the "Big Camp" and the "Little Camp." All internees had to spend a three months' test period in the "Little Camp" where conditions were absolutely deplorable. Those who survived the ordeal and showed a willingness to abide by the camp policies, were "promoted" to the "Big Camp." Here conditions were slightly better.

The wooden barracks in which the internees lived were crudely constructed, about 75 feet long. In the "Big Camp" the prisoners had wooden beds of the upper and lower bunk type. About 400 men were assigned to a building. But in the "Little Camp" there were no beds, just shelves about three feet apart vertically, and six feet deep, with the end nearest the wall slightly inclined so as to act as a pillow. These shelves lined both sides of the barracks and "accomodated" 1500 men. We walked through one of these barracks and there were still about two dozen occupants in it. If ever anyone wanted to see living death, here it was, grey skin pulled tightly around scissor-edged bones, dull eyes peeping through two dark sockets, broomstick legs and arms too weak to support the sixty or seventy pounds of torso.

Here was grotesqueness in the superlative; some of these skeletons hobbled up and down the aisle, using the shelved bunks for support; others rested on their wooden mattresses, apparently dead or very close to it. Outside the door three of them lay dead, recently evacuated by some of the stronger inmates. Their half-naked bodies were partly clad with the striped clothing familiar to all the inmates. Later on, the cart, which made a systematic tour of the entire camp, would come along and take these bodies to the crematorium area, where they would be attached to the ever increasing pile (we saw this heap of bodies later and took pictures of it).

On the way out of the barrack one of the miserable creatures raised his thin arms to ... in a gesture for a cigarette. I gave him what was left of my open pack, plus a few chocolate bars. Two or three others saw this and came crawling toward us. A near riot started. In pity and utter disgust I left. The angry shouts and ravenous cries from within the building gradually subsided, but even now they are still ringing in my ears. I don't know who finally ended up with all the chocolate, but Reinhold, our guide, said that the victor wouldn't live much longer after he ate it, for the shock would be too much for the man's stomach.

The laboratory was next on our list. In appearance it resembled the other barracks, but the interior was rather cozy. Most of the rooms were now occupied by internees who had recently moved in because of the better living conditions it afforded. The laboratory was manned by maniachal SS Doctors, men who probably had great medical minds and definitely insane brain. They devoted their energy to medical research, ussing the cream of the prisoner crop as guinea pigs. All new internees were given a physical examination. The healthiest specimens were quartered in a special barrack known as block 36. Here, living conditions and food were excellent, and for three weeks the inhabitants ate three good meals a day and lived a life of leisure. Then, one by one they were called to the "laboratory" and sacrificed to "science."

All types of disease germ were injected into these healthy men and results were observed daily until death overtook them. The bodies were then dissected, and all affected parts were preserved in large jars, carefully labeled.

An entire room lined with shelves featured a display of every organ of the human body and various skeletons. The most ghastly sight we saw was a jar in which floated, almost lifelike, a half head, and by turning the rectangular glass container, the exterior profile, with it's agony stared face, and it's half open eye stared back, as if to say "Tell the world, see that it wont happen again," while the other side of the cloven head, exposing to the world the bone and matter of it's construction, bore silent witness to the meaning of those words. I don't know who this unfortunate creature was, but I do know that he is a martyr in the eyes of all who have seen him. Silently I said a short prayer for him, and for those who still expect him to come back. May they never learn of the plight which befell him. Our guide was hardened to all this. His only comment was, "In America you use mice and rabbits; here they use human beings."

The commandment, a beast well versed in methods of torture and murder, has for a wife a creature even more brutal than he himself. One of her favorite hobbies was collecting tattooes. Therefore, when the inclination moved her, she attended the physical examination of newly arrived prisoners, inspected them for exceptional tattooes, noted the prison numbers of those possessing the ones she desired, and turned in her list to the SS in charge. Thus chosen, these particular men received a murder priority, and in a few days the tattooes plus a good sized piece of skin, were going through a tanning process.

Later, these tattooes formed a pretty lamp shade in the commandent's pretty home. If the tattoo supply became too great, choice specimens were preserved in jars and put on display in the laboratory until such a time as they were needed.

We passed by some low buildings a bit removed from the barracks. They were the store room for grain and potatoes. Two large barns housed some pigs, part of many which could not be taken when the SS fled. Our guide told us how a small pig was missing one day, and since an internee was suspected, the entire group camp had to go without food for five days as punishment.

At the eastern end of the camp were two large stables, without horses. One was nicely constructed, high with a beautifully panfield interior, resembling somewhat gymnasium. Along one end a balcony extended outward, overlooking the straw-covered floor below. This was the "sports arena." Emaciated prisoners played with SS troops, the latter armed with clubs. Wives of the troops were the spectators, yelling their approval each time a club decended on a shriveled, helpless form.

The other stable was a low building of stone construction, containing numerous stalls and three or four rooms. The rooms were thick-walled and soundproof, another murder house! On one occasion more than 400 Russian soldiers, prisoners of war, were exterminated the same day they arrived. Here's how it was done. All were marched to an area outside one end of the building. They were told this was a physical examination. One by one they entered, stripped, and were conducted by an SS trooper (dressed in the white clothes of a doctor) to the sound proof room at the other end. Another SS (also in white) met the victim, escorted him inside, closed the door tightly, walked him over to a measuring device, and positioned him with his back to the blanket- covered wall.

Behind the blanket stood still another SS, with a pistol in position, and on a short signal a bullet went racing through the prisoner's skull, embedding itself in the padded wall at the other end of the room. As the body slumped forward, the "Doctor caught it and dragged it out of the room into the arms of the white figure, and he carried it outside of the room into the stable, dropping it on the large concrete pavement slanted toward the center so that the blood would drain and run toward a trough which emptied into the dry earth. As more bodies piled up, the blood ran faster and faster. When the pile could accomodate no more, the drained bodies were loaded on carts and taken to the crematorium. The carts made many trips on this particular day.

So ended our visit to Buchenwald. As we crossed the large parade ground, six or seven inmates were building a wooden pyramid-shaped monument. It was near completion. On it were three large letters, "K. L. B." Underneath the letters was the figure "51,000," commorating those murdered officially.

At the gate we thanked our guide, gave him some cigarettes and chocolates. He assured us that WE should be on the receiving line of the thanks, that we will never know how happy and grateful the internees were when the Americans came. I invited him to America and asked what he thought of our country. He answered, "Ah, you should ask that! In the states you have all the countries of the world. It is wonderful!"

Soldiers are still pouring in and out of the gate through which all prisoners entered, and there was the long smoke stack of the crematorium, through which 83,000 had left. I could'nt suppress the shudder which ran through me; and an unexplainable something tugged at my stomach; quickly I did an about face, we headed straight for our jeep.

Buchenwald, hell's only counterpart, shall live forever in my memory.

How the German people ever permitted it's existance, along with other camps, such as Lublin, Erla, Nordhausen, Dachem, is far beyond my comprehension. Most Germans claim they knew nothing of the atrocities, but they did, it couldn't be otherwise. The question uppermost in my mind is, "What is the world going to do about it?"

A slight mist is settling over Buchenwald now; the stars are shining through it; the air is a bit cooler, but the moon still hangs low and there is still a red ring around it!

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Social and Personal

Enjoy Weiner roast

Thursday night, September 27th, several of our service men decided an outdoor picnic would be fun while we were still having nice weather. Girls and boys from Pennington and St. Charles were invited and all of them were taken in cars to the Dryden ball park.

Songs were sung, games were played, and last but not least, there was plenty to eat. They fixed hot dogs, roasted marshmellows, drank Red Rock Colas and later in the evening had watermelon to eat. Those who attended the picnic were: Dorothy Burgan, Mary Smith, Dave Meadley, Charles Salley, Henry Pugh, Johnny Adams, Clyde Myers, Joy Osborne, Evelyn Kirk, Jack Scott, Volly Miller, J. N. Ely, Geraldine Warf, Phyllis Quinley, Mable Turner, Charles Peters, Bobby McCullough, Imogene Burgan, Julia Pankow, Homer Lamberth, Bobby Canard, Jimmy Joe Bright, Junior Cassidy, Helen Rogers, Bill Miller, Warren Musick, Arthur Zion, "Zip" Stewart, R. C. Shelton, Georgia Sheets, Etta Rasnic, Rovern Ely, John Rhea, Rebecca Fry, Sam Hall, Clyde Orr, Mr. and Mrs. Violes Flanary and many others whose names were not mentioned.

Don't fail to see—"Son of Lassie" (in technicolor) coming to Lee Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, October 15 and 16.

Robert Gibson Entertains

Robert Gibson entertained a group of friends at his home Friday night, September 28. The boys had quite a bit of fun trying to teach the girls how to play pool, while others played cards and danced. Those attending the party were: Misses Ruth Campbell, Etta Rasnic, Evelyn Kirk, Helen Middleton, Haleine Goins, Eloie Rogers, Virginia Tipton, Irene Russell, Dorotha Fry, Jane Kauffman; Messrs. J. N. Ely, Don Stallard, Earl Goins, Sgt. "Zip" Stewart, Bobby McCullough, Kenneth David, Bob Tipton, Lt. and Mrs. Wayne Livesay, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weatherly.

Fun was had by all, and after refreshments were served the party ended.

Stork shower given

Mesdames Cecil Shelburne and Durand Kelly were joint hostesses to a stork shower Tuesday night, given for Mrs. Marie Kelly, at the home of Mrs. Cecil Shelburne. The guests who attended were: Mesdames C. D. Mehaffey, Ida Richards, Jim Tipton, Fred Quinley, Bob Housley, Jr., O. E. Willis, Brad Shelburne, Ruth Keith, Trula Alsup, Jack Reasor, W.D. Harr, C. B. Hines; Misses Lucille Kelly, Edith Quinley, Ruth Sheets, Pearl Cornett and Helen Fry.

Games, planned by Mrs. Mehaffey, included a prize for the winner of each game. After the serving of refreshments, the many nice and useful gifts were opened.

Home makers entertained

Mrs. Alice Anderson entertained the Home Makers Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church last Thursday night at her home, assisted by Mrs. Anne Hurd

Those present were: Mesdames B. H Wainscott, Harry Billings, Carlos Myers, V. C. Hall, Mac Garrett, Jake Howard, P. R. Stubbs, J S. Payne, Victaria Stewart, Bernice Cooper and Miss Eliza Quinley.

Mrs. Erman Neal and Mrs. P H Tritt, Jr., of Richmond, Va., were called home on account of the serious illness of their sister, Mrs. Carman Power, who is in the Coeburn, Va, Hospital, recovering from a serious operation.

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Weiner roast

Sgt Phillip D. Engle, who is home on furlough, after spending several months in a prison camp, was given a weiner roast last Thursday night by Jean Lewis.

About sixty boys and girls attended and everyone reported a very nice time. Sgt. Engle is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Engle of Poor Valley.

Chief Petty Officer Vergil Payne was here last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Payne.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Orr and son, Orbin Orr, of Oak Ridge, were here a few days last week, due to the death of Mr. Orr's niece, Miss Jewel Orr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Orr. Jewel has been ill several months.

Sgt. Carl Hensley, who arrived in the States September 16, is spending a furlough with his wife. Sgt. Hensley has served three years overseas and is to report to Fort Meade, Md., where he will receive his discharge papers.

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Sunday dinners

For the past few Sundays the Nelms sisters have been preparing dinner for one another. On Sunday, September 23, Mrs. Ida Smith, and daughters, Anne and Mary, Mrs. Kate Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Walker and Phyllis Quinley were dinner guests of Mrs. Grace Burgan.

S. Sgt. Luke E. Jones, formerly of St. Charles, is spending his furlough with friends in Pennington Gap. S. Sgt. Jones was employed in a grocery store at St. Charles before entering the Army.

Miss Nancy Jo Umberger, of Wytheville, Va., formerly of Jonesville, Va., fell at school, breaking her ankle.

Pfc. Bill Miller, of LaFollette, Tenn, is spending a furlough with his brother, Volly Miller, who is employed with the Smith's Construction Co.

Elmo David has accepted a position with the People's Life Insurance Company, to represent them in this area, beginning work this week

He has formerly been employed with the Old Dominion Power Company.

Chaplain Neil McKinnon spent a three day leave here this week with his wife and daughter, Floravista, enroute from Seymour Johnson Field, N C., to Westover Field in Mass.

A large group of young people attended the football game between Appalachia and Wise, at Norton, Friday night

Rev and Mrs P G Stadley and son, of Bulls Gap, Tenn., were visitors of Mrs. Neil McKinnon in East Pennington, Friday afternoon

Jimmy Joe Bright has resigned his position at Lee Drug Company. So far, he has made no plans as to what he will do.

Joanne Ross, of Four Mile, Ky., is visiting with Mary Margaret and "Sister" Smalley Miss Ross formerly lived at the Pocket.

Misses Virginia Greene and Amy Jo Pennington spent Sunday in London, Ky., with Virginia's relatives at the annual family reunion

Mr and Mrs Carl E Heberle, of New York City, are visiting with Mrs Heaberle's mother, Mrs Ella Payne, and sister, Mary Helen

Evan Sprouse, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., spent a few days with Mrs B. Mutton, last week

Miss Mary Bolin, of Clinton, Tenn., is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Bolin, and family.

Rebecca Fry, who is employed at Oak Ridge, Tenn., was called home on account of the death of Mrs. Charl Helen Housley.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Crowell, of Newport, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Stewart and family.

W. N. Beverly, who is a student of Hiwassee College at Madisonville, Tenn., is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Beverly, Sr.

Drucilla King is home for a month's vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy King, and family. Drucilla is a Cadet Nurse at Fort Sanders Hospital, in Knoxville, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stout, who recently lived on Joshlyn Avenue, are now living in their new home in West Pennington.

Virgie Bingham, who is employed as hostess in a Naval Canteen, at Pensicola, Fla., is home on a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bingham, of North Pennington.

Sammy Graham, who recently joined the U. S. Navy, returned home upon receiving a medical discharge. He is the son of Mr and Mrs. S. H. Graham, of Woodway.

Mrs. Etta Green, of the PVN Staff, is on vacation this week--

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Payne, who have resided in Pennington Gap for many years have sold their home and gone to Florida for the winter on account of Mrs. Payne's ill health.

Mrs. Tony Olinger, who underwent an operation several weeks ago at Lee General Hospital, is at home now and recovering nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Fry, of Baltimore, Md., are visiting with Mr Fry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Fry and family Ted has just recently received an honorable discharge from the U. S Army.

Mr and Mrs. Jess Ledford and daughter, Rena Joe, of Oak Ridge, spent last week end with Mr. and Mrs Boyd Bailey of Bonny Blue.

Virginia and John Housley are spending a few days with friends and relatives in Pennington Gap.

S. 1-C. William Minton returned to Seattle, Washington, Sunday, where he is stationed with the U. S. Navy.

Dorris Rhea Greene, of London, Ky., is visiting with Mrs. James P. Legg and daughter, Virginia Greene.

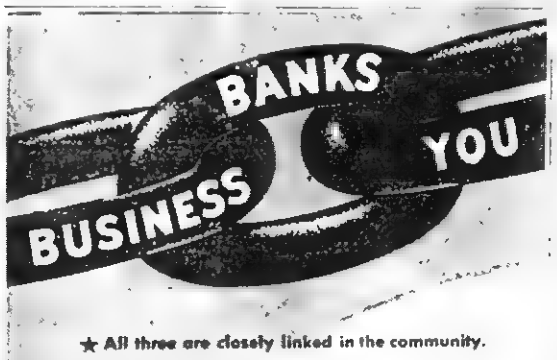
Mrs. Waymon Burden and Charlcie Province were in Middlesboro, shopping last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pugh of Cumberland, Ky., visited his mother, Mhs. Tom Pugh, last week.

Jones—Castle

Miss Sylvia Jones, of Kingsport, Tenn., and Pfc. W. D. Castle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Castle, Sr., of Stickleyville, were married September 15.

Pfc. Castle has returned to his post at Eglin Field, Fla. Mrs. Castle will continue to reside in Kingsport, where she is employed.



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TOWN TALK

About This, That, And The Other

"There is something in October
Sets the Gypsy blood astir."

Benedict

The mining camp of Benedict partly owes it's origin to John Carter, one of our town citizens.

Mr. Carter's father owned the site on which the camp is now located, and much of the surrounding area about 600 acres in all, Mr Carter says Although a small boy, Mr. Carter remembers much of the family life when they lived in the forested area of Benedict He said the home site was located not far from where the Comissary now stands, and there were no near neighbors.

Once a year, he said, a man by the name of Benedict Yeary came into the hills to hunt wild game, and built a little cabin farther down the ravine between the present tipple and the Comissary. The coal camp was given Yeary's first name.

Carter said his father raised great droves of hogs and turned them loose to feed upon the masts. He said the chestnuts were then so plentiful they lay in heaps on the ground, besides the acorns and other mast. He said to keep the animals from going "hog wild" he would call them up and feed them occasionally. On some of the biggest hogs he would put bells on them to help locate them when they had to be hunted.

Mr. Carter and his sister, Mrs. Hooker Zion, heired this mountain acreage, and later sold to the Coal Corporation.

"How does his garden grow?"

Fresh ripe strawberries in October is not a fairy story—it's a reality up at Fred Kirk's home at Maness. As proof, Mr. Kirk presented a liberal serving to the Editor of the POWELL VALLEY NEWS.

He stated that the berries were not the everbearing variety but the ordinary kind grown in the spring season. He said that in the patch in his garden the vines had taken their "second growth" and that now there were bloom, green and ripe berries, just as in the spring crop.

Mr Kirk is candidate for the House of Delegates.

Old friends in new places

It's nice anywhere and at any time to meet with friends along the way, but especially so when you get out beyond the "city limits" and everybody you meet are strangers. The other day at the Bus terminal at Kingsport I heard a familiar "hello" and came face to face with Ruth Woliver, one of our Pennington Gap girls.

That is, she was formerly Ruth Woliver but she had with her a brand new husband, and they were boarding a bus for Penning-

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St. Charles P. T. A. Holds Meeting Oct. 5

The St. Charles P. T. A. met Friday evening, October 5, in the High School auditorium. Mrs. Charles Newman, president, presided.

Plans were made and committees appointed to put a Halloween Carnival over in a big way. Miss Ruby Myers, Treasurer, made a good report, a balance of $393.44 being brought forward.

Refreshments were served to 88 members and teachers by Miss Rogers' Home Ec students.

R. L. Osborne, Injured In Fall, Is Improving

R. L. Osborne, local resident, was today reported much improved from injuries suffered in a fall several days ago.

Mr. Osborne, who is employed as mechanic for Old Dominion Power Company at the Pocket, was on a scaffold repairing a piece of machinery when the scaffold fell with him, his daughter stated.

He suffered a broken back, some broken ribs and a fractured shoulder.

Jenelle Anne Howard is home from Oak Ridge, Tenn.

Local Board No. 2 Lists October Induction Calls

Jonesville Organizes American Legion Post

A number of veterans of World War one and two met at Jonesville Court House on Wednesday, October 3, 1945, for the purpose of organizing a Post of the American Legion.

The business of the meeting consisted of electing officers, naming the Post, and making application for a charter. The organization of the Post was sponsored by E. L. Hamilton, of Wise Va., District Representative of the American Legion. Mr. Hamilton called the meeting to order and explained the purpose of the meeting and the aims of the Legion. Dr. Wm. N. Botts, Jr., of Jonesville, was appointed temporary chairman. The following permanent officers of the Post were elected:

Post Commander, Dr. Wm. N. Botts, Jr. Post Vice Commander, Benjamin S. Richmond; Post Adjutant, Hubert Niday; Post Sergeant at arms, Millard Cox; Post Finance Officer, Elbert Minor; Post Chaplain, Alexander C. Post Historian, Paul P. Price Wynn.

After the officers were elected, the following veterans signed as Charter members.

Dr Wm N Botts, Jr., Benjamin S. Richmond, Hubert Niday, Millard Cox, Elbert Minor, Paul B. Price, Alexander C. Wynn, E. C. Bledsoe, Elmer Cox, Walter P Orr, Warren Cole Wood, Everett R. Bonham, John Carroll, Wheeler Parsons, Jr., Whitford Couk, Ralph O. Robinette, James H. Ledford, Jake C. Lawson.

The name Lambert-Fleenor-Bays Post was chosen. The Post name selection was adopted in memory and in honor of three citizens of this area, who died in the early days of the two great Wars. The name was selected in honor of Lambert, killed in World War One, and Tom Hoover Fleenor and Donald E. Bays, who were killed in World War Two.

It was urged that all eligible veterans of World Wars One and Two residing in the Jonesville District enroll for membership in the Lambert-Fleenor-Bays Post at the earliest possible time.

Niggerhead Club Opens Friday Night, Oct. 12

The Niggerhead Club, located beneath the chin of the towering Niggerhead Rock in the gap of the Stone Mountain enrout from Pennington Gap to St. Charles, will open in full swing with 'lots of swing; Friday Night October 12, with a big Columbus Day dance

Music will be supplied by Lois Brock and her orchestra. Miss Brock is widely known over radio as the queen of piano, and accordian soloist.

The Nigger Head is opening permanently and will feature good foods, chicken and steak dinners, catering to the highest type of trade with a slogan of No Beer, No Drunks and No Riff-raff. A place where families and high school students may go and enjoy themselves.

Leo Hagy, Jr., and Allen Jones are the new proprietors. Miss Brock and her band will entertain both Friday and Saturday nights, of this week.

MRS. PATTERSON DIED IN ROANOKE

Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. Hattie M. Patterson, at the home of her son-in-law, Joseph H. Weber, in Roanoke, Sunday morning, October 7, at 2:30. Funeral and burial were held in Roanoke on Monday afternoon at 2:30.

Mrs. Patterson was the widow of the late J. S. Patterson, former business man and outstanding resident of Pennington Gap. After her husband's death she continued to make her home here for several years, living in the home now owned and occupied by the Hartley Family. A little more than two years ago she went to Roanoke to make her home with her son-in-law, who survives. Other survivors include nieces and nephews.

Nine Men Leave Oct. 9; Eleven on Oct. 22

Selective Service Board No 2, Pennington Gap, Lee County, Virginia, lists the following men who will answer October Induction Call, on the 9th and 22nd, respectively.

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Everette Taylor, Jr., St Charles, Edgar Paul Graham, Pennington Gap; Thomas Jackson Hester, Jr., St Charles, Radar Stewart, St Charles; Wallace C. Vanoy, St. Charles, Johnny Nickdam, St. Charles; James Cecil Robbins, Keokee; John Delbert Short, Keokee, Millard Crokett Hobbs Jr, keokee, Rt. No. 1.

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Frank Nicely Gibson, Pennington Gap; John Ray Hayes, St. Charles; James E. Allen, Benedict; James Douglas Spears, Benedict; Estle Lee Gibson, Duffield, R. 1; Wilven T. Bledsoe, St. Charles; William L. Thompson, Pennington Gap, R. 1; Kenneth Campbell Wallen, St. Charles, R. 1; James Woody Bledsoe, Pennington Gap, R. 1; Clarence Harber, St. Charles; Hansford William Howard, Benedict

Pennington - Jonesville Eligible For Federal Post Office Building

According to an Associated Press news article dated Washington, D. C., October 3d, Pennington Gap and Jonesville, both in Lee County are listed among the Southwest Virginia towns included in the 70 federal building projects eligible under a $193,000,000 building program for states and territories now before Congress.

The article states that the public building Administration has 4,020 projects eligible for consideration if Congres appropriates the building money. The building committee will select about one-fourth of the eligible projects if Congress enacts legislation authorizing construction—of projects "most essential to efficient operation of the federal establishment."

Commissioner W. Englebert Reynolds, of public buildings, has asked passage of the bill, and has a backlog of proposed projects "In case it is judged in the public interest to undertake a large scale federal building program to combat a recession."

Virginia's eligible projects would cost about $12,340,000

Other prospective towns in the Southwest area are: Chilhowie, Coeburn, Dublin, Gate City, Grundy, Hillsville, North Tazewell, Pearisburg, Pocahontas, Richlands and Saltville.

Lee Men Attend Highway Commishion Road Meet

Dr. Charles H. Henderson, chairman Lee County Board of Supervisors, Bonny Blue, Va., Hon. T. B. Fugate, President of Peoples Bank of Ewing, Va., Leonard Hays, Merchant, Pennington Gap, Va., and H. E. Gibson, Cashier, Benedict Coal Corporation, St. Charles, Va., attended a meeting of the State Highway Commission held at Roanoke on Tuesday, October 9.

This meeting was held for a hearing on the tenative allocation of funds for highway construction work in the Bristol, Salem and Staunton Districts, for the year beginning July 1, 1946, the tentative allocation having been announced several weeks ago.

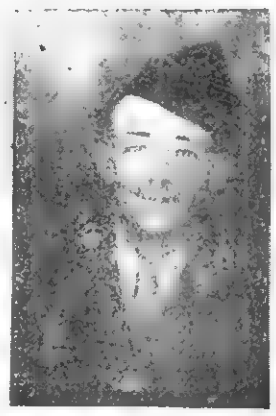
Incidentally, this was the first public meeting of the State Highway Commission since the beginning of the war.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for the beautiful flowers and their kind expressions of sympathy shown us during our recent breavement in the death of our wife, mother and sister, Charl Helen Housley.

J. D. Housley and Carole Jane
Mrs. E. E. Fry
Mrs. E. F. Russell
Mrs. A. N. Boggs
Mrs. T. R. Ford

In Service Three Years



PFC. KERMIT Q. SAGE

Pfc. Kermit Q. Sage, has been in Army service more than three years, one of which has been in the European area of operations.

In January of this year, he was wounded in Germany from which he has now recovered and is now stationed at Le Haure, France. Pfc. Sage is the holder of the purple heart, and three battle stars.

Before entering service he was employed by Borden Mills, Kingsport, Tenn. He expects to return to the states soon.

Jonesville Lady To Receive Husband's Award Posthumously

Mrs. Bernice S. Hensley, of Rt. 2, Jonesville, is to receive the Silver Star Medal, awarded posthumously to her husband, Pfc. Lercy Hensley, it was announced from Richmond today by Lt. Col. C. E. Royer, Richmond District Army Recruiting Officer.

Pfc. Hensley was killed in action while serving with the 32nd Infantry Division in the Pacific. The offcial War Department ciation reads, in part, as follows:

"For gallantry in action on 24 November, 1944.

"When an enemy force launched a determined attack, Pfc. Hensley moved to a position which afforded him excellent observation, but little protection.

"Holding his ground while under heavy fire, he drove off the enemy. He continued to hold his position, firing on the enemy until he was killed.

"Largely because of Pfc. Hensley's courage and disregard for personal safety, the enemy attack was repulsed."

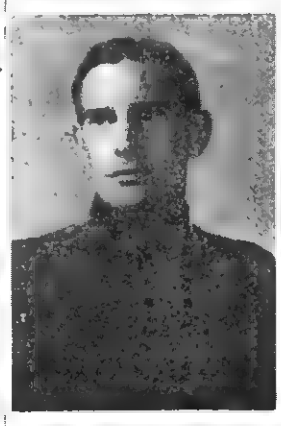
St. Charles Now Has New Chief of Police

Pennington Gap is not by itself in having a new Chief of Police—St. Charles has one too. He is Red Walker, veteran baseball pitcher, is on the St. Charles Miner's pitching staff, and was formerly in big time professional baseball.

He formerly worked at Bonny Blue mines, and recently returned to St. Charles from Oak Ridge, Tennessee.

Walker succeeds Chief Bill Fritz, who recently resigned.

A Future Agriculturist



CPL CHARLES COX

The promotion of Pfc. Charles Cox, USMC, son of Mr and Mrs. A. P. Cox, of Dryden, to the rank of Cpl. at the Base Hdq. Sqdrn. El Centro, Calif., was announced recently.

Cpl. Cox has been serving in a Bombardier and Air Gunners School, helping to train gunners who have served in all theatres of war on Japan and some in Japan proper. In the meantime he has been furthering his education in Agriculture by studying irrigation and vegetable farming in Imperial Valley, California, one of the best vegetable and citrus fruit growing areas in the U. S.

Cpl. Cox graduated from Tennessee Teck with B. S. Degree in Agriculture Dairying is his specialty and he says that in the post war future he hopes to establish himself in this line in Lee County. He entered the Marines two years ago.

Teachers Meeting At Jonesville October 13

A Lee County Teachers Meeting will be held Saturday, October 13 in the Jonesville High School auditorium, beginning at 10:30 a.m. EST.

The theme of the meeting will be "The use of movie projectors in the school to demonstrate the value of audio visual aids in teaching." Both morning and afternoon sessions will be held.

The principal speaker of the morning session will be Martin L. Hogan, Supervisor of the Bureau of Teaching Materials, State Board of Education, Richmond, Virginia. He will address the teacher group on the use of visual aids. Supt. S. J. Shelburne will preside at the morning session.

The afternoon will be given to Departmental meetings, consisting of Primary, Elementary and High School groups. Music will be rendered at both sessions and the meeting will adjourn at 3:00 o'clock p.m.

White Frost Arrives

A big white frost, accompanied by the chilling degree of 26 was the report early Tuesday morning of Cam J. Lewis, reporter for U. S. Weather Bureau. The bright sun, however, soon warmed us up, and after all this is just typical October weather.

St. Chas. Wins Opener In Final Playoff, Sun.

Play Two Sunday To End Series At Dunbar

The little World Series of the Lonesome Pine league got under way Sunday at Miner's field in St. Charles with the largest crowd of the entire season present to see the St. Charles Miners of Lee County wallop the Dunbar Riddler's of Wise County 17 to 5 in the first of a three game series which will decide a championsip of 1945 in the Virginia-Kentucky coalfield circuit.

The Riddlers rally invaded St. Charles with blood in their eyes as manager Sam Riddle had promised earlier in the week. They stepped out in front in the fourth inning 5 to 2, overcoming the Miner's two run rally in the third with distinct ease. This score remained unchanged until the last of the fifth when Dame Pannell lifted one of Sage's curve balls far over right field fence for a home run. This however did not put the Miner's back into the ball game, they continued a trailing ball club until the last of the seventh inning when the fire works began to pop.

Foster opened with a single, Pannell followed with a single, Conn Holman singled scoring Foster, Hensley walked filling the bases and Sage was replaced on the mound by Porter. Catcher Stillard dropped a pitch to Hack Pope at the plate, in a mad scramble to get the ball from under someone's feet, both Pannell and Holman came in scoring in a wild chance that should have caught both of them. Pope fanned, Wooliver doubled, Walker singled scoring Hensley, Shelbourne doubled scoring Wooliver. This six run rally put the Miners fully back into the game.

This wasn't all, the battling Miners came back in the eighth and sent eight more runs across

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Arlington Smith Is Reported Improved

County War Fund Drive Now In Full Swing

The final War Fund drive is now well under way in Lee county, Miss Salnda Sewell, county chairman, announced today.

"Never have the U.S.O. and the allied agencies combined in the single War Fund campaign been more important to the boys in service than now and for the next several months while they are waiting in camps to come home or in replacement centers to relieve those who will come home", Miss Sewell said. "Entertainment is more important than brought this gigantic world con- the boys during these days and weeks of idle hours," she pointed out.

"The county quota is $9,200.00 the same as it has been in other War Fund assignments, and if we do the job that is expected and that we owe to the boys who have County goal will go over the top" flict to a successful end, the Lee county goal will go over the top," the chairman said.

Lee County Feeder Calves Sell For Record Top Price of $21.10

A record top of $21.10 per cwt., and a record average of $71.25 per head was paid for 428 of Lee County's best feeder calves at the annual sale held at Ewing on Friday, October 5. The top price $21.10 was paid for a pen of 525 lb. choice steer calves by Lee County 4-H Club Members.

Most of the good and choice heavy steer calves were purchased by 4-H Clubbers. Johnston County, N. C., 4-H Clubs purchased a load of 51 good and choice steers at prices ranging from $16.30 to $18.40. Claiborne and Grainger Counties, Tennessee, 4-H Club agents also purchased a number of calves.

The University of Tennessee was the largest single buyer, taking 64 good and choice heifers at prices ranging from $17.35 to $15.20. These heifers will be used to establish a commercial herd at the Greenville Branch Experiment Station.

Charles Campbell, of Ewing, bought 22 head of good and choice steer calves at $18.10 and $17.90 per cwt. M. C. Davis, of Harlan, Ky., selected 37 calves for his Somerset, Ky., farm, at $17.90, $17.75 and $17.50. Sam Marcum, of Leesburg, Va., an old customer of the Lee County sales, took a load of 56 good and medium grade heifers at $15.30. M. A. Ramsey, another old customer from Richmond, Kentucky bought 26 heifers at $14.50. James M. Johnson, of Clinchport, Va., also a "repeat" buyer, found a pen of 11 steers that suited him at $15.20. B. J. Wolfenbarger, also of Rye Cove section of Scott County, purchased 14 steers at $16.20 and $17. B. C. Fugate, of Ewing, took a pen of 14 steers at $161.25, and Frank Riley a total of 18 steers at $17.20 and $17.25.

Packer buyers were present from East Tennessee Packing Co., and Dixie Hdw. Storez, each of which purchased a number of fleshy heifers.

Other buyers included C. P. Edwards, Kingsport, Tenn., M. B. Hobbs, Rose Hill; George Taylor, Ewing; Clyde Hoskins, Ewing; J. A. Ray, Ewing; W. H. Downs, Kingsport; Pascal Friar, Rose Hill; Lon Jennings, Conrad Myers, J. A. Beeson, Dr. McDaniel, Pennington Gap; Robert Crockett, Tazewell, Tenn., Ryland Ramsey, Greenville, Tenn., O. E. Berry, Duffield; C. H. Brooks and Ross Stickley.

J. E. Laningham Remains In Richmond Hospital

J. E. ("Jim") Laningham remains ill in Tuckers Hospital, at Richmond, Va., The latest report of his condition is that he is slowly improving. Mrs. Laningam has been with him for several weeks, and last week his brother, E. C. Laningham paid a visit.

Victim of Gun Shot Wounds Now Given Chance To Recover

Te latest reports from Arlington Smith, confined to Erlanger Hospital at Chattanooga from gunshot wounds at the hands of hold ups, are to the effect that he is much improved and strong hope held for his recovery.

Mr. Smith is a former resident of Pennington Gap, Route, 2, and is now living at Chattanooga where he is employed as Postal Clerk. He was shot and seriously wounded on the morning of October 2, while on his way to work. Details of the affair, according to information furnished by relatives and to newspaper reports are, in part as follows:

Mr. Smith had stopped at the traffic signal at a street intersection when four youths approached and asked for a ride. He told them he didn't like the idea of giving strangers a ride. Then one of the boys opened the door, jumped into the seat next to Smith, jammed a pistol against Smith's body and fired.

Although critically wounded, Smith wrested the pistol from the youth and fired as the boys ran in different directions, then he collapsed. Two bullets had entered his body, one shattering the right hip bone and severing an artterty, the other piercing the lower abdominal cavity.

After an all-night's work on the part of the police and detectives, the youths were finally apprehended next morning, arrested and bound over in a $20,000.00 bond each.

Reports state that Leon Crawford, 21 year old ex-convict, confessed to the actual shooting, and that one of his accomplices was Wm. A. Grey, 17. The names of the other two were not disclosed.

They told the police, the newspaper states, that they intended taking Smith's car to Knoxville and "ditching it", and that they had four cars "spotted" there which they were going to steal and bring back to Chattanooga to sell. Crawford stated, the report said that he had not intended any shooting until Smith refused them their ride.

Smith is a brother of Mrs. A. R. Brown, Pennington Gap, R. 2, Mrs. G. J. Tritt and J. T. Smith, of Dryden, Rt. 1.

Local Board No. 2 Lists Oct. Pre-induction Call

Selective Service Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, Lee County, Va. lists the following registrants who will fill October Pre-induction call:

Terry C. Adams, St. Charles; George Milton Napier, Jr., Rt. 1, Keokee; James Charles Kinser, St. Charles; Hollie Taylor Phillips, Leona Mines; J. C. Knight, Keokee, Va; Charlie Shuffler, Keokee; Charles Douglas Daniels, Leona Mines; Geoorge Harry Holmes, Rt. 1, Keokee; Charles Edward Greer, Leona Mines; Edward Hayes, Leona Mines; Joseph Daniel Richards, Pennington Gap; Kenneth Russell, Pennington; Olin Bramen Johnson, Rt. 1, Big Stone Gap; Jack Walton Mullins, Keokee; Henry Clyde Garrison, Pennington Gap; Thomas Vernon Meade, Pennington Gap; Edward Wilson, Bonny Blue; Eugene William Phillips, St. Charles; Benton Milton Adkins, St. Charles; Noah Junion Hammons, R. 1, Keokee.

Veronica Mimoso on Tour

Veronica Mimoso, the gifted artist, is making a return engagement while on a tour through Kentucky and Virginia. She will be accompanied in a two piano recital by Mme. Mimoso, her master instructor, at St. Charles High School Auditorium, Thursday, October 18, at 8:00 o'clock p.m.

Miss Mimoso began playing and composing at the age of 3, and made her dubut at the age of 15 with New Yohk Philharmonic Symphony Orchestra.

Quotin Eugene Geenes (Conductor of the Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra). "It has rarely, if ever, been my pleasure to encounter talent quite as amusing as that of Veronica Mimoso."

News From FRIENDSHIP

The W.M.S. met at the home of Rev. and Mrs. E. C. Knicely Wednesday afternoon. Members present were: Mrs. Otis Snodgrass, Mrs. J. H. Quinley, Mrs. Lizzie Quinley, Mrs. C. D. Cody, Mrs. Walter Spangler, Mrs. Olin Jones, Mrs. Larkin Yates, Mrs. Frank Willis, Rev. and Mrs. Knicely, Mrs. C. B. Stidham and Mrs. R. B. Stidham.

The topics on our Christian Schools were very interesting. Rev. and Mrs. Knicely, who had attended the Baptist Theological Seminary and W.M.U. at Louisville, gave very interesting accounts of the work there. The November meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. H. Quinley on the first Wednesday in November.

Rev. Luther Nicely, of Abidon, Va., will conduct a study course at the church this week on the topic of "The place of the Sunday School in Evangelism."

We enjoyed a message on "The Christian Home" by Rev. E. C. Knicely Sunday morning.

Lt. Jack Jones, Mrs. Jones and son, Jackie, visited his parents here last week enroute to their new home in Salem, Virginia, from Camp Hood, Texas. Jack returned to Camp Hood this week end.

Mrs. Gay Matlock and daughter have gone to visit her parents in Washington, D. C.

Cecil Roberts, U. S. Army, visited friends and attended church services here Sunday night.

The W. M. U. group meeting will be held here Tuesday, October 9.

News From OAK HILL

(Week of Oct. 4)

Margaret Rasnic, Aileen and Carnelle Livingston left last week to enter college in Lincoln Memorial University, at Harrogate, Tenn.

Madge Bledsoe, who is employed in Ohio, is at home now for a few days with her parents.

Mr. C. V. Price is spending a few days with his parents this week. Mr. Price is employed at Northfort, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lambert and Tom, from W. Va., are spending a few days with their father, Jacob Lambert.

Pfc. John Lambert is spending a furlough with his parents and other relatives. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Patton Lambert.

Mr. and Mrs. David Fletcher have recently moved to their new home in Jonesville.

News From KEOKEE

(Week of Oct. 4)

Ralph Arnette, son of Mr. and Mrs. Orvil Arnette, left Monday for service in the U. S. Navy.

Annie Adkins is visiting relatives in Johnson City, Tenn., this week.

Pvt. George Wilder and family, were visiting Mrs. Wilder's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Craft, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bascom Garland of Bakersville, N. C., were visiting the Arnett's this week.

Mrs. Lee Barker and Mrs. J.J. Clarkston were shopping in Bristol this week.

Miss Mae Woodard of Burkharts Chapel, spent last Tuesday night with Mrs. J. C. Wolfe.

Mrs. Thomas Clay and children, of Inman, were visiting relatives here last week.

News From BENEDICT

Cpl. Bill Hall, of the U.S. Army, wife and little son of Ben Hur were visiting friends here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Cox and daughter, Marie, of Pine Knot, Ky., visited here last week end with Mrs. Cox's brother, Edgar Baltimore and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Scarborough and family, of Lafollette, Tenn., spent lase week end with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sturgill.

Miss Virgia Scarborough, of Bonny Blue, visited relatives here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Maiden and family of Kentucky visited Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Homan and family here over the week end.

Mrs. Carnell Smith and children, of Jonesville, were visiting relatives here last week.

Cpl. Pearl Sturgill, who has been recently discharged from the U. S. Army, is visiting his brother, Frank Sturgill, and his sister, Mrs. Gladys Ewing and family, here this week.

Glenn Dean, of L.M.U., and sister, Billie Sue Dean, of Stone Creek, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sturgill Sunday.

Cpl. Graham Eagle, of the U. S. Army, is visiting his brother, Raymond Eagle and family.

Mrs. Irene Scarborough and little daughter, Gloria Jean, and Mrs. T. P. Scarborough, all of Monarch, were visiting relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Baltimore and children visited with Mr. and Mrs. Simon Estep at Calvin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Blevins and family of this place were visiting friends at Wise Sunday.

Lee County Men Who Have Been Discharged From Armed Forces

We wish to advise all employers of the following Lee County men who have been separated from the services of the Armed Forces of the United States. Re-employment Committeeman Cam J. Lewis, of the Local Selective Service Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, Va., or Miss Marie McNiel, chief clerk Selective Service Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va., will gladly assist employers in contacting men.

Mr. Lewis may be reached at Local Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, Va., and Miss McNiel at Local Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va.

A list of Lee County men discharged from the Armed Forces will appear in this newspaper each week as they are furnished to us by the two Local Selective Service Boards in the County.

Willard E. Arnett, Rose Hill; Grover W. Ball, Rose Hill; Oren Bledsoe, Blackwater; Waco D. Bays, Ewing; Homer Sewell Brooks, R.F.D. No. 1, Ewing, Jessee H. Brown, R.F.D. No. 1, Ewing, Bradley Bruner, R.F.D. No. 4, Jonesville; William L. Bryant, R.F.D. No. 4, Jonesville, Millard Cox, R.F.D. No. 3, Jonesville, Edwin Caldwell, Ewing, Ben A. Campbell, R.F.D. No. 1, Rose Hill.

Bardine D. Carter, Jr., Blackwater, Enis Carrol, Jonesville, Woodrow W. Edwards, Jonesville, James R. Combs, Gen. Del., Ewing, Habern L. Davis, R.F.D. No. 4, Jonesville, Robert C. Davis, R.F.D. No. 4, Jonesville, Sallie M. Davis, Ben Hur, Thomas F. Doyle, Rose Hill, Clyde W. Edwards, Ewing, Woodrow W. Edwards, Jonesville; William C. Eldridge, Blackwater.

Andy Paul Stanley, Pennington Gap, Paul J. Snodgrass, Keokee, William George Robbins, Duffield, Kayner Boggs, Olinger, William Bruce Wax, St. Charles, Teddy Carr Fry, Pennington Gap, William Russell Lawson, St. Charles, Joseph Eugene Farmer, St. Charles, Edward Cecil Shoemaker, Woodway; Samuel Antony Paluso, Pennington Gap; John Eddie Collier; Pennington Gap; Orville Charles Ward, Calvin.

Eddie Kirk, St. Charles, John Elmer McGee, Olinger; Leo Charles Parks, St. Charles; Johnny B. Herrin, St. Charles, James Robert Anderson, St. Charles; Foister Joseph Baker, St. Charles; William Ray Flanary, Keokee; Luther Baltimore, Benedict; Hubert J. C. Esteppe, Keokee, Rt. 1, Harry Young Litton, Pennington Gap; Robert Curtis Coleman, Leona Mines, Charles Wesley Weatherly, Pennington Gap, Harley Carl Ballard, Keokee, Rt. 1; Roller Tipton Myers; Pennington Gap, R. 1.

First Christian Church

Sunday, October 14. Bible School at 10:00 a.m., H. O. Hines, Superintendent.

Worship with communion at 10:45, sermon subject, "Children and Parents."

Christian Endeavors meet at 6:45 p.m., Mrs. Ruth Kirk, president. Night worship at 7:30, pastor speaks to Union Church following worship.

Choir rehearsal Wednesday evening at 8:00. Prayer and Praise service at 7:00 o'clock Wednesday. All members are expected. Visitors cordially invited to attend all the services.

W. B. Moore, Minister.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 26th day of September, 1945.

Grace Willis Eades, Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
William Paul Eades, Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce A Vinculo Matrimonii, and an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, William Paul Eades, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address is General Delivery, Newark, Ohio, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p.q. Guy A. Kauffman.
Adv. No. 39-4t.

1945-6 Reorganization Of Juvenile Musicians

The "Pennington Gap Juvenile Musicians" met in the music studio of Miss Cora Lewis on September 26, for the purpose of reorganizing.

The following officers were elected: President, L. T. Stewart; Vice-President, Margaret Sue Stubbs; Secretary, Jane Robbins; Treasurer, Gloria Pennington, (who was reelected this year); Reporter, Nancy Lee Anderson.

They are looking forward to another good year of music.

Jonesville FFA Hold First Meeting of Year

(Billy Cress, reporter)

The Jonesville Chapter, Future Farmers of America, held its first monthly meeting of this school year on September 13, and elected officers for the year. It was decided to hold regular monthly meetings on the first Tuesday of each month. Coy Collins was elected to represent this chapter at the meeting of the State FFA Convention at VPI, September 27-29. Standing committies were selected to set up the Annual Program of Work.

At the meeting on October 2, the officers elected at the previous meeting, were installed as follows: Coy Collins, Jr. president; Charles (Bud) Johnson, vice president; Philmore Edens, secretary; J. C. Sexton, treasurer; Billy Cress, reporter and Auburn Long, sentinel.

The following program was given (1) report of delegate to State Convention Coy Collins, (2) short story Billy Cress, (3) Jokes Wallace Johnson and L. C. Hines.

There are 29 active members in the FFA, with 22 enrolled in Vocational Agriculture, all day classes.

The Chapter has a $60 Library unit ordered which will add much needed reference material to the Agriculture Department library.

St. Charles Servicemen Meet In Philippines

A Navy Petty Officer, Army Lt. Col., and an Army Sgt., all useful citizens of St. Charles before the call to Arms, enjoyed a week-end get to gether in the Philippines recently. They were Oswald Hall, Herschel Parsons, Carl Evans.

Hall was formerly Post Master at St. Charles and is now in charge of a Navy Post Office in the Philippines. His service covers a period of two years in the Seabees, ten months of which have been spent overseas. He was recently promoted to the rank of Petty Officer first class.

Parsons has attained the rank of Lt. Col., and is stationed in the Philippines. PO. Hall and Col. Parsons met first, and while they were looking over the building, they were unaware that Evans was near. When they met it was Sgt. Evan's first sight of a familiar face in twenty months.

County AAA Personnel Discusses 1945 Program

Chief Clerks and other office employees of the Triple-A met at Abingdon, Virginia on Wednesday, October 3, to discuss procedure for accepting percormance reports and applications for payment from farmers under the 1945 soil conservation program.

Representatives from 7 counties were present. Discussion was led by Mr. J. A. Lannon, Jh. and Mr. A. L. Leffel. Those in attendance were twenty.

Following this meeting all farmers in these counties will be urged to report all practices as soon as possible after the work is completed. A report of disposition of all conservation material furnished by the Government must be made by each producer who recieves the material. Farmers who are eligible for cash payments may sign application for such payments at the time the performance report is made.

NOTICE

In the United States District Court for the Western District of Virginia; in the matter of WILLIAM PATTON ALLEN, in Bankruptcy—No. 1318.

To the creditors of William Patton Allen of Pennington Gap, in the county of Lee, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 24th day of September A.D., 1945, the said William Patton Allen was duly adjudicated a bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at Referee's office in Wise, Virginia, on the 20th day of October, A. D., 1945, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at which place and time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, appoint a committee of creditors, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

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Two hours passed and no deer. No sound. Finally they heard the old hound. They knew by his barking that he was after a deer. Everyone stood tense with gun alerted, but no deer. Then the barking changed. A fox had crossed the deer's trail and the dog had gone after the fox. Then the old hound bayed. It had treed something and all made a break to the hollow, expecting to find a bear. When they reached the old hound they found him trying to dig a ground squirrel out of a stump. From deer to fox to a ground squirrel! What a come-down!

And so do people sometimes. Years ago a man started out to study medicine. He decided to stop and sell books and now he it running a filling station. Nothing wrong with filling stations, but that isn't what he started out to do. Too many of us get side tracked and spend our days doing things far different and maybe not quite up to what we planned. When we are chasing deer, we had better let foxes and ground squirrels alone.

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Drive To Recruit Men For Woods and Mill Jobs

Faced with critical labor shortages in pulpwood producing areas the Pulp and Paper industry and the U. S. Employment Service launched a drive for woods and mill workers in 24 states, beginning Monday, October 8, according to information received last week.

At the same time, the serious nature of the manpower shortage was reflected in a report by the War Production Board placing August domestic pulpwood receipts in August of 1944.

The jointly sponsored reemployment program, the first of its kind since the end of the war, plans to secure jobs for as many as possible

Plans have been worked out for all mills, contractors, operators, suppliers and shippers in major wood-producing communities to inform local U.S.E.S. offices of job openings in their organizations.

Opportunities include jobs for both skilled and unskilled labor in woods and mill work

"Anyone who might desire employment in the woods will have an early opportunity to accept one of the many jobs available", U S E S pointed out requesting all job seekers to apply to their nearest U S E S office at once.

"In the face of expanding reconversion demands for paper, paperboard and other pulpwood, products," sponsors of the program declared, "it is necessary that mills have enough additional people to meet expanded activities, while it is vital that enough workers be engaged in pulpwood production to guarantee a supply of raw material".

According to WPB, total pulpwood receipts of U. S. mills in August, including imports, were 1,685,363 cords, a decline of 4 percent from the same month of last year.

Mills in the Applachian Region reported domestic pulpwood receipts in August of 135,403 cords a decline of 10.4 per cent from the receipts in August of last year.

Appalachian mills are in urgent need of more top quality pulpwood NOW.

RATION ROUNDUP—

Meats and Fats— Red Stamps A1, through E1, now valid, expire Octtober 31. F1 through K1, now valid, expire November 30 L1 through Q1, now valid, expire December 31. R1 through V1, now valid, expire January 31.

Sugar— Sugar Stamp 38 now valid, expires December 31

Shoes— Airplane Stamps 1, 2, 3, and 4 good indefinitely

THE VICTORY OVER INFLATION IS TILL TO BE WON

Points removed from some meat

Lower grades of beef, utility cull grades of veal and lamb, sausage and other products of these meats are ration point-free from now through October 27. Hamburger, lamb and veal patties short ribs and brisket of beef, breast and flank of lamb and shank of veal are included in this point-free list.

This October increase in meat is posible by seasonal marketing and increase in range-fed cattle which produce the grades of beef which have been made ration-free.

Pork and better grades of beef, veal and lamb remain in short supply, and the Department of Agriculture and the OPA agree that rationing of these must continue and remain at their present point values indefinitely. Fats, oils, and dairy products also remain on the ration list.

According to Mr. B.C. Goodwin District Director in Roanoke, rationing regulations at the retail level will continue to be enforced at the present vigorous pitch.

OCTOBER PASSENGER TIRE QUOTA IS PRACTICALLY THE SAME AS SEPTEMBER

Acording to the OPA district director in Roanoke the tire supply is still far from enough to meet the unprecedented demand since the lifting of gasoline rationing. Only the most essential users should apply for new tires, and then only in cases of direst need. The October production schedules call for an increase and if this increase is met, it will be passed along to the OPA by the WPB but prospects are dim for early relief. The tire situation is described as "critical," and all drivers urged to continue conserving their tires by recapping, checking pressures and driving slowly. There has been a slight increase in the local Board's October truck tire quota.

SURPLUS WAR GOODS—

Purchasers, as well as sellers, of surplus war goods, are reminded that all items of this merchandise are subject to price control. Special orders have been issued by OPA setting dollar-and-cents prices for items which were made to government specifications. Any merchant offering any surplus war goods for sale should contact his War Price and Rationing Board or the Roanake District Offices if he does not have information regarding the ceiling prices.

News From BLACKWATER

Mrs. Stuart Brown, Mr and Mrs D. C. Kirtley and Miss Sarita Couk, of Pennington Gap, and H S Rogers of Oak Ridge were guests of Mr and Mrs. J R Hickan Sunday

Miss Sallie Frank Hickan, who has been ill for a few weeks, is at home convalescing

Onzo Robinette and J F Osborne of L M I spent the week end with their parents here

Mrs Loyd Johnson and children, of Oak Ridge, are spending a few weeks with her father, J B Walton

Prof Carson L Robinette and family spent the week end with relatives in Tennessee

Quit a few people from this place attended the Association at Jasper

Dryden F.F.A. Elects Officers for Ensuing Year

Hubert Wells Reporter

The Dryden Chapter Future Farmers of America, held its 1st regular meeting of the year on Sept 13, and elected officers The chapter voted to purchase a $60 library unit of books for the Agriculture Department library, under the county-state aid set-up It was decided to hold regular monthly meetings on the first Tuesday of each month.

At a called meeting, on September 20, Billy R. Mullins was selected to represent the chapter at the State FFA Convention, at V.P.I., September 27-29. Officers elected for the year, were installed as follows: Roy Johnson, president; Ted Coomer, vice president; Billy Ray Mullins, secretary; Pat E. Bayless, treasurer, Hubert Walls, reporter and John Caywood, sentinel, Standing committees were selected at this meet to set up the Annual Program of Work for the current year

At the regular meeting on October 4, Billy Ray Mullins gave an interesting account of his trip to V.P.I. and discussed the proceedings of the State Convention held there September 27 29

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 21st day of September, 1945.

E. J. Olinger . . . . Complainant

vs. **Order of Publication**

Mattie Olinger . . Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce on grounds of desertion.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Mattie Olinger is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address is unknown, it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:

VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk.

By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D .C.

p. q. Wallace A. Wells.

Adv. No. 39-4t.

COOKED A FINE DINNER; THEN THREW IT TO DOG

One lady recently stated that she used to throw her own dinner to the dog most of the time. It made her sick just to look at anything to eat. She was swollen with gas, full of bloat, had headaches, felt worn out and was badly constipated. Finally she got ERB-HELP and says she now eats everything in sight and digests it perfectly. Bowels are regular and normal. She is enjoying life once more and feels like "some other woman" since taking this New Compound

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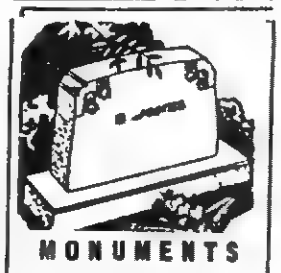

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Blackwater Soldier Marries English Girl

Sgt. Walter J. Flanary, of Blackwater, Virginia, was married September 8 to Miss Hilda Wick, at St. John's Baptist Church, London, England.

The bride mailed the top tier of the wedding cake to the bridegroom's father, Elbert L. Flanary, of Blackwater.

Sgt. Flanary is expected home soon, and the bride will sail as soon as possible afterwards.

Methodist Conference Convenes This Week

The Annual Holston Conference, Methodist Churches, opened at Chattanooga, Tennessee, Wednesday morning, October 10, and will continue until noon, Saturday, October 13. The Conference, Bishop Paul B. Kern, of Nashville, is presiding.

At this conference, Methodist pastors will be reassigned to their present pastorates or transferred to new charges, at the jurisdiction of the Bishop. A new pastor will be appointed to St. Charles Methodist Church to succeed Rev. C. R. McPherson, who has entered the evangelistic field with the Kentucky Conference.

Attending the conference from Pennington Gap are the delegates, A. S. PePnnington and W. J. and Mrs. Richards, Rev. and Mrs. C. D. Mehaffey, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Tipton and possibly others.

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WHAT—NO BIRDS—NO FISH AGAIN?

How many times have you returned from a hunting trip from the fields discouragod, disgusted and threatening to sell your hunting equipment and making a pet out of your hunting dog; who has raced through the fieldsuntil almost exhausted, with worn foot pads sore from the roughest terrain to show his appreciation and faithfulness to find the birds that should have been there.

Both you and your trusted dog troding your weary way home with a down-cast look, knowing you are to be met with the usual question, "What, no birds again?" You resolve to quit, but relax and read your favorite hunting magazine of the thrills experienced by other hunters where game is plentiful, of their dogs "on point," the remembrance of which no hunter can easily forget. You find yourself again awaiting another hunting season, and the same greeting upon your return home, "What, no birds again?"

The same is true of your fishing experiences, you clean and oil your reel, purchase new lines, lures and a new fish stringer; the latter merely hoping to change your luck; you wade, cast, change lures and get wet from head to foot, and also greeted upon your return home, "What, no fish again?"

In Lee County nature has provided more than her generous share; the broad rolling fields and woodlands should abound with quail, ruffed grouse, pheasant and other wild game, the blue water of it's river flowing beneath the rugged cliffs and over boulders, should afford the angler with almost any species of fish from Powell River, a beautiful mountain stream Will you do your share?

As defenders of woods, waters and wildlife, the Lee County Chapter of Izaak Walton League believes in a better America for better Americans and it's program amounts to a religion of a decent outdoors. Meeting at Pennington Gap High School at 7:30 P. M., E. S. T., October 15, 1945. All sportsmen are invited and urged to attend.

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"I felt so weak and rundown" continued Mrs. Thomas, "that I had no desire foh food, and no matter how careful I was of my diet everything seemed to disagree with me. I felt bloated and nervous and full of gas after every meal I could seldom get to sleep until most of the night was gone. I suffered badly from sluggish elimination, and felt tired and toxic all the time, but I could not be satisfied to be a do-nothing.

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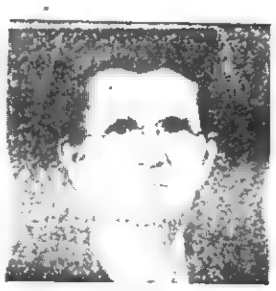

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TOBACCO HEARINGS OPEN AT ABINGDON

Growers Meet With Members of Special Legislative Commission

Burley tobacco growers of Washington and Russell counties and representatives of warehousemen met Wednesday at the Martha Washington Inn in Abingdon with members of a special commission set up by joint resolution of the House and Senate at the last session of the General Assembly and having for its purpose the determination of whether or not legislation is needed to correct conditions of which growers have complained, especially with regard to the amount of commission warehouses should be permitted to charge for marketing the weed. The commission will convene again at 10 a.m. today when representatives of Lee, Scott and Smythe counties are expected to be present.

Senator Harry C. Stuart of Elk Garden, Va., is chairman of the commission J. Walter Gray, Abingdon, and William H. Irvine, of Lexington, are House members, and L. Stanford Finney, Penhook and Keyes S. Bordwine Abingdon, are appointees of Governor Colgate Darden All members of the commission were in attendance yesterday

Southwest Virginia tobacco growers recently have protested against rates now charged by the warehouses for display and sale of burley and have called upon warehouse operators to lower their charges. Present auction rates on the Abingdon market are four per cent of the gross sale price plus 25 cents per basket

B. H. Leming of Greeneville Tenn., explained a plan for conducting sales at uniform prices at warehouses throughout the state of Tennessee and Fark Bernard Abingdon warehouseman described practices now in vouge on the Abingdon market

The commission will study material obtained during its hearings and report its findings to the governor at least 60 days prior to the convening of the next session of the General Assembly.

The joint resolution adopted by the House on March [illegible] and by the [illegible] creating the commission to study [illegible] reports on the auction method of selling burley tobacco read

"Whereas, there is dissatisfaction among many persons with the auction method of selling burley tobacco, particularly with respect to the expense thereof, and lack of uniformity in the prices obtained; and

"Whereas, the importance of the question warrants a careful study before any regulation thereof by statute is proposed or attempted Now Therefore

"Be it resolved by the House of Delegates, the Senate concurring, that there is hereby created a commission to be composed of five members, one to be appointed by the president of the Senate from the members of the Senate, two by the speaker of the House from the members of the House of Delgates, and two to be appointed by the governor.

"It shall be the duty of the commission to make a thorough study of the auction method now in use in the sale of burley tobacco in Virginia, giving particular attention to methods in effect in other states where tobacco is grown and marketed. It shall make a report of its findings and recommendations to the next regular session of the General Assembly

"The members of the commission shall receive their actual expenses incurred in the performance of their duties hereunder, for the payment of which there is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient, not to exceed one thousand dollars, to be paid out of the contingent fund of the General Assembly."

HOBBY PARADE

What do you collect? Vases? pitchers? coins? toy animals? scrapbooks? cactus? - Bring them for display October 18 at the Fellowship Hall of the Methodist Church, from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m.

If the entife collection is too large to bring, pick your choicest pieces. Sponsored by Circle No 2, of the W.S.C.S. (Woman's Society of Christian Service) Any hobby, new or old, large or small, may be entered. No admission. Entries may be brought to Hall Wednesday at 6:30 p.m., or any time Thursday.

Interesting display promised, unusual program planned. Voluntary offering will be taken Refreshments.

1945 Potato Crop Good

Upward revision of production [illegible] for both "intermediate" and "late" crops of Irish potatoes indicate a total of more than 420 million bushels this year—second only to 1943's crop of 465 million it was announced this week by Thomas J. Wilson, Acting State Officer for Marketing of the Production and Marketing Administration, Richmond, Va.

Plenty of potatoes will be on the market from now 'till next [illegible] and Mr. Wilson asks that [illegible] housewives [illegible] economy and nutritional value of Irish potatoes in menu planning.

Mr. Wilson says "Housewives are [illegible] [illegible] refrigerators, [illegible] [illegible] wholesome meal at [illegible]"

First Baptist Church

Sunday, October 14, Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. A. T. Burchette, Superintendent

Morning worship at 10:45 sermon topic, "The silent power of God's grace."

Evening Training Unions meet at 6:30

Evening worship at 7:30 Sermon topic "Jesus the Way."

Midweek prayer service evening, 7:00

P. R. Stubbs, Pastor

Jonesville Baptist Church

Sunday, October 14: Sunday School at 10:00 a.m. EST

Home coming service at 11:00 a.m. Sermon by Rev. E. C. Knicely

Also preaching at 2:00 o'clock p.m. by Rev. Knicely.

Hardy's Creek Baptist Church

Sunday School at 10:00 o'clock a.m.

Training Unions at 7:00 o'clock p.m. Preaching service at 8:00 o'clock p.m.

J. C. Jackson, Pastor

Miss Skaggs Released From WAVES

Miss Lena V. Skaggs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Skaggs of Pennington Gap, was discharged [illegible] Naval Personnel Separation [illegible], U. S. Naval Barracks, Washington, D. C., on October [illegible]

Miss Skaggs reported for active duty in the Navy April 2, [illegible] Washington, D. C. [illegible]

Mrs. Bill Castell, of Fort Belvoir, Va., [illegible] her daughter, Mrs. [illegible] Hawkins, and family of Stone Creek.

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St. Charles PERSONALS

D. M. Robinson, proprietor of the Peoples' Store, is on a pleasure and buying trip in Louisville this week. He is visiting his wife and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lyttle are back in St. Charles to make their home after a two-years' stay in California.

Miss Martha Harber visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Harber, in Jonesville, first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Ball went on a business and shopping tour to Harlan yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lark, of Blountville, Tenn., visited Mr. and Mrs. George Brummett over the week end.

Mrs. Homer Mansfield has returned from a visit with her son, Edward, at Glenn, Mississippi.

Mrs. Kermit Mullins and Mrs. John Slover left today for Newport, Virginia, to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Copeland

Mrs. Golden Smith and son, Mickey, Mrs. Bill Wacks and daughter, Ressie, and Virgil Wacks, went to Harlan yesterday

Mr. and Mrs. Karp were in Bluefield the first of the week.

Mrs. Nakidman is visiting her daughter, Lillian, who is a student at Roanoke National Business College

Sgt. Robert Seymour has returned from the European Theater of War for a 30 day furlough, and is visiting here with his mother, Mrs. Henrietta Seymour and his sister, Mrs. C. H. Redmond.

Allen Grey Seymour, was re[illegible] Sept. 19, and is now at Newport, Rhode Island

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Harber and daughter, Mary Ellen, and Mrs. Fred Kirk of St. Charles, visited Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Harber, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kirk and daughter Linda Joyce of Norton, Va. Sunday

Mrs. Fred Kirk is visiting her daughter, Miss Lillian Kirk, of Knoxville, Tenn.

SOCIAL - PERSONAL

Mrs. Pugh and Henry visit With Edsell

Mrs. T. H. Pugh and Henry spent the week end with her son, Edsell, at Lynchburg College and at Bassett, Virginia.

They left Pennington at 10:00 o'clock Friday morning, arriving in Lynchburg at 6:30 They spent the night at the dormitories, and enjoyed seeing about over the college where they met several of the teachers and students

Saturday afternoon Edsell accompanied them to Bassett, Va., where they spent the night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bassett Sunday morning they attended the Home Coming service at the Christian Church at Martinsville, of which Edsell is pastor. They arrived home at 2:30 Monday morning.

Pvt. Robert Carroll is spending a few days at his home here before going overseas. Robert, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Carroll, has enlisted for another three years.

Harry Pugh and wife, of Cumberland, Ky., spent Thursday and Friday at his home here. They were on their way to visit with friends in Detroit.

Sgt. C. Bascom Waddell is "back from war." He notified his wife by long distance that he is in the States and expects to be home by the last of this week.

S. Sgt. Wm. E. (Billy) Carroll writes home that he has run into a bunch of old school mates at McDill Field, Florida, and that they are having a wonderful time. The boys are Pete Orr, Clyde Brown, Robert Hodge and Geo. Gaylor.

Attend Boy Scout Meeting

Sam C. Blackwell, District Chairman of the recently formed Lee County District of Lonesome Pine Council, Boy Scouts of America, attended a Council Finance Meet helt in the Assembly Room of the Consolidation Coal Corporation, Jenkins, Ky., Wednesday afternoon

The purpose of the meeting was discussion and approval of the 1946 budget for Lonesome Pine Council, and to formulate plans for the raising of this budget by the different districts of the Council and the allotment of quotas to each district. Recommendations concerning finances of the Council and the selection of the Executive personnel were also formulated to present to the next Executive Board meeting of the council.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Payne, formerly of this place, are now settled in their new home at 619 Citrus Ave., Eustis, Fla.

Mary Margaret and Myrtle Phyllis (Sister) Smalley spent the week end with friends at Four Mile, Ky.

Mrs. E. D. Woliver and small son, Fred, visited friends and relatives in Kingsport over the week end.

Mrs. C. W. Dennis of St. Charles and Mrs. Fred Kirk, R. 1, Pennington Gap, were visiting their daughters, Miss Lillian Kirk and Miss Rita Denns who are employed by the Southern Bell Telephone Co., in Knoxville, Tenn., Tuesday and Wednesday of this week

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Play Two Sunday To End Series At Dunbar

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the pan to race a once close score to a onesided margin of 17 to 5 with three Dunbar pitchers hopelessly hammered to every corner of the field and some outside the field. Sage however, did a good job until the seventh.

Big Conn Holman, St. Charles left fielder, the Hank Greenburg of the Lonesome Pine who led the league in home runs during the year batted in five runs, collecting 4 hits for six trips, hitting one double over the side fence two-bagger line which traveled 400 ft. in the air before coming back to earth, it would have cleared in fence in the majors. Jimmy Shelbourne shared equal honors with Holman by collecting 4 for 6. Foster and Walker had 3 for 5 each, Pannell and Wooliver 2 each to pace the 19 hit attack of the Miners.

Dunbar collected 12 hits with Stallard leading with 3 for 4, Young, Sage and Morlock collecting 2 each.

Red Walker went the route on the mound for the Miners.

St Charles will go to Dunbdr next Sunday to close the series and decide a champion with a doubleheader.

TOWN TALK

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tton Gap for a vacation visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Everette Wolver. The couple is employed at Kingsport.

Jimmy Joe Bright is clerking in Cuma's Shoppe.

Mr and Mrs. Ed Stout are located in their new home in West Pennington formerly owned and occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Payne. The Paynes are spending the winter in Florida for health benefits.

"A Son was Given"

Casto M. Maddle, a St Charles taxi driver, was telling us the other day about their adopted son, Jimmie.

Mr. Maddle said that seven years ago his wife went with him to buy a new car. They heard about the mother of Jimmie and the struggle she was having to care for her children since her husband's death, so they made a call at the home.

"The very minute my wife saw the baby, who was then two months old, she fell in love with it," Mr. Maddle said, "And we persuaded the woman to let us take him and raise him." He wentt on to tell of their tireless efforts to get the child started on the way to health and normal growth.

"Jimmie is seven years old now, and in school," he added, "and we think he's just about the only boy in the world."

Experiences Typhoon

L. E. Hinkle, F. 1-C., son of Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Hinkle, of Pennington Gap, shares with his parents an experience with a typhoon n Tokyo Bay. Following is his letter, in part:

Aboard L. S. T. 16—
Tokyo Bay, Japan:
Dear Mother and Dad:

A short letter to let you know that I am still here and all OK. We had a collision this morning with another L. S. T., but in such a way neither got a hole through her hull.

You have probably heard of some of those typhoons that have been playing around in these waters. Well, I guess we found one. We are out of it now, this being 10:00 p.m., and the ship seems to be holding natural trim and roll. We are anchored in the bay, not far from the same place we were yesterday. We left our hook (anchor) down all day, but currents and winds were so strong it drug us about 5 miles. Lot of small craft sunk, and lot still afloat that was either abandoned or broke loose from mooring. Wind reported to be at about 120 mile gale, so strong you couldn't stand out on deck without holding tight to keep from being blown overboard. Anchored from bow of ship, facing wind with both engines, kicking full ahead, and still we were being dragged around backward like a toy.

We have no cargo aboard at present time, and that makes us lighter, and we bounce and pitch more. One minute you could see ships near us, and big valleys between us; next minute a hill of water between us.

I think the typhoon has passed by the bay and gone up the China Coast.

Rev. E. N. Woodard

Rev. E. N. Woodward, 79, died at his home in Bristol Friday morning, October 5, after a long period of declining health. He was formerly one of the leading churchmen of the Holston Methodist Conference, and had spent 51 years in the ministry. He was supernnuated about four years ago. He was born in the Sugar Run Community of Lee County.

The body was taken to Lebanon, Virginia, for funeral and burial. He is survived by one brother, Dr. Woodward, of Newport, Tennessee.

Frank White, of the U. S. Navy, is home on leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie White.

Futile Efforts To Attract Industry With "Cut-Rate" Power Is Sad Theme Of This Modern Tale Of Two Cities

THIS [illegible] The [illegible] are [illegible] a small community is awakened from tranquil slumbers by a glittering fairy godfather in the form of a branch of the Federal Government. Sudden prosperity, astounding growth into a veritable metropolis, industrial stability — these are the things promised.

The promises have now collapsed, the rosy dreams faded. The magic wand of "cheap power" has proved a broken reed. And the disillusioned residents wonder what went wrong, why, after millions of tax dollars were spent, the promised prosperity failed to materialize.

Tupelo Has Bad Luck

Tupelo, Miss., was the first town to receive TVA power. Its counterpart in the Pacific Northwest is Stevenson, Wash., first beneficiary of "cut-rate" power from the huge Bonneville Dam. Here is the first chapter in this modern tale of two cities.

Expert publicists ballyhooed Tupelo's "cheap" power rates throughout the nation. It was hailed as the first practical application of TVA rates to a community seeking industry. Yet ten years after the big event not a single new factory had located [in] Tupelo. And [illegible] moved [illegible].

No New Industries

Listen to the editor of the Tupelo Journal: "We had new industries, dairy programs and other progressive developments ten or fifteen years ago (before TVA) but within the last few years we have not gone forward. In fact in many ways we have slipped."

Now for Chapter Two. Six years have elapsed since Bonneville Dam power became available in Stevenson, Wash., at an arbitrary rate 17 per cent less than the general rate charged outside a 15-mile radius of the big dam.

As in the case of Tupelo, not a single new industry has been attracted by cut-rate power. When a CVA modeled upon the discredited Tennessee Valley Authority was proposed, the Stevenson Chamber of Commerce expressed its blunt disapproval in a resolution which said, in part:

Phony Prosperity?

"We believe the plan to form a Columbia Valley Authority . . . is only another step to concentrate authority in Washington, D. C., and we believe if the citizenry are properly informed they will oppose it.

"As residents of Skamania County and [illegible] the expenditure of $70,000,000 or more, have seen thousands of workers from other states come in and share exorbitant wages for construction, have seen them all leave for their homes carrying their government money — while fewer than ten new homes were erected in Stevenson, only four mile[s] from the big investment.

"Favored" Towns Let Down

"We favor private development of this and every commercial area in the United States. A nation with a $300,000,000,000 debt is not in a position to underwrite even one unnecessary project."

Why did both of these "favored" towns fail to attract any industry at all? First, becaus[e] the cost of electric power is [a] very small part of manufacturing expense. Second, becaus[e] socialized electricity is only [a] step toward socialized busines[s] in general and business men ar[e] distrustful of such great experiments as TVA — paid for wit[h] their and your hard-earned ta[x] dollars.

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WAR HAS BROUGHT some pretty grim sights to a doughboy's eyes. But some of the worst have not been in battle.

There's been the look of hunger in a little girl's face watching you eat a second helping of hash. The silent look of youngsters lined up at a garbage can waiting for refuse from your mess kit. The sight of thousands of "displaced persons" hungry and ragged, wandering [illegible].

And the doughboy knows that his fight for peace is not won while there are everywhere hunger and disease and desperation.

He knows that our government is doing everything possible to send food [illegible] who stood [illegible] the war. But there is much that governments cannot do. For emergencies arise quickly and call for medicine, clothing and shelter (500,000 destitute war orphans are roaming the countryside of Yugoslavia alone).

That's why the allied relief societies —which your money supports through your Community War Fund — are so important.

And our G.I. knows that help that comes from the pockets and hearts of Americans is doing more than we know to bind up the wounds of war, and restore faith in the future. And without this faith there can be no peace — for Europe, or for us.

You give only once a year to all the great causes combined in your Community War Fund, which, in turn, supports all the 21 agencies of the National War Fund. This year, make your gift bigger than ever before.

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On the USS "Tuscaloosa"

S 1-C Ray E. Massingill, Route 1, Pennington Gap, and MM 3-C William L. Sambrel, Dryden, Va., have been serving on this cruiser, which was assigned to support occupation forces in Japan.

The Tuscaloosa did convoy in the North Atlantic, fought a gun duel with the French battleship Jean Bart and shore batteries at Casablanca during the invasion of North Africa, and took part in the battles of Normandy, of southern France, Iwo Jima and Okinawa.

She also was in the escort for ships carrying Prime Minister Winston Churchill to hte Quebec Conference.

On the USS "Hyman"

Carl G. Huff, EM 3-C, USNR, Woodway, Va., and William T. Bowen Jr., S 1-C, USNR, Rt. 1, Jonesville, are serving on this destroyer which is helping occupy this Caroline Island.

Ponape is the second major Jap held island the crew of the Hyman helped occupy in two days. Smaller but strongly held Kasaie, 250 miles southeast of here, was taken over Sept. 9.

"OK" in Chinese language

Sergeant Jessee Ball, husband of Mrs. Clora Ball, of Pennington Gap, has just arrived at the station of Camp Ting Hao, in China, for redeployment, Ting Hao, in Chinese, is equivalent to "OK". It is an efficiently laid out tent city in the foothills of the Himalayas with athletic fields, outdoor movies, and other post-victor recreational facilities.

Sgt. Ball was a member of the 930th Engineer Regiment which formed part of the famed Burma Road Engineers group. He has been awarded the Good Conduct Medal, the American Defense Ribbon and the National Ribbon. Prior to his induction he was a farmer.

"Cleared the Center"

Pvt. Grover Gibson, Pennington Gap, was on October 3 honorably discharged from U. S. Army Air Forces. His last station was Randolph Field, Texas, B-29 pilot and flight engineer transition school of AAF Training Command.

His civilian occupation is automobile mechanic.

Apprentice Seaman to graduate

Apprentice Seaman Glenn Bledsoe, of Blackwater, recently arrived at Long Beach, California, aboard the U. S. Maritime Service Training Ship "AMERICAN NAVIGATOR", which sailed from Baltimore, Md. The training ship, being transferred to the West Coast for training purposes, stopped at Norfolk, Va., Charlestown, S. C., and the Panama Canal and Manzanillo, Mexico, enroute to Long Beach.

Apprentice Seaman Bledsoe will graduate in the engine Department having completed the final phase of his training aboard the USMSTS AMERICAN NAVIGATOR, during its' cruize.

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FARM NEWS

Restrictions Lifted On Many Farm Items

Farmers may now construct service buildings regardless of cost without prior approval of the War Production Board. Restrictions have also been removed from remodeling and repairing of such buildings. The dollar limitations remain only on construction of farm dwellings. If the cost is in excess of $1000 per calendar year, WPB approval is still required for such a building. Applications should be filed in the usual manner at the county AAA office.

WPB Order PR-[illegible] provides means for securing building material where a farmer is not able without preference rating assistance to get items required in the minimum quantity or on the latest date practicable where the item is needed in an emergency. In such cases the farmer should appeal directly to the WPB Office for application Form 541-A.

All restrictions have been removed from copper wire and gas [illegible] Certificates are no longer required for these items.

Certificates to purchase lumber during the remainder of September [illegible] be issued by the county [illegible] office only for mainten[illegible] [illegible] emergency [illegible] after October 1, county [illegible] not issue certi[illegible] conditions. [illegible] that retail lumber [illegible] may not request [illegible] such cer[illegible] not be extended after [illegible] ember 30.

[illegible] of material for non [illegible] is expected to in[illegible] rapidly so as to be generally adequate to meet the demands. There is, consequently, no further need for general priorities assistance for non-military needs, and it is the general policy of WPB to grant such assistance only in exceptional cases.

Stickleyville Couple Celebrates Golden Wedding Anniversary

A large number of relatives and descendants gathered near the old Sage homestead at the Blue Springs Church on Sunday, September 30, to celebrate the fiftieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Sage of Stickleville.

Seven of their ten children were present. Those unable to attend were Mrs. Robert Saylor, of Rose Hill; Mrs. Albert Ragle of Church Hill, and Corporal Ralph D. Sage, now stationed in the Philippines.

After the crowd had assembled in the church yard a large cake bearing the dates 1895-1945 was brought out, bearing fifty white candles in yellow holders. Then the couple was presented with a lovely dinner set, decorated in gold, by their children. A bounteous picnic dinner was enjoyed by old and young, then followed a series of camera clickings by relatives, taking one pose of the four generations.

Mrs. Sage always enjoyed hearing her family play and sing together, so a service of old favorite hymns concluded the days' program. The couple was married at Blackwater, Virginia, on October 3, 1895, by Rev. E. A. Robinette:

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Robinette, Mrs. W. F. Saulsberry and small daughter, Delores; Miss Maxie Robinette, Mr. and Mrs. Walter T. Daugherty and three children, of Kingsport; Mrs. P. R. Ball and three children, of Haysi; Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Sage and two children, Carl Sage and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sage and daughter, Frankie, Mrs. Thelma Sage Powell and daughter, Barbara, Mrs. W. S. Sage, Mrs. Paul Sage and two children, Mrs. T. J. Fannon and daughter, Frankie, of Stickleyville, and Mr. and Mrs. Echol Legg and children, of Pattonsville.

NAVY DAY IS SUNDAY OCTOBER 21

Realizing the dependency of our arms upon divine guidance, Rear Admiral W. L. Ainsworth, USN, Commandant of the Fifth Naval District, has requested that appropriate services be conducted in the churches throughout the district on "Navy Day Sunday," October 21.

Virginia, West Virginia, Maryland and the northeastern section of North Carolina comprise the Fifth Naval District

The Commandant asks the clergy to offer a prayerful remembrance of all our men at arms, our young women in uniform, our chaplains in the Navy and a grateful tribute to the memory of those who have made the supreme sacrifice for our country.

In extending his thanks on behalf of the Navy for the steadfast devotion of our churches in providing so faithfully religious leadership to the Navy, Admiral Ainsworth said:

"In our zeal and enthusiam for the material accomplishments of the Navy, we must not be unmindful of the invaluable spiritual aids given our fighting men by the churches of America."

In his statement, Admiral Ainsworth pointed out that Navy Day, October 27, is annually given to commemorating the achievements and ideals of the men of our Navy which comprises America's first line of defense.

J. V. Young Farm Sold At Public Auction

The J. V. Young farm, near Dryden, was sold at public auction Saturday, September 29, by the Ben Johnson Land Auction Company, of Bristol, Va., for thirty-six thousand, thirty-five dollars.

This farm contained approximately 165 acres, aside from the dwellings, and has been in the family for several generations. Mr. Young, the owner, plans to go west for his health, it is reported.

Methodist Church

Sunday, October 14: Church School at 9:30 a.m., Clyde L. Kirk, Superintendent.

No preaching at morning, as pastor is away attending Conference.

Evening: Youth Fellowship Groups meet at 6:15. Preaching at 7:00 by pastor.

Midweek prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

Charlie D. Mehaffey, pastor.

Beauty hint— to acquire a charming figure, marry one.

America heard her cry

Out of what the Nazis left of Holland — the half that was still above water — came a desperate cry for help last Spring.

The Germans had taken everything — even the blankets off the sick in hospitals. They took so much food that 125 children a week were dying of hunger in Rotterdam alone. Thousands of other children were too weak even to take food.

Dutch doctors needed a new drug, called *protein hydrolysate*, which, when mixed with blood plasma and injected into the veins, could keep these children alive until they were strong enough to eat.

They sent a desperate cable to American Relief For Holland. Within 48 hours, supplies in this country and England were bought, loaded into a transport plane and sent on their way.

And the light came back into thousands of children's eyes. And into the eyes of many other people.

For, in the midst of their despair, standing in the rubble of their broken cities, this gift from America gave the Dutch new faith in mankind. It is desperately important — to their future peace and to ours — that they should have such faith.

Restoring hope to thousands who have been beaten down by the Nazis and the Japs is the job of the various allied war-relief agencies that are members of the National War Fund.

When you give to this cause through your Community War Fund, your hand doesn't stop here. It helps hand lonely G.I.'s a laugh, by sending U.S.O. entertainers overseas. It provides foster parents for the children of service men whose homes have been disrupted by war conditions, sends a visiting nurse to a new baby. In one way or another, it reaches into the lives of millions.

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Local Boards 1 and 2 Designated As U. S. Veterans Inf'n Centers

W. L. Davidson, Chairman of Local Board No. 1, and Harrison McKenzie, Chairman of Local Board No. 2, announced today that Local Board No 1, located on the second floor of the Court House at Jonesville, and Local Board No. 2, located on the second floor of the Roller Building at Pennington Gap, have been designated as official Veterans Information Centers of the United States Government.

The centers have been officially named by the Retraining and Reemployment Administration which is charged by law with the coordination of U. S. Government Agencies serving veterans. The location of the Boards as Veterans Information Centers are identified by a colorful poster bearing a large reproduction of the gold discharge emblem.

"Our Local Boards have inducted a large number of men into the Armed Forces during the last five years," said Chairmen Davidson and McKenzie. "Now we are ready to assist these same men in reestablishing themselves in civilian life if they want and need our assistance.

"Congress has provided many rights, privileges and benefits for ex-service men and women. These rights and benefits are provided by many different laws and are administered by a number of different Government Agencies. It is the purpose of our Veterans Information Centers to aid the veteran in getting to the right place and obtaining the right information so that he may take advantage of all benefits to which he is entitled."

Mr Davidson and Mr McKenzie pointed out that persons who left positions to enter the Armed Forces are entitled by law to reinstatement in their old jobs when they return, and if they fulfill certain requirements of the law. They explained that it is part of the Local Board's function to assist the veteran in asserting his reemployment rights. The Local Boards are also charged by law with rendering aid to veterans seeking new employment.

"Many Veterans, of course, will not need assistance," said Mr Davidson and Mr McKenzie, "for industry and business in general already have seen to it that their former employees in service are welcomed back to their old jobs, or better ones. But, a large number of Veterans are not familiar with their rights to reemployment and what they are entitled to in the way of preference for new jobs. Full information is available at these Local Boards and the Veteran is urged to come in and talk over his problems."

Chairmen Davidson and McKenzie said the Board also will advise and assist the Veteran with his other problems, including his insurance, G. I loans, educational opportunities and the like "All these services," they said, "are free to the Veteran for the asking, and he will find the Boards' members, reemployment committeemen, and employees ready to do the utmost to save him time and trouble in getting back in stride as a civilian."

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I am a candidate for House of Delegates, Election to be held November 6, 1945, and if successful, I will use my influence and will vote for the following measures in the House of Delegates:

1. Pensions for all teachers who have taught in the public schools for 25 years, and for pensions for all teachers who have become disabled while teaching regardless of number of years taught.
2. Better pay for teachers, with a minimum wage of $1200.00 per year, payable in 12 monthly payments.
3. If elected I will introduce a bill in the House of Delegates to have the Bible taught in all free schools; also for free school books.
4. Better roads, especially in Rural Communities.
5. Better enforcement of traffic laws, by employment of more State Highway Patrolmen.
6. Repeal of the Absent Voters Law, and payment of poll taxes as a prerequisite to voting.
7. Repeal of the State law for registration of voters as it now stands and the appointment of a Bi-partisan Registration Board for each precinct, consisting of one member from each of the two major political parties.
8. Election by the people of Judges of the Circuit Courts, Trial Justices and Superintendents of Public Instruction, including Division Superintendents.
9. Pensions for all disabled miners, their widows and orphans, the funds for this pension to be provided one-half by the employer and the other one-half by the employee. Widows to receive at least $50.00 per month for life; also old age pension for miners after attaining the age of 55 years.
10. I favor any legislation which will be for the betterment of the soldiers who are returning from the Army. They have given their time, health, and some of them their lives that we might live in freedom.

If I am successful in the election I pledge my sacred honor that I will do my utmost to have the above pledges enacted into law.

If you believe as I do, vote for me, and it will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely Yours
Fred Kirk

Paid Political Advertisement

First Baptist Church Elects New Officers

On Wednesday, September 26, the First Baptist Church, Pennington Gap, elected the following officers and teachers for the year beginning October 1, 1945:

Clerk, M. H. VanDeventer; Associate Clerk, Mrs. M. H. VanDeventer; Treasurer, E. R. Halstead, Sr.; Associate Treasurer, Mrs. E. R. Halstead, Sr.; Choir Director, B. H. Wainscott; Associate Choir Director, Mrs. Anne Hurd; Pianist, Mrs. A. T. Burchette; Associate Pianists, Mrs. Eva Carter, Mrs. P. R. Stubbs.

Board of Deacons, J. M. Anderson, A. C. Shelton, A. T. Burchette, E. R. Halstead, F. B. Parr, Jr., H. P. Billings, J. W. Quinley, J. N. Ely

Trustees, A. C. Shelton, M. J Pennington, E. R. Halstead, J. N Ely, T. L. Burchette

House Committee, J. W. Quinley, Chairman; Mrs. J. M. Anderson, F. B. Parr, Jr.

Ushers, E. R. Halstead, Sr., Chairman; J. M Anderson, F B Parr, H. P. Billings, V C. Hall, Bobby Billings, Jack Reasor, Charles Ely.

Bible School

General Superintendent, A. T. Burchette; Associate Superintendent, J. W. Quinley; General Secretary, J. M. Anderson; Associate Secretary, H. F. Meade; Chorister, Mrs. Anne Hurd; Pianist, B. H. Wainscott; Extension Department Superintendent, Mrs. V. C. Hall; Helpers, Mrs. Emma Williams, Mrs W I. Dickenson

Adult Department Superintendent, F. B. Parr; Associate Superintendent, G. F. Hall; Chorister, Mrs Anne Hurd; Secretary, Mrs Laura Quinley; Teachers, Mrs Perry R Stubbs, Mrs Anne Hurd, Mr. T L. Burchette, Mr M H VanDeventer, Mr. G. F. Hall

Young People's Department Superintendent, Mr Wayne W. Livesay; Secretary, Miss Launa Doss; Teachers, Mr E. R. Halstead, Mrs Carlos Myers

Intermediate Department Superintendent, Mrs Jamie Ball, (Temporary); Secretary, Miss Virginia Rhea Halstead; Teachers, Mrs H P Billings, Mr A C. Shelton, Mrs. W. I. Dickenson, Mr. Jack Reasor.

Junior Department Superintendent, Mrs. J. M. Anderson; Secretary, Miss Winifred Dickenson; Teachers, B. H. Wainscott, Earl Richardson, Mrs. O. H. Smallwood, Mrs. Gertrude Howard; Assistant Teacher, Mrs. Lora Wynn.

Primary Department Superintendent and Secretary, Mrs. B. H. Wainscott; Pianist, Miss Opal Pennington; Teachers, Miss Opal Pennington, Mrs E. R. Halstead, Sr.

Beginner Department Superintendent, Mrs. Bernice Cooper; Helpers, Mrs. George Williams, Mrs. Delmer Province, Mrs. Jim Collier; Secretary, Mrs. Bernice Cooper.

Cradle Roll Superintendent, Mrs. E. R. Halstead, Jr.; Helpers, Mrs. Delmer Province, Mrs. Eva Carter.

Training Union

Director, Wayne Livesay; Associate Director, F. B. Parr; Secretary, J. M. Anderson; Pianist, Mrs. E. R. Halstead, Jr.; Chorister, E. R. Halstead, Sr.; Young People's Leader, Rev. P. R. Stubbs; Intermediate Leaders, Mrs. P. R. Stubbs, Mrs. E. R. Halstead, Jr.; Helper, Mr. H. P. Billings; Junior Leaders, Miss Opal Pennington, Miss Launa Doss; Helpers, Mr. Earl Richardson, Mrs. Lora Wynn; Story Hour Leaders, Mrs. Bernice Cooper, Mrs. E. R. Halstead, Sr.; Helpers, Mrs Delmer Province, Mrs. H. P. Billings.

HIS HOME

Our soldier lad came home today,
Home from the war
Home to stay.

The family and I had driven out to meet
Our seventeenth bus within a week—

For a week ago he had called to say
"Arrived today in the U.S.A.

I warned myself when I saw the bus stop
'Just someone been to town to shop"

But wonders of wonders — Oh God! it was he
Whom we had so longed for three long years to see.

His smile was the same and he looked quite gay
It had seemed so long I'd feared he'd be grey

I forgot all the things I had planned to say,
For awhile (sounds silly) 'twas tears held away

But finally with everyone 'round wishing luck
We had loaded ourselves and the bags in the truck

Arriving at home the house seemed to smile
Though I'm really quite sure 'twas the same all the while.

The supper— the chicken— the ham were the best
But less-tasted food was for me never blessed

Around the wood fire we are gathered again,
As we've dreamed it would be all just the same
I have scribbled with pen these words you have read
And to the God of all a prayer I have said

For our soldier lad came home today
Home from the war
Home to stay

Tony

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 3 day of October, 1945,

Ruth Hall Doyle, who sues by E B. Hall, her next friend, Complainant

vs. Order of Publication

Willie Ralph Doyle, Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on ground of desertion, and custody of Judith Irene Doyle, infant daughter, and an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Willie Ralph Doyle is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address is 1485 Poplar Avenue, Memphis, Tenn., it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and a weekly newspaper published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia

Teste

VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p.q. L M Robinette
Adv. No. 41 4t-pd.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 26th day of September, 1945.

Golden Noel Colwell, Complainant

vs. Order of Publication

Paul Henry Colwell, Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce A Vinculo Matrimonii. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Paul Henry Colwell, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address is General Delivery, Louisville, Ky., it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:

VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D. C.
p. q. Guy A. Kauffman.
Adv. No. 39-4t.

CPL. LAMBERT "KEEPS GOING"

The following lines come from Cpl. Warren Lambert, one of our former Lee County farmer boys, and graduate of Pennington High School:

Mr. Sam C. Blackwell, Editor,
The Powell Valley News,
Pennington Gap, Virginia

Dear Mr. Blackwell:

Just a few lines to give you my new address and APO number. It seems as if I will never settle down to a permanent location. When I last wrote you I was on Saipan Island, of the Marianas group Now I've jumped a good distance farther away from dear old Pennington Gap to Okinawa Island of the Rynkyus group

I've been receiving the PVN. regularly It really hits the high spots, next to getting letters from the folk at home. The PVN gives us fellows just the right dope, the whereabouts, etc., of our friends back there, some of whom were school mates in PHS. Just keep the good work up. We will all be back very soon, we hope. You and your staff have done a splendid job of getting the paper out to the subscribers in the Armed forces.

Thanking you, and with best personal regards:

Cpl. Warren Lambert.

American Legion Sponsor Program At Bullitt Park

The American Legion will sponsor a program to be held at Bullitt Park, Big Stone Gap, Va., Saturday, October 13.

The afternoon program will start at 2 p. m. Evening program at 8 p. m., under football lights.

The progham will include one of the most popular units from the Grand Ole Opry, WSM. Cousin Wilber and his Tennessee Mountaineers, who have been featured with Bill Monroe and his Blue Grass Boys and are well known throughout this section. He has a high class bunch of entertainers appearing with him.

A Bull Riding contest has been added to the program which promises something new for the folks who like real fun and amusement.

$5.00 in cash will be offered for anyone who can ride the bull for one minute.

Cowboys from the Twin City Rodeo will be on hand to give "Tojo" a ride.

LOCAL BOYS IN STARS AND STRIPES

A recent issue of The Stars and Stripes pictures Cpl. Dewey Roberts, of Pennington Gap, and Cpl. Elmer Echols, of St. Charles as they appeared on a rugged hillside in Okinawa, trying to persuade some Nips to come out of their cave and surrender.

"A dangerous task," the paper commented.

Cpl. Roberts is the son of Mrs. Hubert Leach of Pennington Gap. He is now serving with the U. S. Army in China.

She: "Is my face dirty, or is it my imagination?"

He: "Your face is clean; I don't know about your imagination."

Junior Musicians Reorganize For Ensuing Year

The members of the "Pennington Junior Musicians Club," met on Friday afternoon, September 28, for the purpose of reorganizing.

The following officers were elected for the coming school year: President, Gene Phillip Reasor; Vice-President, Mildred Kelly; Secretary, Mary Lee Carpenter; Treasurer, Virginia Rhea Halstead; Reporter, Gwendolyn Barr.

The members decided to meet on the second Monday evening in each month.

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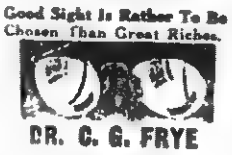

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Social and Personal

"Goodluck dinner"

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Overbay invited Rev. and Mrs. C. D. Mehaffey, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Richards and Mrs. Etta Green out to take dinner with them Monday. It was a "goodluck dinner", they said, because last year the Mehaffeys were with them for dinner on the last day before Conference, and were returned to Pennington for another year, and they, with all the rest, are hoping for the same good luck this year.

Mrs. John Queener and children, of St. Charles, were called to Jacksboro, Tenn., last week on account of the death of Mr. Queener's father.

S. Sgt. Paris Lockhart, who has been stationed at Baton Rouge, La., stopped in Pennington this week to say hello to friends. He was enroute to his home in Hurley, Va. Sgt. Lockhart plans to enter L. S. U., when discharged.

Lt. and Mrs. Claude Davis were visiting with Mrs. Osa Hargraves and Margueritte this week. Lt. Davis has been stationed at Dayton, Ohio, and is being transferred to Florida. Mrs. Davis will stay awhile with her mother, Mrs. Ruth Hargraves, of Rose Hill.

Class party

The monthly meeting of the Ladies' Bible Class met with Mrs. T. B. Quinley, Tuesday night, and enjoyed an evening of devotion, fellowship, recreation, and refreshments. In keeping with the Hallowe'en motif, a special feature of the recreation was "The Chamber of Horrors," where some spooky folk were retired.

These included Blue Beard, who perched boldly in a high seat in the corner; the "heads" of some of his murdered wives hanging to the blood-splotched curtain; the ghost who gave the guests an icy handshake; the witch just ready to take off on her broom, and others.

Don't fail to see—"Son of Lassie" (in technicolor) coming to Lee Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, October 15 and 16.

Mrs Christine Bowman was here from Knoxville over the week end visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs C W. Adams and family, especially with her new niece, Mary Jane Tueting, born October 3, to Mr and Mrs Wilbert Tueting. Christine is back at her former place of employment with the Tennessee Coach Company, Knoxville Mrs Tueting, formerly Miss Mary Adams, and the new baby will leave shortly for Cincinnati, where Mr. Tueting holds a position with a Hardware Company.

October, with it's warm, crispy nights, seems to have pepped folk up a bit, for they've been enjoying ever so many social gatherings recently Among them are

Indoor picnic

This was given by the Methodist choir at the home of Mr and Mrs J B Tipton last Friday evening. Food was served from individual tables, and the entertainment consisted of hymn practice, fellowship, and forming plans for the coming year

Rev P. R. Stubbs plans to attend a board meeting in Richmond next week, and will also be in Charlottesville

Hamburger fry

Misses June and Cora Lewis entertained a few friends at an outdoor hamburger fry at their home a few evenings ago The guests included Mr and Mrs. O E. Willis and little daughter, Dr and Mrs McDaniel, Mr and Mrs. J. G. Overbay.

Family reunion

The family and relatives of Mrs. Emma Stewart and the late E. P. Stewart had a reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Travis in West Pennington Sunday, October 7. The occasion had a two-fold purpose, that of enjoying the fellowship of each other, and honoring Pfc. Fred Stewart, who will soon be leaving to re-enter U. S. Army service. Fred served in the War period and for some time was held prisoner by the Germans, but, though honorably discharged, decided he would try another term.

Also Mrs. Stewart's grandson, John Rasnic, came in for his share of the honor, as he too, has just returned from service. In all, there were thirty-two guests. They had just worlds of good things to eat, made pictures of the group, and enjoyed an all-round good time.

Mrs Lether Baker is back at her post with the Local Board office, after a vacation trip with her husband to New York and other points.

Mr and Mrs. C M Maddie, of St. Charles, recently enjoyed a visit from Mrs Maddie's father, J. C Butler, her uncle, Wade Butler, and son, Billy, of Seattle, Wash. They are former residents of Lee County, and this is the first trip back here in seven years for her father, and forty-five years for the uncle.

Mrs E. W Pennington is here from Oak Ridge, visiting her son, W R Pennington and other relatives

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Miss Jane Lewis is in Richmond this week, attending a district meeting of the Natural Tunnel District, P T A

Drucilla King, Cadet Nurse at Knoxville General Hospital, is home on a 28 day vacation.

Mrs Ralph Stone and daughter, Marcia Gail, of Louisville, visited at the home of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. Y Brown, of Benedict, last week.

Mrs. Stone and Miss Mildred Brown were visiting in Harlan, the first of the week.

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Spaghetti supper

Miss Claudia Sheeley, noted "spaghetti expert" entertained the following at her home Friday night with one of her spaghetti suppers: Misses Virginia Green, Amy Jo Pennington, Doris Rhea Green, Virginia Tipton and Mrs. James P. Legg.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rasnic and son, T-5 Fred Rasnic, of Appalachia, visited Mrs Rasnic's mother, Mrs. E. P. Stewart and other relatives last week T-5 Rasnic has been in Italy for several months.

S Sgt Ralph Stewart, son of Mr and Mrs Clarence Stewart, of Bonny Blue, is home with an honorable discharge after serving his Country in the European Theatre of War three and one half years

Pvt Reed Bailey, whose home is on Stone Creek, and Pvt. Bobby Carroll, son of Mr. and Mrs J. M. Carroll of Pennington Gap, is on the "furlough list" and are spending the time with their homefolk They will be here 14 days, after which they will report to Ft. Meade, Maryland, for reassignment.

Mrs. A. D Johnson and son, Jimmy, left last week for Fort Riley, Kan., where they will join Lt. A. D. Johnson, who is stationed there.

Grubb—Orr

Mrs. Vivian C. Grubb, of Tazewell, Virginia, announces the marriage of her daughter, Vivian Jeanne, to Mr. Roscoe S. Orr, of Pennington Gap, Virginia.

The simple and impressive ceremony took place at the North Tazewell Methodist Church, at 1:30 p.m. September 29, with the Rev. J. O. Spurlin officiating. Members and friends of the two families were in attendance.

The bride wore a light weight wool suit in a light blue, with black accessories. Her flowers were a shoulder bouquet of pink rose buds.

Mrs. Orr is the only daughter of Mrs. Vivian C. Grubb, of Tazewell, and attended Virginia Polytechnic Institute.

The bridegroom is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Orr of Pennington Gap, and conducts a merchantile business on Route 2.

After the ceremony a luncheon was given, the guests being limited to the immediate family and close friends of the bride and bridegroom.

Out of town guests were Mrs. Vivian Grubb, mother of the bride; Mrs W. F. Barker, sister of the bridegroom, of St. Charles Mrs. W L. Orr and Mrs. J. G Orr, Pennington Gap; Mrs H. W. Foost and Miss Edna McGuire, of Tazewell, Va., Mrs. J. O. Spurlin, North Tazewell, Va., and Mr. Thomas A. Lawrence, Radford, Va.

After a short trip the couple will be at home at Pennington Gap.

Grusenberry-Suttle

Mr and Mrs. Wm. Grusenberry, of St. Charles, announce the marriage of their daughter, Vera E., to Mr. Charles E. Suttle, of Gate City, Saturday, September 29.

The wedding took place at 10 a.m. in Gate City, with the Rev K G Munsey officiating.

The bridegroom has recently been released from the U S Army under the point system, after a service of five years, three of which were spent over-seas.

The couple will make their home in Gate City

Pvt. Arthur Livesay, who is stationed at Biloxi, Miss., is here for a furlough visit with his wife, formerly Miss Bette Rhea Stout, and his parents, Mr and Mrs. W. B. Livesay.

Capt. Carl Arnold is spending a leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Arnold, of R. 2, and other relatives. Captain Arnold has been overseas for a period of three and one half years, and at the completion of his 45-day leave will report to Alabama for reassignment.

Pvt. Price Williams has returned to Fort Meade, Md., where he is stationed, after spending a furlough here with his mother, Mrs. Iva Williams.

Doris Rhea Green, of London, Ky., has returned home after a week's visit with Mrs. James P. Legg and Virginia Green.

Mrs. O. R. Parsons and daughter, Davene, of Nashville, are spending a few days with Mrs. Parsons' parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Rogers.

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Town Talk

About This, That, And The Other

"One person possesses as much human nature as another, if not a little bit more."
—Henry Thoreau.

About People

Back of the headlines of today, from back across the years, memories of people, places and scenes still live in our thoughts. In visiting and "knockin' around" with people we learn many interestng stories and events about their parents, grandparents or early ancestors; some of them just little human interest stores that go to make up the average life.

We shall devote at least a part of our town talk column each week for awhle to the stories we remember or have gathered.

The School House on the Hill

One of my early recollections of Pennington Gap is the little school house then located on "Reservoir Hill", above the present home site of J. O. Gibson. There were two main class rooms, and a third smaller room where a class was held sometimes, and where the students deposited their hats, coats, and what nots. This schoolhouse was later abandoned for the bigger and better school known as L. B. I. (Lee Baptist Institute), which was built in the center of the premises surrounding Lee General Hosptal. Some of the nice large shade trees still standing on these premises were set out by young folk who attended L. B. I.

Lee General Hospital is the former girls' dormitory, improved, expanded, modernized. Likewise, the present nurses' home is where the boys' dormitory used to be. L. B. I. flourished for awhile and young folk from the rural areas would camp each year in the little cottages built on the premises, to attend the school sessions. Unfortunately L. B. I. was destroyed by fire in the year 1931. By that time the present High School was in operation, but not on the full scale that it is today.

Now back to the school house on the hill; One of the former principals of the school was Prof. W. S. Cox, of Jonesville, Rt. 4, and he rode to and from the school on horseback, for cars were then rare and buses unknown.

Among the later teachers were J. G. Overbay, one of our present day citizens, and A. G. Beeler, of somewhere in Tennessee. They were very young men then, just out of college. Rev. Charles Stuart, at that time pastor of the Baptist Church here, met them at L. M. U., took a great liking to them and persuaded them to come to Pennington Gap to teach. They boarded at the home of the

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Lee County Teachers Get In The Movies

A large number of Lee County public school teachers are in the movies, without so much as having to go to Hollywood. The camera clicked on them as they filed out of the Jonesville High School Building, Saturday, October 13, at the close of the Teachers' Meeting.

The pictures were made by Martin L. Hogan, State Supervisor Bureau of Teaching Material, Richmond, Va., who attended the meeting and gave demonstrations on audio visual education. Mr. Hogan used in his demonstration a sound projector, two silent projectors, one silent film projector. Pictures of the teachers will be used in the State program of Moving Pictures.

Various teachers and speakers took part, and the music was directed by Mrs. R. C. Carter, with special music by the Jonesville Choral Club.

In the afternoon session the following officers were elected: President, C. R. Sprinkle; Vice-President, W. I. Dickenson; Secretary, Miss Ruth Fulton.

The report of the Resolutions Committee was read and adopted.

The Meeting was well attended and very helpful, Superintendent S. J. Shelburne states.

Two Seriously Hurt In Automobile Wreck

Boy Scout Court Honor Presented October 12

Pennington Gap Troop 82, Boy Scouts of America, presented their Court of Honor, at the First Baptist Church, Friday evening, October 12, at 7:30. Twenty-one boys of the Scout Troop and eight of the Cub Pack took part. A number of parents and friends of the boys were present.

After the opening invocation by the pastor, Rev. P. R. Stubbs, and songs by the congregation, the charter presentation was made to Rev. P. R. Stubbs, president of the Lions Club, sponsor of the Troop, by Harold G. Hayes, Council Executive, Lonesome Pine Council, Boy Scouts of America, of Pikeville, Ky. Rev. Stubbs then presented the Troop a Scout flag, a gift of the Lions Club, donated to the Club by Jake Chinsky.

Montague Anderson presented certificates to Scout Master Claude Grace, Jack Pearce, Frank B. Parr, Jr., Jake Chinsky, Dr. J. H. Dellinger and Guy Kauffman. The Troop presentation was made by Sam C. Blackwell. Frank B. Parr, Jr., received three new Scouts in the investiture ceremony.

Dr. M. H. Robbins presented Second Class Scout Badges to the following boys: Tom Geisler, Jackie Stout, Earl Stidham, Randolph Kesner, Johnnie Bailey, Billy Bolling, Jr., and Jimmy Smallwood.

Guy A. Kauffman presented First Class Badges to John Culbertson, Sonny Hays, Gentry Scroggs, Ben Ellis Pitts, Jack Shelton, Jimmy Fletcher, Wendell Snapp and Billy Gordon Howard.

Merit Badges were presented by Dr. J. H. Dellinger to Jay Graham, Bobby Billings, Charles

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Benefit Party Given By Woman's Club

The St. Charles Women's Club held it's regular meeting on Thursday, October 11, at the home of Mrs. Mahoney, at Bonny Blue.

Plans were made for the benefit card and game party which was given the following night. There were 100 people present and the Club wishes to thank the public for the fine cooperation in the Club's first attempt to raise money for civic purposes.

The next meeting will be the second Thursday at the Home Ec. Cottage, with Mrs. Willard Barker, Mrs. W. G. Frazier and Miss Hazel Peters as hostesses.

Jonesville Woman's Club Hold Meeting

The Jonesville Woman's Club met at 7:30 p. m., October 11, 1945, in the Home Economics Cottage, with the President, Mrs. R. C. Carter, presiding.

The program leader for the meeting was Mrs. B. D. Ferrill. The subject for discussion was International Relations. The guest speakers were Senator L. M. Robinette and Rev. J. C. Jackson. Senator Robinette gave a very interesting discourse on the subject of Russia giving the historical background of that country and leading up to it's probable present and future economical plans and their relation to our own and other countries of the world. Rev. Jackson very ably discussed China. He stressed the sending of missionaries to that country in order that they may be Christianized as fast as possible. He pointed out that our influence in China is strong at this time and that a strong feeling of friendship prevailed in that nation toward us.

About eighteen members of the club were present. The social hour following the program was very greatly enjoyed, perhaps because everyone had eaten so bountifully of the delicious refreshments served by the hostesses, Mrs. Mary Ellis Martin, Mrs. Maude Cridlin, Mrs. Vesta Sewell and Miss Jamie Davidson.

Cars Collide At Intersection Near Jonesville

The collision of two automobiles occurring shortly after dark last night caused serious injuries to two and minor injuries to two or three others, all young men.

Floyd Roberts, of the Long Hollow Community, is in Lee General Hospital with serious cuts about the face and head. He was unable to give any substantial accounts of the affair. He said the first thing he knew after it happened he found himself in Lee General Hospital.

He is reported to have been driving one of the cars, a Chevrolet, going toward Middlesboro when it collided with a Ford coming in an easterly direction. The affair happened near the Old Martins School House where the Chestnut Ridge road intersects with the Highway.

Fred Roberts, Floyd's brother, stated that Roscoe Goins, 22, and Arthur Wilder, 25, both discharged sailors of Jonesville, were in the car with Floyd, and were injured, but not seriously. This was corroborated at the hospital where their wounds were dressed.

The names of the driver and occupants of the Ford have not been learned, other than that of Thomas Grayson, 22, of St. Charles. He was the most seriously injured of all, Lee General authorities state, and after spending the night at the hospital he was transferred to the Veterans Hospital at Roanoke.

Landreth and Parsons To Speak At Jonesville

The Lee County Republican Executive Committee, of which W. M. Bellamy is Chairman, and Miss Meda Parsons Secretary, announces that Senator Floyd M. Landreth, Republican Candidate for Governor, and the Hon. Lester Parsons, Candidate for Attorney General, will speak at the Courthouse, Jonesville, Va., Monday, October 22, at 7:00 p. m., E. S. T.

Also Fred Kirk, Republican Candidate for the House of Delegates from Lee County, will appear on the program.

The public, regardless of party affiliations, is cordially invited to attend this meeting and hear the issues of the campaign ably discussed.

Pre-Induction Call For October, Board No. 1

Selective Service Board No. 1, Jonesville, Lee County, Va., lists the following registrants who will fill the Pre-induction call for October, 1945:

Berny Duel Ferrill, Jr., Jonesville; Hagan Earl Collins, R. 1, Jonesville; James Howard Brooks, Ewing; James Carson Sturgill, Blackwater; Thomas James Moles, Rose Hill; James Cellis Clifton, Hubbard Springs; Lee Emerson Willis, R. 1, Ewing; Junior George Penley, R. 2, Rose Hill; Emanuel Patrick, Jonesville; Eules Eck Long, Rose Hill; Jay Harold Miles, Jonesville; James Clyde Shackleford, Rose Hill; Chester Ray Baumgardner, Rose Hill; Leonard S. Thomas, Ewing; Otis Ayers, Gibson Station; Grover Collins, R. 1, Jonesville; Thomas Edward Shell, Jr., Jonesville.

Lee Co. Assignments Of Methodist Pastors

Methodist Pastors in the Holston Conference will, on next Sunday, October 21, enter upon a new year of pastoral work, whether it be a reassignment to their former church or a new charge.

Appointments were made at the Annual Conference which convened at Chattanooga, Tenn., October 10-13, with Bishop Paul B. Kern, of Nashville, presiding

Rev. Roy E. Early, of Big Stone Gap, was retained as District Superintendent of Big Stone Gap District, which includes Lee County.

Rev. Charlie D. Mehaffey was returned to Pennington Gap for the fifth consecutive year; Rev. L. D. Perkins was reappointed to Jonesville for his fourth year; Rev. E. Z. Blankenbeckler, of Bristol, goes to St. Charles to succeed Rev. C. R. McPherson, who is now in the evangelistic work; Rev. R. B. Tickle was returned to Stickleyville circuit; Rev. E. R. Lewis goes to Bonny Blue to succeed Rev. T. R. Roach, who was transferred to Lafollette; Rose Hill circuit to be supplied by Rev. M. H. Rambo; East Stone Gap and Dryden, Rev. J. S. Peebles; Ewing, Rev. Horace C. Jones.

Knoxville churches will be hosts to the Holston Conference October 10-13, 1946.

Mrs. Young Hurt In Fall

Mrs. Elizabeth Young is confined to her bed this week as the result of a fall at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy King, where she makes her home, early Sunday morning, October 14.

The accident occurred in her room.

Bonny Blue Girl Scout Troop Makes Progress

The Girl Scouts of Bonny Blue are becoming very progressive and outstanding. They have accomplished several things during the past few months which has proved that the Girl Scout Organization is very helpful to a community.

The project chosen by the girls for the summer was HOBBIES. Each girl making a scrap book of her favorite hobby. The following hobbies were selected by the girls:

Cooking, Sewing, Poetry, Pets, Music, Home Decorating and Gardening.

The activities of the Girl Scouts during the summer months consisted of hikes, weiner roasts, studying their hand book, re-memorizing the Girl Scout Promise and Laws, cleaning the Girl Scout cabin and camping out at night.

A written test has been given to all the girls, and Girl Scout pins have been awarded them.

With $70.00 in the treasury, the Scouts decided to buy Scout uniforms. The uniforms have been received and the girls are very much pleased with them.

The Troop is now working on its Needle Craft Badge, with Mrs. Clifford Fritts as their director. They are crocheting wool tams and mittens to match.

The Troop was given a chance to show cooperation when the Woman's Club, at their Benefit Bridge in the High School at St. Charles, used their help, in return the Club gave a cake walk for the Scouts which profited $3 30.

Air Medal With Gold Star Awarded Quinley

William Quinley, AMM 2-C., and combat airman on an Avenger torpedo bomber, has been awarded the Air Medal with a gold star, for duty involving carrier task force attacks on the Japanese Homeland.

Rear Admiral Hogan, in making the award, cited Quinley "for distinguishing himself by meritorious attacks while participating in aerial flights in operation against the enemy in the vicinity of Kyushu, Okinawa and Honshu."

"As gunner on a carrier-based plane during the period May 13 to August 13, 1945, he participated in 10 strikes against enemy shipping, airfields and installations, inflicting extensive damage," the citation reads.

Quinley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William J. Quinley, live at R. 2, Jonesville, Va. He was attending High School in Harrogate, Tenn., when he joined the Navy on Nov. 22, 1943.

St. Charles Miners Win Championship

Smash Dunbar 12 - 9 For Title In Final Tilt Sunday

"King Tutty" Stapleton's slugging St. Charles Miners are the 1945 champions of the Lonesome Pine League. Shivering beneath a canopy of misty cold dark clouds as a thousand fans built up fires around the base lines at Dunbar, the Miners fought viciously to come from behind to sweep the final series game from the strong Dunbar nine by a heavy score of 12 to 9.

The Miners won the pennant in the tri-county, two state league by ending the season at the top of the standing with 17 wins against three losses for quite a dandy record. They kept the pace in stride by taking four out of four from Jonesville and Dunbar to sweep the shaughnassy and final playoff to become full fledged champions of 1945. This incidentally was their second title in succession, having won out last year copping both the pennant and championship in the fast Lonesome. This distinguishes the Miners as one of the best semi-pro clubs in this section of the south.

Dunbar out hit the Miners by virtue of one blow, they collected 14 hits off Skiles and Walker while the Miners were pounding Stanley for 13, errors were baffling on both sides, contributing to the larger score. Skiles started on the mound for St. Charles, hurting his arm and giving way to the veteran Red Walker in the first inning with 4 runs crossing the pan.

Salty Foster led the Miners' hitting with 3 hits for 4 trips to the plate, Shelburne, Pannell, Litton and Pope collected 2 each with Pope clouting a long homer across the river far deep in centerfield.

Peters led the offensive slugging for Dunbar with 3 for 5, with Stallard, Moreleck and McConnell coming up with 2 each. McConnell was badly injured in the fifth inning, fracturing an ankle as he stumbled into first, he was rushed to the hospital.

St. Charles opened the first inning with two runs, Dunbar came back with four, St. Charles added another in the third, and tied the game at 4-4 in the fourth when Pope clouted a long homer with the bases empty. Dunbar rallied again in the latter part of the fourth to make it 6-4. St. Charles came back in the first of the seventh with three to take a one run lead, they added another in the eighth then came through with four in the ninth. Dunbar rallied again in the ninth to send three across the pan as the game ended with a frigid encounter going for the Lee Countians as the Wise County boys headed for home to deposit their uniforms in moth balls until another year.

Betting on the game reached an outrageous stage, at least $1,500.00 changed hands.

Benedict Unearths Coal Loaded 21 Years Ago

Williams Gets Present Pay Scale For Car

The urgent demand for more coal from a nation whose furnaces are cooling by the thousands each day as their bins run empty, prompted Superintendent Bob Fortner of Benedict Mine No. 7, to order a car of coal unearthed and delivered to the tipple which was loaded 21 years ago.

Foremen and employees had informed Mr. Fortner that they had found a car fully loaded in an old deserted section of the mines that had been abandoned several years ago. After cutting through falling slate to it, they found it in good condition and undamaged, though off the rails on the ties, after having dreined off several hundred tons of water that had preserved it all these years.

Fortner had them remove the slate and uncap the old section, thus removing the car outside to the shop for inspection.

Fortner found it was loaded in the fall of 1924 by E. E. Williams, of near Jonesville. The same Mr. Williams is still an employee of Benedict at the same mines. The car was made of wood, (present mine cars are all made of steel); it was fully preserved with all mechanical and movable parts still in good working order, even the ball bearings in the wheels functioned well. The miner's check No. 89, the number that Mr. Williams maintained in 1924 was still on the car, thus assuring that he was the right man who should lay claim to it and now receive pay for a job long done.

Mr. Fortner ordered pay for it at the present day wage scale of 80.9 cents per ton. It weighed 5400 pounds. At the scale of 1924, Mr. Williams would have received $1.81 for it at a pay rate of 67 cents per ton. At the

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Sportsmen Meet To Form Izaak Walton League

Monday evening, October 15, sportsmen of Lee County gathered in Pennington Gap to form a Lee County Chapter of the Izaak Walton League of America.

This is an organization of many thousands of members throughout the country whose object is to conserve and propogate the wild life and game fish of all communities and to actively assist those who feel that help is needed in that direction. Those who know feel that the situation in Lee County in this regard is very bad, and it is felt by organizing such a chapter here a great stride will be made toward remedying a condition which is rapidly growing worse. Anyone who is interested in joining the organization and all sportsmen are invited to do so, should get in touch with either E. T. Barker, President, at Bonny Blue, or any of the members whose names follow.

Application has been made for a charter and all who join before November 1st will be privileged to sign the charter. Charter night will be announced at a later date.

The following have joined the League at this time:

Allen Jones, D. V. Richmond, O. M. Hyatt, T. B. Fugate, A. N. Smalley, Wheeler Kesterson, W. G. Frazier, H. L. Tiller, W. F. Barker, H. M. Mahoney, W. H. Fleenor, E. T. Barker.

L. G. Cress, M. E. Flanary, J. T. Watson, R. E. Beeler, Jr., Dillard Ball, Sam C. Blackwell, C. M. Grace, Dr. G. B. Setzler, F. N. Gibson, C. E. Redwine, Dr. M. H. Robbins, Will Copeland and W. A. Miracle.

Perle Stewart is being missed from town. He is at Excelsior Springs, Mo., for health benefits.

Mrs. Julian King, Charlene and Jimmie, were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Overbay last week end.

Mrs. Richardson Is Home From Hospital

Mrs. Earl Richardson is back from the University Hospital at Charlottesville, where she underwent a very serious operation. Reports state that Mrs. Richardson's condition is improved but that she will probably be confined to her bed for some time yet.

Local Residential Property Transferred

Pennington Gap residential property was "moving all about" last week. The following transfers are reported:

The C. F. McPherson residence in East Pennington was sold to Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Shelburne; the McPhersons bought the home formerly owned and occupied by Dan Shackleford and family; the Shacklefords bought the property on River Road, just outside Pennington Gap, recently purchased by Frank Smalley; E. S. Vaughan and family who have been living on Stone Creek, will soon move into the property they recently purchased from E. J. Poe, about the center of town, just opposite Dr. Robbins' home.

LONESOME PINE LEAGUE CHAMPIONS OF 1945

The St. Charles Miner's Baseball Team

The St. Charles Miners Club of the Lonesome Pine League came up with their second consecutive championship in a two year period, having won out last year, repeating in 1945 with 21 wins out of 24 games.

The team: Top row, left to right, Manager Ted "King Tut" Stapleton, Jimmy Shelburne, Charley Wooliver, Glenn Hensley, Herman Stallard, Virgil Q. Wacks, Elton "Sheik" Collins.

Bottom row, left to right, Dame Pannell, Conn Holman, Hack Pope, Red Walker, Salty Foster, Ess Pennington. Red Skiles, Pearl Scott and Litton [redacted] not present when picture was made.

Lee County Men Who Have Been Discharged From Armed Forces

We wish to advise all employers of the following Lee County men who have been separated from the services of the Armed Forces of the United States. Re-employment Committeeman Cam J. Lewis, of the Local Selective Service Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, Va., or Miss Marie McNiel, chief clerk Selective Service Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va., will gladly assist employers in contacting men.

Mr. Lewis may be reached at Local Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, Va., and Miss McNiel at Local Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va.

A list of Lee County men discharged from the Armed Forces will appear in this newspaper each week as they are furnished to us by the two Local Selective Service Boards in the County.

Kenneth W. Andis, Bristol; William B. Blessing, Ewing; James H. Bruner, Baxter, Ky.; Baker Bowen, R. 1, Blackwater; Charles F. Chadwell, Ewing; Homer Collins, Blackwater; John F. Davis, R. 2, Jonesville; Ben Eldridge, Ewing; James F. Ely, R. 4, Jonesville; William E. Evans, R. 1, Rose Hill; Henry R. Gibbons, R. 2, Jonesville; White C. Gregory, Rose Hill; Timothy J. Hall, Jonesville; Paul Harbor, Jonesville; James E. Harris, R. 1, Ewing; Lester Hensley, Jonesville; Elmer P. Jerrell, R. 1, Jonesville; Willis B. Krick, Oconita; Otto M. Ledford, Jonesville; Harvey Loop, Gibson Station; Creed E. Elkins, Jonesville; Jules K. Fee, Bluff City, Tenn. Paul H. O'dell, Cumberland, Gap, Tenn.; William P. Pridemore, Gibson Station; Ransome Scalf, Fairview; Justice Harvey Scott, Rose Hill; Palmer P. Scott, R. 1, Rose Hill; Lester Stewart, Rose Hill; Arthur Boyd Wilder, R. 2, Jonesville; James I. Williams, Jonesville; Columbus P. Gibson, R. 2, Jonesville; James A. Gibson, Rose Hill; Austin Gilliam, Blackwater; Herble Gilliam, Blackwater; Bascom E. Glass, R. 1, Blackwater.

Martin V. Green, R. 1, Jonesville; William O. Greer, Jonesville; Raymond Grubb, R.4, Jonesville; Champ Hall, Ben Hur; Oscar Hall, R. 4, Jonesville; Walter H. Hall, Gibson Station; Milford Harbor, Hubbard Springs; James F. Harrison, R. 2, Jonesville; Don R. Hawkins, Hubbard Springs; Hollise L. Hamblin, R. 1, Rose Hill; John Clifton Holmes, R. 4, Jonesville; John H. Irvin, Gibson Station; Smith Jenkins, Ewing; Elmer P. Jerrell, Jonesville; Charles W. Jones, R. 2, Jonesville; White L. Jones, R. 2, Rose Hill; Charles Kinsley, Blackwater; David B. Lambert, R. 3, Jonesville; Dana H. Louthern, R. 1, Ewing; Eugene Carroll Maness, R. 1, Blackwater; James Marshall, Jonesville; Herbert Matlock, R. 2, Rose Hill; Robert P. Montgomery, Rose Hill; William G. Neal, R. 2, Rose Hill; Crockett F. Osborne, Blackwater; Wesley J. Owens, R. 2, Jonesville; James J. Perez, R.1, Ewing; Shelby J. Quinley, Jonesville; William Ethan Quinley, Jonesville; James W. Ramsey, Rose Hill; Kay Roberts, R. 1, Blackwater.

John S. Robinson, Ewing; Woodrow D. Rose, Jonesville; James H. Scott, Rose Hill; Charles W. Shackleford, Rose Hill; Moses P. Smith, R. 2, Jonesville; Melvin A. Speaks, Ewing; Robert E. Sutton, Ewing; Clyde B. Williams, Rose Hill; Willie P. Wynn, Jonesville; Willie Parson Kelly, Ewing; Howard Kirk, Jonesville; Kenneth K. Skeen, Ben Hur; Eugene R. Eagle, Ewing; Bishop Bailey, R. 4, Jonesville; Charles G. Blakemore, R. 3, Jonesville; Calvin L. Campbell, Rose Hill; James W. Carmony, Ewing; Harding L. Carroll, Hubbard Springs; Willie Chadwell, Ewing; Lee Roy Cheek, Rose Hill; Oscar Ely, R. 2, Rose Hill; Harvey C. Fee, Rose Hill; Otis E. Fisher, Ben Hur; Estel Fletcher, Rose Hill; Cardon A. Fletcher, Rose Hill; Harry M. Fugate, Ewing; William H. Hall, Hubbard Springs; Roy C. Harris, Ewing; Birgus M. Hensley, R.2, Jonesville; Dave H. Eagle, R. 1, Pennington Gap; Robert B. Blair, Gibson Station; Noel Lee, R. 2, Rose Hill; Paris W. Louthen, R. 1, Ewing; Gleese C. Williams, R. 2, Jonesville; Frank J. Poteet, R. 1, Jonesville

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FARM NEWS

Veterans of World War II who have returned to farms may be assisted in procuring new farm machinery and equipment. The regulation, which became effective June 25, provides that such assistance be furnished by the Triple-A committee in the county in which the farm is located.

Veterans' Preference Certificates will be issued by the county office upon application by the veteran. The veteran must own a farm, operate a farm as a tenant, or be a sharecropper. Also, the items applied for must be urgently needed by the veteran for the purpose of establishing or re-establishing himself as a farmer. Prior to filing application for a preferance certificate, a diligent effort must be made to obtain the equipment or machinery to meet the needs of the veteran.

Regulations provide that machinery and equipment dealers must honor the veteran's certificates, and must sell to the veteran in preferance to all other orders. If a veteran wishes to place an order for equipment described on a preferance certificate, the dealer will accept such order and certificate even though the item of equipment is not in the dealer's stock at that time.

The dealer may refuse to honor a certificate if the veteran is unwilling or unable to meet the regularly established price and terms of sale or payment for the equipment.

This order is intended to render real assistance to farmers who are veterans of World War II, and who are handicapped in establishing themselves as farmers due to inability to obtain necessary equipment. The office of the county AAA committee will furnish all possible assistance in such cases. The service has already been used in a number of cases throughout the State.

795 Negroes. In the field of juvenile commitments there was a total net decrease of 132. However, 4,219 arrests were made during the year for children under eighteen years of age.

47,367 persons were arrested during the year for offenses against decency and good order, such as drunkenness, drunk and disorderly, bigamy, adultery, prostitution, neglect, cruelty to children, etc.

Crimes listed as offenses against persons, including assault, kidnapping, robbery, extortion, etc., accounted for the arrests of 7,934 persons. Offenses against property, arson, burglary, larceny, embezzlement, shop lifting, etc., were the cause of arrest of 6,987 persons.

The youngest person to be jailed in the State during the year was a seven-year-old white boy who was committed for an offense against decency and good order, while two other boys of ten years of age were jailed for being drunk and disorderly.

Pvt. Kenneth Goins, of Camp Blanding, Fla., son of Mrs. John Goins, is home on furlough.

Boots Richards, member of the Pruden School faculty, spent last week end at her home here.

Carnell Livingstone, student at L. M. U., spent the week end with her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Orr, of Oak Ridge, visited friends and relatives here over the week end.

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First Baptist Church

Sunday, October 21: Sunday School at 9:30 a. m., A. T. Burchette, Superintendent.

Morning worship at 10:45; Sermon topic, "Signboards which suggest lessons in living."

Evening: Training Unions meet at 6:30.

Evening worship at 7:30. Sermon topic, "Short cuts to success."

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30.

P. R. Stubbs, Pastor.

Primitive Baptist Association Held

The Eastern District Primitive Baptist Association held it's 93rd annual session at Lamb's Chapel, near Duffield, October 4-7, inclusive. Moderator P. R. Carter, of Hilton, Va., presided, and Amos Osborne, of Blackwater, Va., was Clerk and Treasurer.

Large crowds were present each day, and dinner on the ground.

It was one of the most successful Associations in the history of the church, Mr. Osborne said.

June Bledsoe, of Duffield, spent last week end with Jenelle Howard. They were class mates at L. M. U.

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"I can tell you one thing it doesn't mean," says Bill. "It doesn't mean that we can all relax—and take things easy—and pure we're living in Utopia."

"You're right," Judge Cunningham agrees. "Peace means, among other things, eternal vigilance. Free men are still at war with hatred, prejudice, intolerance—whether it's intolerance of a man's political beliefs, or of his right to choose between a glass of beer or buttermilk."

From where I sit, the Judge is absolutely right. Peace means continued vigilance—continued struggle against all the forces of intolerance that caused the last war, and can sow the seeds of future conflict. Maybe we should paraphrase the slogan of a Revolutionary hero: "We have only just begun to fight."

Joe Marsh

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State Morales Given Low Rating By SBC.

The morales of our Country are running at low ebb, according to reports from the State Capitol Press at Richmond.

The Press says that there was an increase of 7,629 persons committed to the county and city jail farms of the State during the fiscal year ending June 30, over the preceding year, according to the State Board of Corrections, just released.

Of the total confined in the jails of the State durung the past year 49,910 were white and 27,-

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 21st day of September, 1945.

E. J. Olinger ..... Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Mattie Olinger .....Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce on grounds of desertion.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Mattie Olinger is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address is unknown, it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

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1. Pensions for all teachers who have taught in the public schools for 25 years, and for pensions for all teachers who have become disabled while teaching regardless of number of years taught.
2. Better pay for teachers, with a minimum wage of $1200.00 per year, payable in 12 monthly payments.
3. If elected I will introduce a bill in the House of Delegates to have the Bible taught in all free schools; also for free school books.
4. Better roads, especially in Rural Communities.
5. Better enforcement of traffic laws, by employment of more State Highway Patrolmen.
6. Repeal of the Absent Voters Law, and payment of poll taxes as a prerequisite to voting.
7. Repeal of the State law for registration of voters as it now stands and the appointment of a Bi-partisan Registration Board for each precinct, consisting of one member from each of the two major political parties.
8. Election by the people of Judges of the Circuit Courts, Trial Justices and Superintendents of Public Instruction, including Division Superintendents.
9. Pensions for all disabled miners, their widows and orphans, the funds for this pension to be provided one-half by the employer and the other one-half by the employee. Widows to receive at least $50.00 per month for life; also old age pension for miners after attaining the age of 55 years.
10. I favor any legislation which will be for the betterment of the soldiers who are returning from the Army. They have given their time, health, and some of them their lives that we might live in freedom.

If I am successful in the election I pledge my sacred honor that I will do my utmost to have the above pledges enacted into law.

If you believe as I do, vote for me, and it will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely Yours
Fred Kirk
Paid Political Advertisement

St. Charles
PERSONALS

Rev. E. Z. Blanckenbeckler, the newly assigned pastor to the Methodist Church here, was in town the first of the week looking over the situation. He plans to move into the parsonage here some time next week.

Pvt. Toy Haynes arrived here Wednesday, Oct. 10, on honorable discharge from the U. S. Army.

Members of the Baptist church are looking forward to the anniversary service Sunday, at which there will be dinner on the ground; also the revival beginning Sunday night conducted by the Rev. G. G. Barrett, of Johnson City.

Clarence Vanzant is home from the Navy with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Vanzant. He was cook on board a ship off the coast at Seattle, Wash.

Donald Green, RM 2-C., U. S. Navy, left Tuesday morning for the Navy Receiving Station in New York, after a few days leave with his mother, Mrs. Ellen Green. Don says he has one more year to serve in the Navy.

Mrs. Jimmy Collier visited her parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs Fred Collier at Pennington Gap last Sunday.

Jacob Taylor, CMR, U. S. Navy, visited friends in St. Charles last week. He is one of the triplet brothers, Abraham, Isaac and Jacob Taylor, known as "Abe, Ike and Jake." who formerly lived in St. Charles, but now reside at Elizabethton, Tenn. Abe and Ike have been honorably discharged from service and Jake says he will probably re-enlist for another term.

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Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Peary, of Benedict, spent the week end here with Mr. and Mrs. George Brummett.

News From
DRY BRANCH
By Edith Astrop

Mrs. A. P. Cox, J. B. Cox and "Aunt" Jane Carson were visiting relatives near Jonesville Sunday.

Mr. Arthur Edens, of Dry Branch, and Miss Eileen Harber, of Stone Creek, were married at Harlan, Ky., October 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Shufflebarger and children, Barbara and Billy; Messrs. Paul Hobbs, Gail Parsons, Ray Farley, Curtis Ely, Mrs. Edith Astrop and daughter, Juanita, of Dry Branch, Mrs. Muriel L. Turner and children, and several others of Woodway, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Otis Ely Sunday afternoon.

Friends and relatives regret to hear of the death of Mr. Charlie Dennison.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Parsons, of Poor Valley, Mrs. Mildred Davis and Vernie Shufflebarger, Mrs. Edith Astrop, Mr. Alex Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Commer and several other members of Valley View Church attended the Primitive Baptist Association at Alvis' Chapel.

Merrill Merchant, of the U. S. Navy, has received an honorable discharge anh is now at home. He and his wife, the former Virginia Bailey, are planning on moving to Iowa next month.

Mr. Paul Hobbs, of Mendota, Va., is being employed by Mr. H. R. Shufflebarger to do some interior decorating and painting of his home for the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Day and family were visiting friends on Dry Branch Sunday.

Engines, Tractors, Boilers Saw Mills, Wood Worging and Road Building Machinery, Well Drilling Machines, Gasoline Engines, Etc. R. P. Johnson, Wytheville, Va.

State-Wide Victory Loan Conference Held in Richmond, Wed., October 10

Men and Women Victory Loan leaders from the cities and counties of Virginia were in Richmond Wednesday, October 10, to attend the Statewide Victory Loan Conference at the Hotel John Marshall, sponsored by the War Finance Committee for Virginia.

The Conference is designated to provide information and inspiration for the Victory Loan, last of the public drives to finance the cost and postwar cost of war, October 29-December 8.

Daniel W. Bell, of Washington, Under-secretary of the Treasury, addressed the luncheon session, at which Dr. Francie P. Gaines, of Lexington, Chairman WFC, will preside. Governon Darden made a brief talk preceding Mr. Bell. The luncheon program was broadcast from 1:45 to 2:15 p.m. over WRVA and WRLN, with WMBG transcribing it for broadcast later in the day.

The morning program of the Conference, which began at 9:45 a.m., at which Dr. Gaines and Vice-chairman C. Francis Cooke, of Roanoke presided, included talks by State WFC leaders and the showing of color slides and the playing of a transcripton of the publicity, advertising and promotional aids for the Victory Loan.

Subjects covered on the morning program included banking, promotion, women's activities, payroll savings, schools, agriculture, theatres and retailers. A feature of the morning program was a talk by Dr. Ransis Lickert, former Treasury Department Bond Survey expert, now returned to the Agriculture, who revealed results of nationwide surveys on Bonds.

The post luncheon schedule included a general meeting of the Women's Division, showing of 16 mm sound motion pictures to be used in the Victory Loan, a meeting of the theatre section and a meeting of the Regional men chairmen.

Edwards-Moomaw, New Co-Executive Mgrs. War Finance Committee

Designation of C. H. Edwards, of Richmond, and B. C. Moomaw, Jr., of Covington, as Co-Executive Managers War Finance Committee for Virginia, has been announced by Dr. Francis P. Gaines, of Lexington, W F C Chairman.

Messrs. Edwards and Moomaw jointly assume the duties of John J. Howard, of Richmond, Executive Manager, who resigned. Appointed early in August to succeed James S. Easley, of Halifax, Mr. Howard relinquished his post because the sudden end of the war with Japan changed his plans, he advised Dr. Gaines. Mr. Howard will continue his state positions as Director of the Solid Fuels Administration in Virginia, and Coordinator, OCD, which agency is fast being demobilized.

Mr. Edwards will be in charge of the Richmond office and will continue as chief administrative officer for WFC. Mr. Moomaw will continue as field director, with enlarged responsibilites.

Dr. Gaines said the positions of other professional members of the staff remain unchanged, with Vice-Chairman C. Francis Cocke, of Roanoke, to give general supervision to the Victory Loan drive, October 29-December 8.

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News From
HUNTER'S GAP
Route Three
Mary Lou Russell, Co.

Week of October 11th

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Williams and family spent last Sunday with Mrs. H. P Russell and family.

Olin Jones visited his sister, Mrs. C. P. Horton, Jr., last Sunday.

Rev L. D. Perkins conducted his regular meeting here last Sunday.

Mrs. Nannie Ramsey visited her sister, Miss Cora Watson, recently.

Mrs. Eliza Seabolt is spending this week with her daughter, Mrs. R. C. Watson and small son, Robert Wayne.

James Watson, who recently entered college at Greenville, S. C., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Watson, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Haywood Watson have received word from their son that he is "really fine". He adds, "Don't write me any more, for I am on my way home." They are anxiously awaiting his arrival.

Virginia Elizabeth Stewart, student of Hiwassee College, spent last week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Stewart. She had as her guest, her room mate, Miss Edith Carigo

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 26th day of September, 1945.

Golden Noel Colwell, Complainant

vs. Order of Publication .... Paul Henry Colwell, Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce A Vinculo Matrimonil. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Paul Henry Colwell, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address is General Delivery, Louisville, Ky., it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:

VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D. C.
p. q. Guy A. Kauffman.
Adv. No. 39-4t.

First Christian Church

Sunday morning, October 21: Sunday School at 10:00 a. m., H. O. Hines, Superintendent.

Worship with communion at 10:45. Special music, solo by Pvt. Arthur L. Livesay, followed by address by Sgt. C. B. Waddell.

These young men of the church who are on furlough from service to their nation and ours, have willingly consented to render service to their Lord and ours, and they deserve your presence and mine.

A very cordial invitation to all. Special invitation to servicemen, their families and friends.

Christian Endeavors meet at 6:15 p. m., Mrs. Ruth Keith, President. Worship with sermon by pastor at 7:00 p. m.

Choir rehearsal Wednesday evening at 6:30. Prayer and praise service at 7:00

W. B. Moore, Minister.

Mrs. T. R. Burchette and granddaughter, Margie Lynn, were in Cumberland Gap, Sunday.

Admant Baptist Church

Sunday, October 21: Sunday School at 10:00 a. m., J. R. Harber, Superintendent.

Morning worship at 11:00 a. m., sermon topic, "A goal and a triumph."

B. T. U. meets at 6:00 p. m. Evening worship at 7:00 p. m., sermon topic, "Mercy in the day of Judgment."

Mid-week prayer service, Wednesday, 7:00 p. m.

W. H. Parrott, Pastor.

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Juvenile Musicians Club Hold Meeting Oct. 11

Nancy Anderson, Reporter

The Pennington Juvenile Musicians Club met in the music studio of Miss Cora Lewis on Thursday afternoon, October 11, with 17 members present. The new officers were installed in a special candle lighting service, after which L. T. Stewart, the new president, took charge of the meeting.

The minutes were read and approved, followed by roll call. As each person's name was called, he or she dropped a penny into the "wishing well." A letter was read by the secretary from the "National Junior Red Cross" thanking us for our donation of last year.

The Club voted to buy the Junior pins when we are able to get them and to sponsor an accordian concert provided we are able to find an artist to come and give a recital.

Everyone was urged to bring stamps to contribute toward our stamp collection. A short program of piano solos was then given by the following members:

Patsy Cress, Patsy Kelly, Alice Ann Sprinkle, Margaret Sue Stubbs, Sarita Couk, Jane Robbins, Suzanne David, L. T. Stewart, Millard Hale Robbins.

After playing two musical games we adjourned until our next meeting which will be on the second Thursday afternoon in November.

Addition To Maytag Line Announced By Local Hdwe. Merchant

Addition of an automatic type washer, an automatic clothes drier, both gas and electric, a gas range and an electric frozen food locker to the Maytag line of household appliances was revealed to Penninngton Hardware and Furniture Company, Maytag dealer, located at Pennington Gap, in a letter received today from President Fred Maytag II.

The announcement followed a series of conferences of Maytag branch managers and distributors held at the home office in Newton at which the new products were previewed. They will be added to the line of conventional type washers and ironers produced by the 50-year old company, which manufactured and sold more than 4,000,000 washers before converting to war production in 1942.

No date has been announced as to when the new products will be made available to the public, although President Maytag expressed an opinion that the gas range and the frozen food locker would be on the market about the first of the year. No date has been revealed when the automatic washers and driers will be ready for distribution.

Samples of postwar models of Maytag conventional type washers have just been released to each of the more than 7,000 dealers representing the company throughout the United States, and the arrival of the local display model is expected soon.

News From SMITH CHAPEL

Evangelist Wm. J. Murcer, of Kingsport, and Rev. Robert Tickle, Pastor of the Stickleyville charge, have just closed a very successful revival at Smyth's Chapel.

The revival which lasted for three weeks, resulted in 40 conversions and 20 new additions to the church membership. Rev. Murcer will preach here every third Sunday morning at 11:00 o'clock. Rev. Tickle will preach every second Sunday night and fourth Sunday morning. Prayer meeting every Thursday night.

Boy Scout Court Honor Presented October 12

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Culbertson, Gerald Vaughan and Scout Master Grace. Also Dr. Dellinger presented Gerald Vaughan the Star Badge.

Charles Culbertson and Frank Gibson were presented the Life Badge by Leonard Hays.

Rev W. B. Moore, Pastor of the First Christian Church, gave a talk on Scouting, evaluating the organization as a factor of character building in the life of boys, preparing them for usefulness in the community and nation.

He commented on the military side of Scouting, and paid special tribute to former members of the organization, Jimmy Tom Laningham, James Earl Scroggs, James Lewis and Martin Halstead, now in the service of their country.

Following Rev. Moore's address, a movie sound picture was shown, depicting the various phases of the Scout organization, their work, activities and progress. At the conclusion, taps were sounded by Charles Culbertson.

News From JONESVILLE

Mrs. G. W. Ball

Route 4

C. D. Ball is seriously ill at his home on Route 2, Jonesville, following a stroke of paralysis, Thursday night. His children and some members of their families are with him, with the exception of Chaplain J. K. Ball, Omar and Charles, Jr. The latter may arrive at an early date.

Clifford Osborne, of Mt. Hope, has received his discharge and arrived home Sunday, October 7. He was called into service October 21, 1942, and this is his first time back home. He is stationed most of the time in the Pacific Area.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Newman and daughter, Linda Karen, of California, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Newman and other relatives here. They will extend their visit a month or so.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Byington and children were shopping in Middlesboro, Saturday.

Rev. L. D. Perkins will continue the singing at York Church each Thursday night. A hearty welcome is extended to all.

G. W. Ball visited his brother, C. D. Ball, Saturday afternoon.

Alec Roop, of Route 4, and Mrs. Minerva Waddell Parsons were married recently.

Elmer Cox and family are with her parentts, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bonham, since his discharge.

Many a man has pulled it, but Adam alone spoke the truth when he said, "'You're the only girl in the world for me."

Modern woman does not set her cap for a man. Rather she adjusts her entire make up, war paint and everything.

Jonesville PERSONALS

Miss Nora Kinzer, a former teacher in Jonesville High School, and who now teaches in Coeburn High School, visited home folk this week end.

Miss Emma Fletcher, Cadet Nurse at Ft. Sanders Hospital, is spending a month's vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Fletcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cox and little son, Richard Hugh, arrived recently from San Diego, Calif., where Mr. Cox was stationed as S. 1-C., U. S. Navy. He is now back to civilian life, and is considering employment with the Piggly Wiggly Store at St. Charles.

S. 1-C. Cecil Bellamy, called from Oklahoma City, Okla., asking his parents to meet him in Knoxville. He will be here on leave for awhile.

Jonesville Resident Is Hurt In Fall Monday

Ben Sewell, of Jonesville, is numbered among Lee General Hospital patients this week.

He accidentally stepped into the grease pit at Frank Parkey's Garage, Monday, and fell, suffering some crushed ribs and severe bruses. He is reported getting along satisfactorly.

News From FRIENDSHIP

The Baptist Missionary Societies of Group No. 2, met Tuesday, October 9, at Friendship Church for an all-day program. Members of each society from Ewing, Hardy's Creek, Silver Leaf and Lone Branch Churches were present. Also two ministers were present, Rev. Brister, Pastor of Ewing Church, and Rev. E. C. Knicely, of Friendship Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Carroll, of Harlan, visited his sister, Mrs. D. L. Willis and family Sunday.

Mrs. D. C. McClure and Miss Hazel Fields are on the sick list at this writing.

Mrs. G. W. Spangler and daughter, Jett, Mrs. C. D. Cody and family, visited Mr. and Mrs. Winkler, at Harrogate, Sunday.

Pattie Horton, of Jonesville, spent the week end with her aunt, Mrs. Olen Jones and family.

News From BLACKWATER

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hickam, of Knoxville, Tenn., were visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hickam, and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Anderson, over the week end.

Roy Roop, of the U. S. Army, is spending a 15-day furlough with his wife and little son.

Floyd Lawson has recently been discharged from the Army, after spending several months overseas.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Creech, of N. C., were visiting relatives here over the week end.

Pfc. Charles Walton, of the U. S. Army, has recently been visitng relatives here.

Mrs. J. L. Perry and daughter, Hallie, of Ben Hur, spent the week end at Blackwater.

Benedict Unearths Coal Loaded 21 Years Ago

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present scale of 80.9 cents per ton, he will receive $2.27 for it. The investment and long wait while pay scales increased, paid a good interest.

Mr. Williams said he remembered very well about loading the unpulled car. "I loaded it late one afternoon just before quitting time, the motorman, Bryant Redmond came in to pull it and got off the track. He said it was getting too late to fool with it so he would just go on and pull it the next morning. A tremendous slate fall capped off the whole section that night and that was the last of my car of coal, until this week," said Williams.

His brother, Howard Williams, mine foreman, was very interested in helping unearth the hidden car this week, more so to see it's condition after a score of years.

Superintendent Fortner said, "It's on it's way to someone's basement or furnace in some faraway state now and we hope our efforts have at least helped someone."

Miss Zoe Osborne, Cadet Nurse, of Richmond, Va., Miss Mildred Wolfver, employed at Kingsport, Tenn., Misses Bobbie Jean Cooper and Marjorie Orr, students of Virginia Intermont, at Bristol, were among the home-town girls at home for week end visits.

Miss. Planter Gives Retonga Full Credit

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"I feel like a different man since taking Retonga and a sense of obligation to my fellow-man compels me to tell others about it," gratefully declares Mr. Cale Parke, RFD 1, Brookville, Miss. Mr. Parke's 376 acre farm and beautiful home is one of the outstanding farm places of his section. He is a Mason and a leader in civic affairs. Discussing Retonga, Mr. Parke happily continued:

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ANNOUNCEMENT . . . .

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Pennington Gap Merchants

TOWN TALK

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late Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Laningham, with the result that the daughter, Thelma Laningham and Mr. Overbay fell in love with each other and were married. Thelma is still "Mrs. Overbay."

One of my memories of the school was the day of December 19, 1900 when Mr. Overbay and Mr. Beeler dismissed school and took the students in a group to attend the burial of the late J. K. P. Kelly, husband of Mrs. Mary P. ("Grandma") Kelly, and the father of some of our outstanding citizens.

Pennington Gap is growing

The growth of Pennington Gap has covered a period of many years, and is growing slowly but surely. Pete Myers has just completed a brick building and opened up a line of groceries on Highway No. 63, toward Jonesville, about a mile and a half from Pennington; Dick Forester, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Forester, is operating a bran new garage in a bran new building in West Pennington not far from Fred Howard's store; O. E. Willis has a modern log cabin in East Pennington almost completed; J. A. Pennington is erecting a new and modern home on Joselyn St., in fact, almost any direction you go you will see a new building going up or an old one being repaired.

Wild animal captured

G. W. David, Robert Cox and C. M. Lundy, L&N railroad men, today discussed with a newspaper reporter their daring but successful adventure in capturing a huge wild animal roaming at large just back of S. G. Hill's home above St. Charles.

Quoting Mr. David:" It was night and we were taking some empties to Mayflower mine. Just above Mr. Hill's house, the light from the fuses in the caboose revealed a large greyish monstor sneaking about Mr. Hill's chicken house, as if searching out his prey. We were unarmed, but took a chance. We stopped the cars and cautiously alighted, but the animal spied us and broke into a run toward the ravine. We chased it and finally Lundy got close enough to give a lick in the head with a stick, and the lick knocked it cold. We dragged it into the car, brought it to Pennington Gap and turned it over to Millard Carnes."

Millard agreed that it was the biggest 'possum he had ever seen, and that it weighed every bit of 20 pounds!

A tetotaler

Bob Ridenour used to be a dram drinker, he tells us, and also now and then—in fact, often, relished a glass of beer. One day, he said, the conviction came to him that this habit was undermining his health, and besides, he just naturally wanted to quit it-and he did. Not by degrees, but right then and there, once and for all, he said.

That was eight years ago, and as relics of the past Bob says he has in his possession a half-pint of whiskey and a bottle of beer—but they never tempt him any more.

News From BURKHART'S CHAPEL

Rev. Elmer Carter filled his appointment here Saturday night.

Cpl. Leo Madden is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Madden.

Mr. and Mrs. Haze Rivers and children were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Rivers and family, Sunday.

Jerry Gilliam, of St. Charles, conducted church services here Sunday afternoon.

Miss Lorene Woodard spent Tuesday night with Donie and Barbara Rutherford.

Glay Pennington, employed with the Smith Construction Company, spent the week end with his family here.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Bailey and son, J. R., visited his brother, John Bailey and family, at Dryden, Sunday.

Cpl. Carl B. Robbins has recently been discharged from the U. S. Armed forces.

Mrs. Rebecca Pennington and daughter, Blanche, were shopping on Stone Creek Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Lambert and children visited Shelby Woodard Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wynn, of Calvin, attended church services here Saturday night.

Miss Betty Armstrong, of Chicago, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Hill at Virginia Lee.

SOCIAL - PERSONAL

Shower for Mrs. Woliver

Misses Georgia Sheets and Ernestine Crowell and Mrs. Truia Mae Alsup were joint hostesses to a miscellaneous shower given at Mrs. Alsup's home Tuesday evening, October 16, for Mrs. Janie Bruner Woliver, a recent bride.

An evening of fun and recreation was enjoyed, followed by refreshments, then the opening of the wedding gifts. The guests were:

Misses Ruth Sheets, Roverne Ely, Thelma and Ruth Campbell, Etta Rasnic, Inez Kelly, Marcella Fish, Jean and Helen Rhea, Imogene and Evelyn Fleenor, Florence Salley; Mesdames Chloe Fish, Cecil Shelburne, Jack Reasor, Mrs. Bruner, in addition to the honoree and the hostesses.

Mrs. Bernice Cooper, Mrs. M. M. Driscoll and Mrs. C. C. Carr attended the Barnum and Bailey Circus in Knoxville the first of the week, and in the meantime visited with Mrs. Cooper's sister, Mrs. H. G. Gilbert.

Pvt. Billy Shelburne, of Harvard Field, Neb., is home on a 14-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Shelburne.

Cpl. Rudolph (Doc) Pennington has returned to his base at Ft. Bragg, S. C., after a visit here with his grandmother, Mrs. S. M. Pennington and other relatives.

Methodist Church

Sunday, October 21: Church School at 9:30, Clyde L. Kirk, Superintendent.

Morning worship at 10:45 a. m., Sermon theme, "Making Anew."

Special music, Quartette: "Jesus Lover of My Soul."

Evening, Youth Fellowship groups meet at 6:15. Sermon by the pastor at 7:00; Sermon topic, "Lifting Up Jesus."

Midweek prayer service Wednesday at 7:00 o'clock.

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Deaths AND FUNERALS

Charlie W. Dennison

Charlie W. Dennison, 50, died at his home in the Dry Branch Community, Wednesday, October 10, after an illness of several years. Funeral services were held at the Baptist Church Saturday morning, October 12, at 10:30, by the pastor, Rev. P. R. Stubbs. Burial in Cecil Cemetery.

Mr. Dennison is survived by his widow, Mrs. Bertha Dennison, of Pennington Gap; parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Dennison, of Scott County, and nine children.

Mrs. C. D. Fugate

Mrs. C. D. Fugate, wife of Lee County Treasurer C. D. Fugate, died at their home in Rose Hill about 8:00 o'clock Wednesday morning, October 17, following a brief illness.

Besides her husband, she is survived by one son and one daughter by a former marriage, J. N. Parkey and Mrs. Dan Richmond.

Funeral services were held at the home Thursday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, burial in the Gibson Cemetery, near Gibson Station.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Harber and Miss Mary Ellen Harber, visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kirk and daughter, Linda Joyce, at Norton, Sunday afternoon.

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Bertha Lee Gibson Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce A Vinculo Matrimonii on grounds of Desertion.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Bertha Lee Gibson, is nonresident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address is 1914 West Griffith Avenue, Louisville 3, Kentucky, it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D .C.
p. q. W. L. Davidson.
Adv. No. 42-4t.

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News From HUNTER'S GAP

Mrs. Bobbie Collins and daughter, Nina Jean, spent the past Sunday with her brother-in-law, Mr. Claude Collins, and family.

Miss Mary Lou Russell spent last Sunday as a guest of Mrs. Edith Williams.

Robert Dale (Penny) Collins celebrated his sixth birthday anniversary October 8. He received several nice gifts.

Miss Daisy Pannell spent Friday night with her cousin, Miss Mary Lou Russell.

Several from here attended the Ice Cream supper at Blackwater Saturday night.

H. P. Russell has just received word that his brother, S. 2-C. John B. Russell, landed in the States October 13, and is expected home after Navy Day.

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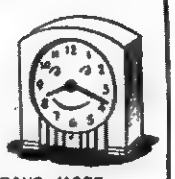

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Senator Floyd M. Landreth, Republican Candidate for Governor, and the Hon. Lester Parsons, Candidate for Attorney-General will speak at the
COURTHOUSE, Jonesville, Va.
Monday, October 22
7:00 P. M. E.S.T.
Also
Fred Kirk, Candidate for the House of Delegates will appear on the program
The Public, regardless of Party affiliations, are cordially invited to attend this meeting and hear the issues of this campaign ably discussed

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—in—
Without Love
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JIMMY WAKELY
—also—
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Promoted

Former Pfc. J. G. Overbay, Jr., has recently been promoted to Corporal at his base in London, England. He writes his parents that he is taking off on a furlough which he plans to spend in Essex County, on the Beach.

He has been in the Signal Corps Detached Service, and his awards include the good conduct medal, four Overseas bars for two years' service, and "Hash mark" for three years' service. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Overbay, Sr.

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Witnesses surrender of Island

Martin E. Halstead, Seaman 2-C., USNR, one of Pennington Gap's youngest servicemen, witnessed the surrender of Ponape Island from the USS FARQUHAR, his destroyer escort, on September 11.

The Japanese commander surrendered his garrison of 5,700 soldiers and 2,100 sailors on the destroyer USS HYMAN. Seaman Halstead is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Halstead, Sr., of Pennington Gap.

On The USS Chenango

London E. Johnson, seaman 1st class, USNR, Rt. 2, Pennington Gap, served on this aircraft carrier when she carried 1,357 released prisoners of war from Nagasaki, Japan, to a redistribution point at Okinawa. Some of the evacuatees—Americans, English, Australian, Dutch and Javanese— are survivors of Wake Island, the Battan "Death March" and the sunken USS HOUSTON.

In Iwo Jima; Okinawa combat

William J. Quinley, 20, aviation machinist's mate 2-c, USNR, Rt. 2, Jonesville, a member of Composite Squadron 34, is enroute to an Atlantic Coast port on the USS MONTERY for Navy Day, Oct. 27.

The squadron, which left the States last Thanksgiving Day, saw action at Iwo Jima and Okinawa, made five attacks on Tokyo, three on remnants of the Jap Fleet near Kure, and two on northern Honshu airfields and merchant shipping.

After the surrender the squadron patrolled Japanese airfields and hunted for prisoners of war camps to drop food, medical supplies and cigarettes. Sept. 6 the MONTEREY steamed into Tokyo Bay and dropped anchor off the air station at Yokosuka, a target the squadron blasted only a few weeks earlier.

Back to civilian life

T. Sgt. Ray B. Pennington, son of Mr and Mrs. J. Howard Pennington of Woodway, has received an honorable discharge from the Army after 36 months of service with the AAF. He was last stationed at the Chanute Field, Ill., AAF Training Command station and Separation Center.

T. Sgt Pennington served several months overseas in the ETO as an Engineer Gunner. While serving with the Air Forces he was awarded the Air Medal with three Oak Leaf Clusters, ETO Ribbon with 4 Battle Stars and Unit Citation. He earned a total of 79 points.

Helped to liberate Korea

Wayne E. Robbins, 21, radioman third class, USNR, St. Charles served on the USS Minneapolis, in the Pacific, as part of a task force of more than 50 ships, which steamed into Jinsen, Korea, Sept. 8, to help occupy and liberate the country from the Japanese.

About 15,000 American sailors and soldiers streamed ashore to occupy the capital city of Keijo, 23 miles away, to the cheers of the natives. A crowd estimated at 100,000 gathered in the vicinity of the capitol to watch the lowering of the Jap flag and the raising of the Stars and Stripes. Thousands of American prisoners of war, many listed missing, were assembled, identified and headed for home.

Mrs. Nora Durham, of Morristown, Tenn., is visiting Mrs. Jennie Allen, of Stickleyville.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:
In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 3 day of October, 1945.
Ruth Hall Doyle, who sues by E. B. Hall, her next friend, Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Willie Ralph Doyle, Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on ground of desertion, and custody of Judith Ira Doyle, infant daughter, and an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Willie Ralph Doyle is not a resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address is 1[illegible] Poplar Avenue, Memphis, Tenn., it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and a weekly newspaper published at once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper publised at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p.q. L. M. Robinette.
Adv. No. 41—4t-pd.

News From BENEDICT

Sgt. and Mrs. Silas Cox, of Dalton, Ga., have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cox, of Benedict. Sgt. Cox is now stationed at Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri.

Pfc. Junior Belcher, of the U. S. Army, was visiting his sister, Mrs. Walter Weston and family here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harve Doss spent Sunday with relatives in Pennington Gap.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie McPherson and little son, Larry, made a trip to Charlottesville University Hospital last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sturgill and family visited relatives at Jonesville last week.

Mrs. W. C. Jones has gone to Des Moines, Iowa, after her little son, Billy, who has been spending the summer with his grandparents. Her husband, Lt. W. C. Jones, will soon be released from Army service, after which the family will settle down to civilian life.

Edd Green, Vernon Roark, Loran Sally, all of the U. S. Army, were visiting friends here last week.

Hansford Howard spent last week with relatives in Jonesville

Among the boys who will leave for U. S. Army service October 22, are Edman Allen, James Spears, Wilbern Bledsoe, Hansford Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Baltimore and children visited relatives in Baltimore last week end.

Mrs. Irene Scarborough and little daughter, Gloria Jean visited relatives in Calvin over the week end.

News From OCOONITA

Edward Green, Bernard Roark and Frank Emmette are back home on honorable discharge from U. S. Army service.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Ingle and family, of Benedict, visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Osborne and family, of Rose Hill, and Mrs. W. W. Clark and family, of Pennington Gap, were visiting Mr. J. M. Oaks Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Carroll visited her brother, Edgar Gilbert, at St. Charles, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ingle, of Pennington Gap, were visiting relatives here Sunday.

Legette Oaks, who is employed at Big Stone Gap, spent Sunday here with his parents.

Sgt. Marion Pochodzay is spending a few days leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Pochodzay.

Anita Louise Clark, of Pennington Gap, spent the week end with her grandmother, Mrs. J. M. Oaks.

Bernice Johnson, who is employed at Oak Ridge, Tenn., visited her parents here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Statzer, of Big Stone Gap, visited friends here Sunday.

Mrs. Dora Mae Gibson has received the Purple Heart sent her by her brother, Pfc. James Gilbert, U. S. M. C., who was wounded while participating in the battle of Okinawa.

Mrs. Lucille Clark, of Derby, was a visitor here Sunday.

Cpl. Lijah Pochodzay has returned home after three years in service.

News From BONNY BLUE

Mrs. Ruth Sapp and children, of Kingston, Tenn., are spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wagner.

Miss Lotus Livesay, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Livesay.

Miss Mozell Pass is spending a few days with relatives at Lafollette, Tenn.

S. 3-c. Edward Young has returned to port after a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Omer Young.

Miss Ozell Pass spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Pass, and her friend, Shirley McKay, of Oak Ridge, Tenn.

Misses Anna Mae and Doris Woodward spent last week end with friends in Jonesville.

Pfc. Parley Hamilton, honorably discharged from the Army, has returned home after a short visit with his sister, Mrs. Helen Blake, of Rockwood, Tenn.

Pfc. Charles Suttles has returned to his home at Dunbar, Va., after spending a few days with friends here.

Cow and Calf Found

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It's time to give again—for the men who gave a lot. Give generously! Make your donation twice as big—the need is more than twice as great.

Your donation to the community war fund supports the U.S.O. and does many other worth-while things besides. It provides maternity care for wives of servicemen, decent, wholesome recreation to keep children off the streets and out of trouble, help for the stricken people of our allies, help for your own.

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To Whom It May Concern

By:

W. L. Jones

Not long ago a Soldier came home to Tennessee from Guadalcanal. He was wounded, was given a transfusion, was hospitalized, cured, came home for rest and went back to fight again. How? Somebody in Louisville gave a pint of blood. It was processed in Indianapolis, flown by plane to Guadalcanal. A medical corpsman found the soldier wounded, gave him a transfusion, snatched him from the jaws of death, and sent him back to fight again.

The use of blood plasma on the battlefield has saved thousands of lives. In hospitals, mothers are saved at childbirth and surgeons save their patients in major operations. On and on the story goes, the modern miracles of blood plasma.

The American Red Cross deserves much credit for the use of this miracle. Through its three thousand or more chapters, it has educated the public about transfusions. Blood banks and blood plasma. The time is coming when those who bleed to death will be few. Blood plasma in some form or other will be in First Aid Stations in every cross road, in stores and on ambulances as well as in hospitals, so patients can have their vitality restored on the scene of the accident, or on the way to the hospital.

Such is the miracle of Blood Plasma.

Pfc. Carl H. Barton

A Tribute by Mrs. Green

While E. C. Barton was in Pennington Gap last week he showed us a $5.00 bill found in the possession of his son, Pfc. Carl H. Barton, when he met death while crossing the Rhine near Aichen, Germany, on Feb. 27, 1945.

On the bill were written in Carl's own handwriting the names of the places in which he had met combat in his service career. They included Oron and Algiers in Africa; Birzette, Tunisia, Advillon, Naples, Veenafro, Piedmont, St. Pietro, Cassino, St. Antonio, Mt. Troccio, Anzio, Rome, St. Rapaill, Italy; through France and Germany.

A stormy record of experiences for one so young, but Carl met the battles and ordeals of war with the calmness, courage and bravery of the typical American soldier. The parents received a letter from the commanding officer of his company and from his first Sergeant, stating that Carl was one of the original men of their company whom they had learned they could fully depend upon; always ready for any dangerous mission. He was killed in the same way he had been wounded on October 13, 1944, by flying shrapnel. He had only one day leave from duty outside the time he was in the hospital.

Carl had a strange premonition of his impending fate. Shortly before the date of his death he became rather low-spirited and less optomistic. He wrote his parents: "Luck has been with me; it can't last always. Only by God's grace will I ever see you again."

He mailed his parents the Purple Heart which had been awarded him, and he also held other awards and medals.

Clothing Collected By U. N. C. C, To Be In Use By Christmas

Every pound of the clothing contributed by the American people in the nation-wide clothing collection last spring and summer will be in the hands of war sufferers overseas by Christmas, it is announced by Henry J. Kaiser, National Chairman of the United National Clothing Collection.

Mr. Kaiser's statement was received here by Dr. G. B. Setzler, local chairman of the clothing collection, who made it public today. The statement said:

"Based on figures supplied to me by UNRRA, I can now assure you that on September 30, all the clothing collected in the United National Clothing Collection was baled for overseas shipment. By the end of October the last bales will be on ships bound for Europe, the Far East, and the South Pacific.

"Already one hundred million pounds of the used clothing contributed only a few months ago has been baled and shipped, or scheduled for shipment to the needy and destitute in lands devastated by war and looted by the enemy. Much of this clothing has already been distributed in European lands.

"The Chinese will soon receive 10,500,000 pounds of the contributed clothes, shoes and bedding. One boat in September and two in October will each carry 3,500,000 pounds for distribution in China where winter weather is bitter.

"The Filipinos, too, will soon be wearing contributed shoes and clothing. The first peacetime cargo to leave an Atlantic port for the Philippines since Pearl Harbor included 63 carloads of contributed clothing. That shipment, including shoes, left New York on the S. S. Courser, September 12. A total of 4,000,000 pounds of contributed clothing has been allotted to the Philippines."

Allocations of the clothing for overseas relief as of September 18 total 116,715,700 pounds, Mr. Kaiser's statement revealed. The remainder of the clothing donated by the American people will be allocated soon. Allocations and shipments have already been made to the following countries:

Albania, Belgium, Luxembourg, Burma, Borneo, Malaya, China, Czechoslovakia, France, French Indo-China and Hongkong.

Also, Greece, Italy, the Netherlands and Netherlands East Indies, Norway, the Philippines, Poland, Yugoslavia, Russia, and to refugee children and stateless people now in a number of European countries.

All governments receiving allocations of clothing have entered into agreements with UNRRA guaranteeing distribution of contributed clothing without cost and without discrimination of any kind.

This statement made public by Dr. Setzler also quoted a recent report by Roy F. Hendrickson, Deputy Director General of UNRRA, the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration, paying tribute to the 7,700 local chairmen who conducted the clothing drive in communities throughout America.

Pointing out that the drive was organized because there was almost no available new clothing for overseas relief, Mr. Hendrickson said, "If the clothing drive had failed, there would be great suffering this winter for millions who are receiving the donated overcoats, dresses, trousers, suits, shoes and underwear. Without that campaign, that same used clothing would have lain in attics and closets, unproductive in meeting the emergency."

The UNRRA report not only praised the quantity of the clothing gifts, but also the tremendous organization job successfully accomplished under the National Campaign Chairman, Henry J. Kaiser and the Executive Director, Dan A. West. It added:

"The quality has been outstanding. The value of the contributed clothing can properly be placed at 75 cents to a dollar a pound on the average. It is good, usable clothing!"

Mr. Kaiser's statement also disclosed the continuing urgent need for clothing overseas, and quoted a recent report by William L. Batt, Vice-Chairman of the War Production Board, who said:

"The conduct of the United National Clothing Collection has been effective and most satisfactory. I hope it may continue because there will still be a textile shortage, particularly in cotton, for many months to come, and if the materials which are badly needed abroad are to be provided in adequate quantities, it seems to me that the job will be up to the clothing collection committee."

Jewel Lucas, of Radford College, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. John Goins and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Young, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., visited relatives here over the week end.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 26th day of September, 1945.

Grace Willis Eades, Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
William Paul Eades, Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce A Vinculo Matrimonii. and an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, William Paul Eades, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address is General Delivery, Newark, Ohio, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:

VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p.q. Guy A. Kauffman.
Adv .No. 39-4t.

When Does A War End?

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THE WAR has ended in many places. But its effects haven't. Millions of our boys must remain scattered over the earth — thousands of miles away. One of their nearest contacts with home is the U.S.O., which brings American cheer to American boys through Camp Shows given for them. The U.S.O. operates on your dollars.

OUR SHIPS — manned by our men — will be docking at foreign ports for many months to come. The men who man them are not military personnel, but their work is every bit as vital. One place they can go for relaxation is to the clubhouses operated by United Seamen's Service. The U. S. S. needs your help, too.

HONORABLY DISCHARGED veterans still have a long way to go, to get all the way back to civilian life. To help them, Veterans' Information Service has been established. It cannot function without your help. You help many a boy get properly started again, when you give to your local Community War Fund.

HOSPITALS for the wounded and maimed will not find their work finished when the war ends. Many servicemen will remain in their charge for years to come. To help them recuperate, the U.S.O. sends entertainers to bring them amusement, talk with them, brighten their days. Your contribution helps make this work possible.

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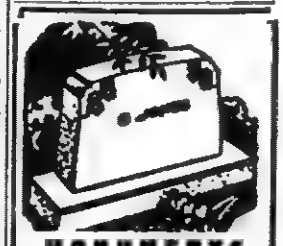

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Social and Personal

Sgt. Waddell arrives

Sgt. C. Bascom Waddell, former Assistant Cashier of Lee Bank and Trust Company, is here on furlough until the 27th of November. He arrived in Bristol Friday, was met there by Mrs. Waddell, and after visiting in Johnson City, with Mr. and Mrs. Steve Tomlinson, they came on to Pennington Saturday. Sgt. Waddell has been in service a little more than two years, and has been overseas since January, 1944.

At the expiration of his furlough he will report to Fort Meade, Md., where he expects to be formally discharged.

Bridal shower

Mrs. Arthur L. Livesay, formerly Miss Bette Stout, ran into a heavy shower a few evenings ago at the home of her parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Livesay.

A series of contests suited to the occasion were given, and Misses Mary Lou Smith, Jenelle Howard and Virginia Green won prizes. Mrs. Livesay was assisted in serving by Mrs. Victoria Hurst, Mrs. Wayne W. Livesay and Mrs. T. H. Olinger. Following refreshments, the gifts were displayed, which were many and beautiful.

Visitors from Tennessee

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Nelms, of McMinnville, Tenn., are visiting here with his sisters and their families, Mrs. J. M. Smith, Mrs. T. B. Quinley, Mrs. Grace Burgan, Mrs. Kate Hall, Mrs. W. T. (Bill) Walker.

"John" is one of our "old-timers." He grew up in Pennington Gap, but has lived in McMinnville for a number of years, where he conducts a lumber business. They are the parents of eight children, one son in the ministry.

He also tells us that while he is not a "snake handler" he made a close call a few years ago from being bitten by a rattler while in the forest with some timber men.

Mrs. Carrie Crowell has gone to Bristol to make her home.

Mrs. Milton Harmon and son, Jimmie, of Knoxville, Tenn., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Holt, this week.

Wayne Vanderggiff, the four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Vanderfriff, is recovering from a serious illness. The father is in service in Tokyo.

Mr. and Mrs. B. V. Whisenant, their daughter, Edna, and son, Pvt. Carl W. Whisenant, of North Tazewell, Va., were visiting among friends and former neighbors here over the week end. The Whisenants lived in Pennington Gap several years ago. Carl is home on furlough from overseas service.

Don't fail to see "The Valley of Decision" coming to Lee Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, Oct. 29-30.

Sgt. Brownlow Ely, son of Jack Ely, of Pennington Gap, is stationed at Love Field, Tex. His wife, formerly Miss Tincie Doss, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Doss, of Pennington Gap, is with him.

Marion D. Lewis, of the Merchant Marines, has been on leave here for a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. McKinley Lewis, of R. 1. He will return to his base at Norfolk, Va., Monday.

Mrs. J. W. Quinley, Edith, and Mrs. Walter Quinley attended the Circus at Knoxville, Monday and Tuesday.

Also Robert Guy Pugh and family attended the one at Bristol.

S. 1-C. Frank White, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie White, is enjoying a 30-day furlough with his parents. He will return to his base about Monday.

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Lt. Virginia Blakemore is here visiting her sister, Mrs. Ethel Skidmore. Lt. Blakemore, who has been honorably discharged from service has been offered several positions as nurse in veterans hospitals, and is considering the one in California.

Mrs. H. H. Scott, Detroit, Mich., Mrs. Hope Orr, Oak Ridge, Tenn., Rev. Clyde Wheeler, Oklahoma City, Okla., are here with their parents, Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Wheeler, of R. 1, having been called on account of the serious illness of their brother, Robert.

Robert has been suffering an illness of typhoid, and is now reported improving.

J. R. Legg and son, Everettte, plan to leave the last of the week for their annual winter's stay in Florida.

Visits old homeplace

Mrs. D. H. Reasor enjoyed visits last week from her sister, Mrs. George Allen and Mr. Allen, of Grandy, Mo., and her nephew, G. B. Kelly and two sons, of Joppa, Mo. Mrs. Allen was born on Big Hill, near Pennington Gap, and this is the first time she has visited the old home place in 46 years.

Mrs. E. W. Pennington has returned to Oak Ridge, Tenn., after a visit here with her son, W. R. Pennington. She was accompanied by Miss Virginia McNiel.

Joyce King, student of Radford College, spent last week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy King.

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Miss Mary McNiel of Pennington Gap, and Miss Millicent Watkinson, of Bonny Blue, are still enjoying the sights along the way enroute to California. They plan to spend some time in the Golden State.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Duff, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Hysong, of Lebanon, Ind., spent Friday night at the home of Dr. and Mrs. B. T. Young, enroute to Knoxville, Nashvillle and other points.

T. Sgt. R. B. Pennington, a former member of the U. S. Army Air Corps, is back to civilian life, with honorable discharge from service. He is at present home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pennington at Woodway. Pennington has been in service since December, 1942. His brother, Sgt. Riley Pennington, is serving in the Pacific.

Birthday supper

When Lucille Kelly was called to supper at her home Monday evening she didn't know there was a "special" on, but there was, an elaborate supper prepared in honor of her birthday by her sisters and sisters-in-law. Mrs. Cowles Kelly made the cake, decorated with birthday candles. Lucille received a lot of nice gifts.

Rev. J. C. Wheeler and family, and Earl Walters, of Oklahoma City, Okla., will return to their homes tomorrow, after a visit here with Rev. Wheeler's parents, Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Wheeler, and his brother, Robert, who has been seriously ill from typhoid.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Harber of Norton, Va., spent the week end with friends and relatives of Pennington Gap, and St. Charles. Mrs. Harber was the former Miss Lela Onkst, a student nurse of St. Mary's Hospital at Knoxville, Tenn.

Bartons visit here

E. C. Barton and son, Don, were visiting relatives and friends here last week. The Bartons, former residents of Pennington Gap, are still residing in Washington, D. C. Don, who is Chief Petty Officer, Navy Aviation, stationed in Philadelphia, is spending a leave with his parents.

He is just back from Point Barrow, Alaska, 13 miles from where Wiley Post and Will Rogers were killed. Don flew over the place and made pictures of it. His crew was a picked crew of scientists, on a special survey mission.

Bruner—Weliver

Miss Janie Bruner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Bruner, of Woodway, and James E. Weliver, of Pennington Gap, were married October 9, at the home of Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Moore, with Rev. Moore officiating.

The groom, who is the son of Mrs. Chloe Fish, of Pennington Gap, has just completed a 45-day furlough, and returned last Saturday for Fort Meade, where he expects to be formally released from U. S. Army service. He has served 37 months, much of the time overseas, with the rank of Sgt. Prior to his enlistment he was employed by the Standard Filling Station here. The bride is a graduate of Pennington High School, class of '45.

The couple plans to make their home in Pennington Gap.

Lt. John R. Barton Marries Texas Girl

Lt. John Robert (Bobbie) Barton and Miss Ganelle Stapleton, of San Antonio, Texas, were married in a church wedding at San Antonio, on August 27. The ring ceremony was used, and the attendants were military friends of the couple.

Lt. Barton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Barton, formerly of Pennington Gap, and now of Washington, D. C. He graduated with honors from Pennington High School, class of '40 and was a student of Georgia Tech at the time of his enlistment in service with the U. S. AAF. He has signed up for two years post war work as Flight Engineer on B-29, with the probability of going to China.

Miss Fugate with WLW

Miss Laura Jean Fugate is another of our young people who is taking advantage of the opportunity to increase their talents.

Miss Fugate recently appeared at the Radio Station WLW in Cincinnati, for an audition. The company was so favorably impressed they immediately enlisted her services to work for them and at the same time study voice.

Her sister, Miss Ritchie Lee Fugate, is also in Cincinnati on a visit, and is considering accepting employment there. They are the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Fugate.

Mrs. Ressie Pennington visited friends on Stone Creek Wednesday.

Mrs. Lydia C. Giles, wife of former Lee County Sheriff R. F. Giles, of Rose Hill, underwent an appendectomy at Evans Hospital in Middlesboro, Friday, October 12. She is reported getting along well but will be confined for several days yet.

M. M. 1-C. Emil Onkst, has received an honorable discharge from the U. S. Navy, and is at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Onkst, of Pennington Gap.

MHS Band To Present Concert At T. Walker

The Middlesboro High School Band, under the direction of Camillo Pabet, will present a concert at the Thomas Walker High School in Rose Hill, Va., on Saturday night, October 27.

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TOWN TALK

About This, That, And The Other

Hallowe'en is the evening of October 31. For Young people, a time of gayety and pranks; a night to play at being witches, ghosts or fairies.

That evening was so called because it is the eve of the Christian festival of all saints. The name means Holy eve, the time originally set apart to honor the memory of all Saints. The building of bon fires, telling fortunes and other superstitious beliefs and practices, are relics of paganism. About thirteen centuries ago Pagans celebrated Nov. 1 as All Spirits Day, when spirits, both good and bad, were believed to be on the earth. The Dunds also celebrated their harvest festival about that time, and many strange ceremonies were performed.

Even after adopting Christianity, they still observed many of their old customs, including those which have survived as the Hallowe'en diversions of today. In Scotland, the ceremonies peculiar to the occasion were of a highly superstitious nature.

He saved the horses!

As stated in our last week's column, the late J. K. P. Kelly was buried December 19, 1900, near the old home place on the river about two miles east of town. He died from typhoid

Post Master J. P. Kelly tells us his father was given the name James K. Polk, because he was born on the day the President bearing that name was inaugurated, March 4, 1845. Mr. Kelly was the youngest of four brothers and was hardly old enough to enlist in the Civil War, but was planning to enter when the war ended. Post Master Kelly says his father was of Irish descent, full of wit and humor, and enjoyed entertaining his family by telling them incidents of his younger days. Following is one of them:

"Along about the close of the war it was necessary for people to protect their horses, as bushwhackers stole everything they could, and specialized in stealing horses. They would take their boot to the Kentucky side, then come back and get more. These bushwhackers were usually scouting soldiers.

One night Kelly was guarding some horses at the John Burke farm, just outside Pennington. About dark an old Irishman came along and wanted a place to put up. He volunteered to help guard the horses. Sure enough, along in the night ten men came along, presumably to take the horses from them. This Irishman, being quite an adept at putting on a show, told the two guards to do as he said, and he would save the horses.

He placed Kelly at one of the doors with a gun, and told him to wait for commands. When these fellows got pretty close up the Irishman began calling, "ready, fire!" Then he would run to another side of the barn and call out the same orders. The men, thinking an army was camping there, quickly retreated

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Ogden Writes National Feature On V. Q. Wacks

Grit, one of the nation's leading weekly newspapers published in Pennsylvania, carried a page feature story in the October 21st issue about the news career of Virgil Q. Wacks, of St. Charles. The story, accompanied by six pictures, was written by Warner Ogden, state editor of the Knoxville News-Sentinel.

Ogden very colorfully portrayed the progress of many stories written by Wacks, starting with Virgil Q. as a Grit paper salesman on the streets of little St. Charles, when a small boy, concluding with the comparison of how his stories had traveled around the world, both on the press wires of AP and UP and by radio, some years later.

This is the second national article the noted magazine writer of Knoxville and editor of the News-Sentinel has written about Wacks, his first appearing in Newspaperman Magazine last March.

Southern States Co-op Meet In Jonesville Oct. 29

Election of an advisory board and a Farm Home Advisory Committee will feature the Ben Hur and Jonesville annual meeting of members and friends of Southern States Cooperative to be held at Jonesville Va., Monday evening, Oct. 29, at 7 p. m.

Nominations for the board are J. A. Wolfe, G. A. Arnold, J. O. Burgon, J. C. Roop, Robert Orr, O. I. Snodgrass, C. D. Walton, Olin R. Parsons, Jonesville; and M. W. Clark, Pennington Gap. Farm women nominated for the Farm Home Advisory Committee are Mrs. E. B. Clark, Mrs. W. S. Cox, Mrs. W. A. Bays, Mrs. Hubert Wheeler, Mrs. Russell Van Huss, Mrs. D. Gregory, Jonesville; Mrs. J. V. Kelly, Mrs. Robert Zion, Pennington Gap; Mrs. Ray Gilbert, Woodway; and Mrs. L. P. Litton, Ewing. The audience will be given an opportunity to made additions to the slates.

J. A. Wolfe, of Jonesville, will preside and introduce the following speakers: E. B. Clark, of Jonesville, whose topic will be "The Necessity For Farm Cooperatives"; Mrs. Ray Gilbert, of Woodway, who will outline "Women's Part In Farm Cooperatives"; L. M. Bledsoe, of Jonesville, and H. E. Bledsoe, of Ben Hur, who will review the local cooperative program; District Manager G. A. Roberts, of Wytheville, who will give the annual report of the Southern States Cooperative and will also show the sound movie, "Endless Acres"; and W. S. Cox, of Jonesville, who will lead an open discussion of questions presented by the audience. The invocation will be given by Rev. W. B. Moore, Pennington Gap, pastor of the First Christian Church.

A committee headed by Mrs Charles Sprinkle is maknig plans for a Feed Bag Style show which will be in to three classes of contestants — juniors, misses and women. Participants will model from Southern States feed bags, either plain or figured or a combination of the two. Prizes will be awarded in this competition. Judges will be Mrs. H. M. Williams, Mrs. E. B. Clark, Mrs. Pearl Ewnig, Jonesville; and Mrs. J. V. Graham, Pennington Gap, chairman.

Chairmen of the various committees planning this annual event include C. L. Snodgrass, Mac Gilbert, Junior Bledsoe and Roy Woodward, greeting committee; Loran Roop, of Jonesville, ushering; and Mrs. Sherman Long, of Jonesville, serving of refreshments. Mrs. J. A. Wolfe, will furnish flowers.

This local annual membership meeting is one of 392 being held throughout the cooperative's territory.

Dillon and Woods To Speak At St. Charles

Hon. J. L. Dillon and Ninth District Republican Chairman, Robert Woods, of Pearisburg, Va., will speak at St. Charles High School auditorium, Saturday, October 27, at 7:00 p. m., (E. S. T.) in behalf of S. Floyd Landreth, Republican Candidate for Governor of Virginia.

District K Teachers To Meet At Lebanon

The District K. Teachers' Meeting, consisting of the counties of Southwest Virginia, will meet at Lebanon High School building at 10:00 a. m., November 10, 1945.

Mr. Dabney Lancaster, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, will address the teachers. A delegation of Lee County teachers are expected to be present.

Methodist Women Are Observing Prayer Week

The Women's Society of Christian Service throughout Methodism is observing a Week of Prayer and Self-Denial beginning on Wednesday, October 24.

An all-day program was observed by the local society at the church on Wednesday, and a noon-day lunch was served. Wednesday night a program in charge of the Wesleyan Service Guild was given in place of the usual prayer meeting service. Other programs will be held throughout the week, ending next Wednesday.

Tentative Gold Star Honor Roll For County

A Gold Star Honor Roll of Virginians who have died from any cause whatsoever while serving in the Armed Forces of the United States and it's Allied Nations during the Second World War, is being compiled in the Virginia Conservation Commission's Division of History for publication next year by the Virginia World War II History Commission.

Below we publish the names of all servicemen and servicewomen eligible for inclusion in this Honor Roll who are now known to have been associated with Lee County. In this list titles of rank are abbreviated in the usual way, while A stands for the Army, N for the Navy, M for the Marine Corps, and C for the Coast Guard. Any reader of this newspaper who knows of any additional person or persons from this or any other locality who should be included in the Gold Star Honor Roll will please fill in and mail the coupon supplied elsewhere in this paper.

Adams, James L., Pfc., A. Wife, Mrs James L. Adams, Route 4, Jonesville; Adams, Edward G., Pvt., M. Wife, Mrs. Edward B. Adams, Pennington Gap; Biggs, John R., Pfc., A. Mother, Mrs. May Biggs, Woodway; Bledsoe, Ray, T. Sgt., A. Father, Pat Bledsoe, Blackwater; Bryant, Bascom J., Pvt., A. Mother, Mrs. Minnie Bryant, Route 1, Ewing; Bush, Charles L., Pfc., A. Mother, Mrs. Maggie M. Bush, Box 11, Ewing; Carter, Judy L., S. Sgt., A. Mother, Mrs. Lillie J. Carter, Pennington Gap; Carter, Perry, Jr., Pfc., M. Wife, Mrs. Perry Carter, Jr., Jonesville; Cavin, William F., Pfc., M. Grandfather, Henry T. Cavin, Ewing; Cheek, Paul H., Pfc., A. Mother, Mrs. Clara F. Cheek, Route 4, Jonesville; Coffman, Paul R., Pvt., A. Mother, Mrs. Lillie Coffman, St. Charles; Collins, William F., Pvt., A. Mother, Mrs. Curtis Collins, Dryden; Diffenderfer, Palmer H., Pvt., A. Father, Leo Elgin Diffenderfer, Jonesville; Dumaine, Glenn G., 2nd Lt., A. Aunt, Mrs. Frances E. Quinley, Jonesville; Flanary, Ballard S., Pfc., A. Father, James M. Flanary, Route 3, Jonesville.

Fleenor, Tom H., Pvt., A. Sister, Miss Anne Fleenor, Jonesville; Fortner, Jack, S. Sgt., A. Mother, Mrs. Dowie McB. Fortner, St. Charles; Garrett, Arvil, Pfc., A. Mother, Mrs. Mary Garrett, Route 1, Pennington Gap; Garrett, Charles Earnest, Jr., Pfc., M. Wife, Mrs. Mary V. Garrett, Route 4, Jonesville; Gibson, Wiley G., Pvt., A. Mother, Mrs. Anie Laura Gibson, Leona Mines; Greer, Frank J., Pvt., A. Wife, Mrs. Maudie E. Greer, Jonesville; Haburne, Randolph, Pfc., A. Father, Charles Haburne, Pennington Gap; Hale. Buck R., S. Sgt., A. Mother, Mrs. Maude Sprinkle, St. Charles; Henderson, Charles Herbert, Jr., Lt. (jg) N. Mother, Mrs. Charles H. Henderson, Sr., Bonny Blue; Hensley, Leroy, Pfc., A. Mother, Mrs. Ida Hensley, Route 2, Jonesville; Hines, Marion L., Pfc., A. Mother, Mrs. Mary G. Hines, Jonesville; Horton, Palmer W., Pfc., A. Mother, Mrs. Vada L. Horton, Route 2, Pennington Gap.

Hughes, Jesse W., Pfc., A. Wife, Mrs. Betty V. Hughes, Pennington Gap; Hughes, Sam, Sgt., A. Wife, Mrs. Geneva Hughes, Box 448, St. Charles; Justice, William R., Cpl., M. Mother, Mrs. Minnie M. Justice, Pennington Gap; Kennedy, Cecil E., T. Sgt., A. Mother, Mrs. Clercie M. Kennedy, Keokee; Lawson, Fred E., Pvt., A. Mother, Mrs. Nora N. Lawson, Box 162, Jonesville; Lawson, John H., Pvt., A. Mother,

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RECEIVING PURPLE HEART ON OKINAWA

T-5 WAYMAN E. BURDEN

Wayman E. Burden, Technical Sergeant 5th grade, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Burden of Bonny Blue, and husband of Mrs. Opal Stewart Burden of this City, is pictured above receiving the Purple Heart award from his commanding officer, at Okinawa last July.

T-5 Burden has been in service 42 months, in the Pacific Theater of War the past 20 months, and has participated in 6 major battles.

T-5 Burden, who is now in Japan, sent the Purple Heart home to his wife.

Chamber Of Commerce Organized At Pennington

Lee County now has in the making its first Chamber of Commerce. Business men of Pennington Gap completed the organization of the new civic enterprise several days ago and have now applied for a charter and official recognition.

At an official meeting held at the Powell Valley News office this week, they voted to expand their membership solicitation into the St. Charles area, accepting into their fold many progressive businessmen of St. Charles and the minefields.

Leonard Hayes, of Pennington Gap, was elected temporary president, and Charles Berry was elected temporary secretary and treasurer.

Mr. Hayes and 14 charter members introduced a wide slate of promotions to be executed by the Chamber when a sufficient membership is obtained. They will strive, most of all, for road funds for this area. Lee County, incidentally, did not receive a penny of the ten million dollar road fund construction allocation released in Richmond a few weeks ago.

They have already sent a delegation to Roanoke to seek funds for the construction of five-mile stretch of the Str Charles-Pennington road which is also the Harlan link. This, according to state figures, is one of the most traveled pieces of road in the State of Virginia. Its reconstruction has been continually promised over and over again for the past several years. So far, no promise until 1947 has been forthcoming

They, too, have remote hopes of a produce and livestock shipping center, and various other enterprises.

They are promoting a membership drive for charter members during the next three weeks.

Their list so far has been twenty. They are: Leonard Hayes, Frank May, C. L. Creech, Frank Smalley, R. C. Parsons, Charles Berry, Jack Pearce, Jake Chinsky, J. M. Anderson, Murphy King, Emory W. Grubbs, Sam C. Blackwell, Virgil Q. Wacks, J. E. Jessee, Dillard Ball, Dewey Stallard, Earl Stallard, Clyde Copeland, and Exra Gilliam.

Rev. Hilliard To Leave Rose Hill

Rev. H. C. Hilliard, for the past five years pastor of Mt. Olivet, Cedar Hill, Enon, and Hubbard Springs Christian Churches, all in the lower section of Lee County, has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Christian Church at Chilhowie, Va., and with his wife and son will leave soon for his new work.

As yet no one has been named to succeed him at the above churches.

Minnix Brothers In Automobile Wreck

The traffic casualties in this area within the last week swelled to approximately 23 yesterday when Elmer and Earl Minnix, brothers, were injured when their 1940 convertible coupe went over the bank at Cove Hill, near Big Stone Gap.

According to reports, the boys had just purchased the car in Knoxville, and were on their way to Bristol, when "all of a sudden something went wrong and the car went over", they are quoted as saying. Both received painful but not serious injuries.

Out of this unusual series of wrecks and accidents only one death is reported — that of Charles P. Manor, of Yazoo, Miss.

Card of Thanks

We take this opportunity to thank our friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness and sympathy in the illness and death of our husband and father, C. D. Ball.

We are especially appreciative for the beautiful floral offerings, to those who assisted in the funeral services, and for the donations of cars.

The Ball Family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tomlinson have as visitors this week Mrs. Tomlinson's aunt, Mrs. Alpha Jessee, of Spokane, Wash., and Mrs. Jessee's daughter, Mrs. Verna Carson, of Seattle, Wash. They will also visit other relatives in Lee County before returning to Washington.

One Dead, Several Hurt In Traffic Accidents

Shoe Rationing to End Sunday Or November 1

Just a few more days and the trouble of having to have stamps to buy new shoes will be a thing of the past, according to an AP news article from Washington, D. C.

Official discussion of when to end shoe rationing narrowed tentatively Wednesday to a choice of October 28—next Sunday, or November 1, the article said.

A government official, who asked that his name not be used, said that OPA and the War Production Board expect to pick the date by today for ending shoe rationing. The October 28 date is favored by those who want the program terminated over a week-end so that merchants can prepare for unrestricted buying. Those urging November 7 would like to have rationing end at the start of a calendar month.

Plans to end rationing were drawn when a survey showed that shoe production is now at a rate of about 28,000,000 pairs a month, only slightly less than before the war.

Big Dance Band Coming to Niggerhead Hallowe'en

The Niggerhead Club, located opposite the Niggerhead Rock on the St. Charles road, which has been open to a large and lively crowd for the past two weeks, will celebrate their official opening next Wednesday, Oct. 31, with a big Hallowe'en dance.

The Niggerhead is presenting Eddie Robinson and his 16-piece Royal American Orchestra to entertain crowds from Lee and many nearby counties, for their biggest show of the season.

Featuring fancy steak and chicken dinners seven nights a week, the Niggerhead is presenting special live music with Lois Brock and her orchestra on Friday and Sunday nights and Smith Carson and his orchestra on Saturday night.

Leo Hagy, Jr., has a new partner at the Niggerhead. Cose Arnold has bought out Allen Jones, who originally reopened the club with Mr. Hagy.

Pennington and Turner Cattle Outstanding In Natural Color Movies

A. S. Pennington and S. T. Turner will be as much surprised as will thousands of other theater-goers in Lee County and throughout Virginia when they see how wonderful their fine herds of Hereford cattle look through the lens of a color movie camera.

A considerable amount of footage was filmed several days ago of the herds on the farms of both men. The returned film from the New York laboratorires this week revealed striking results of some of the finest shots ever made of cattle in this section of the country.

The cattle on Mr. Pennington's farm were shown grazing in the warm morning sun, on the best of grass suited to produce a finer animal. Similar scenes were really attractive from the fields of Mr. Turner's farms.

The Hereford chapter will be used in the Lee County picture, "Lee Has Everything", which is being filmed by Virgil Q. Wacks, and will be completed and released in November.

Next week, Wacks will film the birthplace and plaques of Dr. Still, near Jonesville, and the story of C. Bascom Slemp's rise to fame in the eastern end of Lee County.

Injuries Fatal To Wise County Man

John M. Chandler, 67, a native of Cracker's Neck, Wise County, died in Lee General Hospital about noon today from injuries received in a most unusual way.

According to reports he was cutting timber near his home when he was struck across the right shoulder by a falling limb.

In some way the falling limb struck the saw with which he was working, pushing it into his chest with such force that deep lacerations were inflicted. He lived only a few hours after the accident.

Joseph P. Manor Died In Hospital Tuesday

One dead and about 19 or more injured, is the toll of automobile wrecks in our County within less than a weeks' time.

Joseph P. Manor, 52, died at Lee General Hospital early Tuesday morning, October 23, the result of being hurled from his Army jeep against the pavement Sunday when a tire blew out, according to witnesses. He suffered a deep cut in the head and skull fracture, and died without regaining consciousness.

Manor's wife stated at the hospital that he was employed with the Smyth Construction Company, and came to Pennington Gap Sunday to do some repair work on an air compressor. He was returning home when the accident occurred, about 3:15 p. m., on the highway about one mile east of D. L. Willie' Store, west of Jonesville. Mrs. Manor stated that they are originally from Yazoo, Miss., and that she and the three children came here to be with him until his work was finished, and that they were residing about 12 miles from Jonesville, near Morgan Edds' store. Manor's body was returned to Yazoo for funeral and burial.

Mrs. Don Carter and Mrs. Lee Salley, sisters-in-law, were brought to Lee General Sunday night suffering cuts, bruises and other injuries from the wreck of their automobile which occurred about 6:30.

Mr. Carter and their young son, Pat, suffered minor injuries, but are able to be out. According to the women, they were driving Mr. Carter's taxi, with Mrs. Salley at the wheel, to Middlesboro, taking two discharged servicemen. About two miles west of Ewing, a truck crowded them off the road, they said. The car turned completely over, landing on it's wheels. They said the truck never stopped. Mrs. Carter was released from the hospital Tuesday. Mrs. Salley still remains.

Officers G. C. Warner and Matt Cooney stated that Frank Delp, of Blackwater, turned his truck over Sunday at Blackwater and was injured. They also report that three minor wrecks occurred in the Gap of the mountain. Last week two were hurt seriously and several others suffered minor injuries in a wreck occurring below Jonesville near the old Martins school house.

Former Lee Counian Died In Louisville

Relatives here have been notified of the death of H. T. Graham, of Louisville, Ky., on Tuesday, Oct. 23.

The body will be brought to Harlan, Ky., for funeral and burial, and will lie in state at Anderson & Laws Funeral Home until the funeral hour, which has not been yet been definitely decided upon, other than that it will be sometime Sunday.

Mr. Graham was born in Lee County and spent most of his life here, but has resided in Louisville for the past several years. He was the son of the late Henderson Graham and Hannah Larmer Graham.

Surviving are two sisters, Mrs. George V. Shelburne and Mrs. J. L. Cunningham, both of Pennington Gap; four brothers, Dr. E. V. Graham, of Denver, Colo.; R. S. Graham, Los Angeles, Calif.; S. H. and B. P. Graham, of Pennington Gap.

St. Charles Miners Play All-Star Game Sunday

The St. Charles Miners baseball club, who copped the title of the Lonesome Pine League for 1945, will take on an all-star aggregation picked from over the entire loop for a game at St. Charles, Sunday, starting at 1:30 p. m.

The best players will be selected from the other five clubs of the league, Pennington Gap, Jonesville, Dunbar, Cumberland, and Oreton. They will be managed by Sam Riddle, of Dunbar, with the other managers assisting in an effort to overcome the St. Charles clan.

Deaths
AND FUNERALS

C. D. Ball

Charlie D. Ball, a life-long Lee Countian and farmer of Jonesville, Route 2, died at his home early Sunday morning, October 21, at the age of 76.

Mr. Ball had not been feeling well for several weeks, and about two weeks prior to his death suffered a stroke of paralysis.

Funeral services were held at the Jonesville Baptist Church, Tuesday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, in charge of the pastor, Rev. J. C. Jackson, assisted by Rev. Clinton Green, of St. Charles, and Rev. E. C. Knicely, of Jonesville. Burial was near his former home about one mile east of Jonesville, Route 4, Highway 58.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Sarah Wright Ball; three daughters, Miss Bertha Ball, teacher in Harlan High School; Mrs. Walter Howard, of Jonesville and Miss Stella Ball, Oak Ridge; seven sons, G. R. (Garnet) of Stickleyville; J. C. (Curry) of Knoxville; Charles, Jr., of Westfield, N. C., Captain J. K. former principal of St. Charles High School; Lt. O. M. (Omer) of Coeburn, PO R. N. (Neal) of Knoxville, Clifford, of Detroit, Michigan.

He is also survived by ten grandchildren, and one brother, G. W. Ball, of Jonesville, R. 4.

W. C. Kirk

W. C. (Cam) Kirk, 69, died Saturday, October 20, at his home on Ely's Creek after an illness of several months. He was a member of the Baptist Church and of Virginia Lee Local.

Funeral services were held at the home of his mother, Mrs. Julia Kirk, on Ely's Creek, Monday, October 22, in charge of the Rev. Clinton Greene, assisted by Rev. Fultz. Burial was in the family plot on top of the ridge above his home place.

Mr. Kirk is survived by his mother, two daughters, Miss Mae Kirk, at home and Mrs. Edith Middleton, of Ely's Creek community. Also four grandchildren, two sisters, Mrs. Sarah Thomas and Mrs. Flossie Dean, of Ely's Creek; three brothers, John, Hobart, and Ballard, all of the same community.

Mrs. Margaret McConnell

Mrs. Margaret McConnell, 72, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Joe Hilton, of Pennington Gap, early Monday morning, October 22, following a long illness.

She was a member of the Methodist Church of Appalachia, a former resident of Rose Hill, Va., and had made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Hilton, for the past several years.

Mrs. McConnell was the widow of the late Robert McConnell. She is survived by two sons, Charles, of Appalachia, and Jessee, of Rose Hill; seven daughters, Mrs. Hilton, of Pennington Gap, Mrs. Herbert Campbell, of Stanford, Ky., Mrs. George Delp, Appalachia, Mrs. Neal Kersey, Cincinnati, Mrs. Ralph Petty, Tampa, Fla., Mrs. Gregory Kay, Detroit, Mich., and Mrs. James Cole, Rose Hill; one sister, Mrs. Tom Anderson, Dayton, Ohio, and one brother, John Chester, of Wheelwright, Ky.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, 10:00 a. m., at the First Baptist Church in Pennington Gap, in charge of the pastor, Rev. P. R. Stubbs. Burial followed in the American Legion Cemetery about three miles east of Big Stone Gap.

G. W. Russell

George W. Russell, son of the late Alfred and Polly Litton Russell, pioneer residents of Lee County, died at his home in West Pennington about noon Monday, October 22, at the age of 95 years, 7 months and 9 days.

Mr. Russell was born near Pennington Gap, and has spent practically all his life in and near this community. When he was quite a boy his father bought and moved to a valuable farm in the Sugar Run community, between Ben Hur and Hubbard Springs. Mr. Russell grew up to love farm life and made a great success of it. He became expert in grape-growing culture, grafting and growing fruit trees, poultry raising, stock marketing and everything that pertained to the farm. He retired from public activity only a few years ago.

Funeral services for Mr. Russell were held at the First Baptist Church, Wednesday, October 24, at 2 p. m., in charge of the pastor, Rev. P. R. Stubbs, assisted by the other local pastors. Burial was in Cecil Cemetery.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Elizabeth Brown Russell; three sons, Emmett, of Pennington Gap; Harry, of Dayton, Ohio; King, of Chicago; three daughters, Mrs. Ida Painter, of Tazewell, Va., Mrs. Ruby Myers, Greeneville, Tenn., Mrs. Queen Cooper, Phoenix, Ariz.

Greene Oxford

Greene Oxford, one of Lee County's outstanding pioneer citizens died at the home of his son, Frank Oxford, in Jonesville, Monday, October 22, at the age of 76.

Funeral services were held at 3:00 p. m., Tuesday, at Boling Church near Jonesville, in charge of the pastor, Rev. L. D. Perkins. Burial was in the family cemetery on Powell River, three miles south of Jonesville.

Surviving are the son, Frank, and three daughters, Mrs. Maude Hines, Jonesville; Mrs. Dwight Smith, Knoxville; Mrs. Mae Hartman, Veronda, Michigan.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 12th day of October, 1945.

Jesse L. Gibson .....Complainant

vs. Order of Publication

Bertha Lee Gibson Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce A Vinculo Matrimonii on grounds of Desertion. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Bertha Lee Gibson, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address is 1914 West Griffith Avenue, Louisville 3, Kentucky, it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:

VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D .C.
p. q. W. L. Davidson.
Adv. No. 42-4t.

Keokee H. S. Organizes Students' Coop. Ass'n

Alberta Roberts, Reporter

The pupils of Keokee High School assembled together Friday afternoon, October 12, and organized a Students' Cooperative Association, which they hope will be helpful to them in public speaking, literary and educational work. We plan to give regular programs throughout the school year. The officers elected were as follows:

President, James Frank Hensley, Jr.; Vice-President, Donald Stewart; Secretary-Treasurer, Geneva Stewart; Reporter, Alberta Roberts.

Program Committee: Senior class, Darel Moore; Junior class, Leslie Nichols; Sophomore class, Wayne Smith; Freshman class, Helen Morris; Co-sponsors: Miss Jones and Miss Bledsoe.

On Friday afternoon, October 19, at 2:00 o'clock, they assembled in the school auditorium and gave the following program:

The house was called to order by our student president, James Frank Hensley, Jr., who made a short address, outlining the benefits to be derived from our Students' Cooperative Association.

Bible reading, Elmer Robbins; Prayer, led by Geneva Stewart; Song, "America", piano accompanist, Miss Kilgore; Reading, Miss Bledsoe; School Highlights, Beulah Estep; Lost and found, Sue Legg and Faye King; Story, Doris Short; Questions and answers, Joe Stewart and Jerry Stewart; Talk, Mr. Wolfe; Song, "Kneel at the Cross", Music by Miss Kilgore.

Lee Salley, of Pennington, and Mr. nad Mrs. May Salley of Benedict, have gone to Fort Bragg, N. C., to visit his brother, Orban Salley.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Stover and little daughter, Mary Elizabeth, returned to their home in Detroit the first of the week after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wolfe, in Pennington, and other relatives and friends in Lee County.

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Mr. Lewis may be reached at Local Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, Va., and Miss McNiel at Local Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va.

A list of Lee County men discharged from the Armed Forces will appear in this newspaper each week as they are furnished to us by the two Local Selective Service Boards in the County.

Forrest Hall, Jonesville; Lonzo Ely, R. 2, Jonesville; Herman E. Presley, Ben Hur; George R. Graham, Jonesville; Willie P. Kelly, Ewing; Howard Kirk, Jonesville; Kenneth K. Skeen, Ben Hur; Eugene R. Eagle, Ewing; Bishop Bailey, R. 4, Jonesville; Charles G. Blakemore, R. 3, Jonesville; Calvin L. Campbell, Rose Hill; James W. Carmony, Ewing; Harding L. Carroll, Hubbard Springs; Willie Chadwell, Ewing; Lee R. Cheek, Rose Hill; Oscar Ely, R. 2, Rose Hill; Olen D. Hounshell, Jonesville; Tipton E. James, Jonesville; Melvin Johnson, Blackwater; Harry V. Kinzer, Jonesville; Robert B. LaForce, Jonesville; Alfred W. Langley, Hagan; Campbell C. Lawson, Rose Hill; Curtis M. Lawson, Rose Hill.

Gale C. Lawson, R. 2, Jonesville; Roy E. Lawson, Jonesville; James B. Ledford, Jonesville; Elihew Lee, Rose Hill; Lloyd M. Livesay, Jonesville; Arthur Lorton, Gibson Station; Marvin H. Martin, Ewing; Ross Martin, Rose Hill; Marion V. Orr, Richmond; Paul B. Price, Jonesville; Ralph O. Robinette, Blackwater; Herman C. Rutlege, R. 4, Jonesville; William E. Snodgrass, Jonesville; Joe E. Warf, Ewing; Charles M. Williams, Gibson Station; James D. Yeary, Jonesville; Henry Stigall, Gibson Station; Charles O. Osborne, R. 1, Blackwater; Ogle Moore, Blackwater; Tobe Cheek, Rose Hill; Fred E. Johnston, R. 4, Jonesville; Bascom Baker, R. 2, Blackwater; Glen Harber, Rose Hill; Whitford Couk, Jonesville; Robert L. Clement, Sr., Gibson Station; Pearl Sturgill, R. 4, Jonesville.

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News From ROLLER'S CHAPEL

Pvt. Thomas A. Sword has been discharged from European service and is with homefolk and friends.

Pfc. Burleson Sword, whose service was in the Pacific Theatre, is discharged. He was welcomed home by a few days old son, Larry Wayne Sword, et als.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Blankin and daughters, Evelyn and June, and Miss Irene Bargo, were in Pennington Gap, Monday.

Prts. Forrest Carroll and Carter Pridemore are visiting homefolk.

Barney Sword and David Sword, Lynch, Ky., visited their father, Nathan Sword, over the week end.

Miss Maggie Sword, Kingsport, was a week end visitor here.

News From HAGAN

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Depew and family, of Hubbard Springs, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Langley.

Mr. and Mrs. Cellie Thomas and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Apsy Ely and family.

Herbert Chance, of the U. S. Navy, is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Chance.

Hugh Irvin, Lawrence Hensley and Alfred Langley, of the U. S. Army, have returned home on honorable discharge through the point system.

Russell Oaks, employed at Alcoa, Tenn., is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Oaks.

First Christian Church

Sunday, October 28: Bible School at 10:00 a. m., H. O. Hines, Superintendent.

Worship with communion at 10:45. Sermon subject, "We are what we read." Our workers join with other churches at 2:00 p. m. for religious survey of town and surrounding communities.

Christian Endeavors meet at 6:15 p. m., Mrs. Ruth Keith, President.. No preaching at night as the pastor goes to Union Church for evening worship.

Choir rehearsal Wednesday at 6:00 p. m. Prayer and Praise service at 7:00.

Ladies Aid and Missionary Societies meet at the church Thursday, November 1, at 2:00 p. m.

W. B. Moore, Minister.

Methodist Church

Sunday morning, October 28: Church School at 9:30, Clyde L. Kirk, Superintendent.

Morning worship at 10:45: speaker, Dr. Edwin E. Chambers. Special music.

Evening: Youth Fellowship groups meet at 6:15.

Evening worship at 7:00 o'clock. Sermon by pastor, topic, "Two Sons."

Midweek prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

Charlie D. Mehaffey, Pastor.

FARM NEWS

Farmers are turning more and more to green manure and cover crops to boost their acreage yields and to protect their fields against erosion, according to information furnished by the State Triple-A Office. There is evidence that farmers last year devoted a record acreage to these crops in addition to their record in food production. The 23,160,000 acres devoted to soil-conserving crops under the 1944 AAA program was 43 per cent greater than the average under the 1939-43 programs. Nothing is more vital to good soil management than a systematic return of organic matter to the soil. Several practices encouraged by AAA help to accomplish this. Growing of grasses and legumes in rotation probably is the most important. Green manure and cover crops are a part of a good rotation system. Legumes, besides adding organic matter to the soil, provide nitrogen which is drawn from the air. Cover crops have increased the yield of cotton by as much as 35 per cent; corn yields have increased as much as 75 per cent.

In Virginia alone, a recent report shows that under the Triple-A program more than 300,000 acres were seeded in the fall of 1944 to rye-grass, winter legumes and small grain for cover. The figure does not include acreage seeded to small grain for grain.

Mrs. Paul Morefield, of Leona Mines, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Clyde McElyea.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 3 day of October, 1945.

Ruth Hall Doyle, who sues by E. B. Hall, her next friend, Complainant

vs. Order of Publication

Willie Ralph Doyle, Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on ground of desertion, and custody of Judith Irene Doyle, infant daughter, and an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Willie Ralph Doyle is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address is 1485 Poplar Avenue, Memphis, Tenn., it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and a weekly newspaper published at once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:

VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p.q. L. M. Robinette.
Adv. No. 41—4t-pd.

I. O. O. F. To Hold Dist. Meet, Rose Hill, Nov. 17

Ellis Roberts, District Deputy Grand Master of District 39, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, announced today that there will be a District Meeting of District 39, at Weston Lodge, 178, Rose Hill, Va., on Saturday, November 17th, at 7:30 p. m., (E. S. T.). Special speaking by able men and refreshments, will highlight the meeting.

All Odd Fellows are urged to attend this meeting.

Miss James Alyce Laningham was here from Virginia Intermont, at Bristol, over the week end.

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When you give to this fund, your dollars bring new hope and happiness to many people. For part of your money goes to the National War Fund, which brings entertainment and relaxation to our men overseas through the U.S.O., supports War Prisoners' Aid and United Seamen's Service, and sends help to the needy in allied countries through the Allied War Relief agencies.

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Mrs. Margie Elizabeth Lawson, Olinger; Lawson, Lucius R., Pfc., A. Mother, Mrs. Cora Lawson, Pennington Gap; McElyea, Truman E., Sgt., A. Mother, Mrs. Zola E. McElyea, Route 1, Keokee; Marion, Robert C., Pvt., A. Mother, Mrs. Zona Gunn, Pennington Gap; Middleton, Elmer, Sgt., A. Mother, Mrs. Lisa Middleton, Route 2, Jonesville; Middleton, Elmer, Sgt., A. Mother, Mrs. Cleva Middleton, Pennington Gap; Miller, Jessie A., Pvt., A. Mrs. Pearl Miller, Bonny Blue; Nelson, George L., Pvt., M. Mrs. Charlie Nelson, Ewing; Newberry, Carl T., Pfc., A. Father, Harvey A. Newberry, Route 3, Jonesville.

Osborne, John H., Pvt., A. Mother, Mrs. Goldie Osborne, Blackwater; Osborne, Worley Z., Cpl., A. Wife, Mrs. Rosa Osborne, Route 1, Blackwater; Parkey, Daine O., Pvt., A. Mother, Mrs. Alice Parkey, Box 173, Jonesville; Parsons, Delbert L., Sgt., A. Mother, Mrs. Della F. Parsons, Virginia Lee St., St. Charles; Pennington, William J., T. 5, A. Mother, Mrs. Lona Mullins Pennington, Ben Hur; Pitts, Philip D., 2nd Lt., A. Father, Rosen C. Pitts, Box 4, St. Charles; Province, James R., Cpl., A. Mother, Mrs. Rose A. Province, St. Charles; Ramsey, William F., Sgt., A. Mother, Mrs. Martha Ramsey, Rose Hill; Ray, Innes C., Pvt., A. Wife, Mrs. Vivian L. Ray, Route 1, Pennington Gap; Rhymer, Fuson H., Pfc., A. Father, Harvie Rhymer, Gibson Station; Rice, Millard, Pfc., A. Mother, Mrs. Pearly Rice, Calvin; Rogers, Dearl F., Pvt., A. Mother, Mrs. Eliza Pendergraft Rogers, St. Charles; Roller, Gaines B., Pfc., A. Mother, Mrs. Mary Frances Roller, Route 1, Blackwater; Rowlette, Homer J., Pfc., A. Mother, Mrs. Minnie Rowlette, Gibson Station; Rutherford, Harold, MoMM 3-C., N. Mother, Mrs Wilburn Rutherford, St. Charles.

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MUNSEY — TEGGE

The West Washington Baptist Church, Washington, D. C., was the scene of the wedding of Miss Edith Munsey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cline Munsey, Jonesville, Virginia, and Corporal John L. Tegge, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Gaupman, of Oakland, California. The Rev. W. M. Martin officiated in the double ring ceremony Friday evening at eight o'clock, October 5. The altar was banked with palms, white chrysanthemums and white gladioli.

Given in marriage by her cousin, Andrew E. Grigsby of Washington, the bride wore a gown of ivory satin with a sweetheart neckline trimmed in seeded pearls with long pointed sleeves and a train. A coronet of satin and seed pearls held the finger tip veil in place. She carried a bouquet of white rose buds with sweet pea streamers.

Miss Waive Robinette, maid of honor, Blackwater, Virginia, wore a gown of blue marquisette with matching headdress, and carried a full bouquet of jasmine rose buds.

Mr. Charles A. Burton, Jr., of Brooke, W. Va., was best man.

Reception was held at the home of the bride's cousin, Mrs. Grafton J. Hilleary of Washington, immediately following the ceremony. The home was beautifully decorated with an assortment of yellow and white chrysanthemums, pink gladioli, red princess feathers, and Queen Anne's lace. The highlight of the reception was the cutting of the three tier wedding cake by the bride and groom.

Out-of-town guests were: Mrs. Teressa Metizheim, Oakland, California; Mrs. C. A. Burton and son, Brooke, Virginia; Cpl. and Mrs. Wesley Mountjoy, Alexandria, Va.; Miss Eva Mae Flanary and Mr. R. C. Myers, Pennington Gap, Va.; Mrs. Julia Brown, Boston, Mass.; and Chief Petty Officer, Guy Pazzaola, New Orleans.

The bride wore a green wool suit with matching accessories and a corsage of white rose buds as her going away apparel.

Following a brief honeymoon through the West, the couple will reside in Oakland, Calif.

Many a man has pulled it, but Adam alone spoke the truth when he said, "You're the only girl in the world for me."

First Baptist Church

Sunday morning, October 28: Sunday School at 9:30. A. T. Burchette, Supt. Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon topic: "Lure of the High Places".

Evening: Training Unions meet at 6:30. Evening worship at 7:30. Sermon topic: "Inexcusable Idleness".

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TOWN TALK

(Continued from page one)

and the horses were saved.

Miracles of plant life

Plants and growing things are doing some queer little tricks up this way it seems.

A week or two ago, we wrote in our column about Fred Kirk's second crop of strawberries.

Mrs. Ressie Pennington has a Christmas cactus that is supposed to bloom only at Christmas time. Last year at Christmas it had 46 beautiful, brilliant blossoms. The plant shed it's bloom as usual, then, instead of waiting until another year to bloom, it forthwith started again. Mrs. Pennington says that so for it has bloomed every month this year until last month.

Down at Flatwood the other day folk were talking about some apple, cherry and peach trees bearing a few bloom on a farm in that neighborhood.

O. L. Nida, a farmer of the Flatwood community, has a three-acre tract of corn that probably tops the records for Lee County. The corn averages 14 1-2 feet in heighth, and nine feet to the ear.

The tallest stalk measured 15 feet, 11 inches in heighth, and the shortest, 10 feet, 11 inches. The ears of corn averaged 10 inches in length, and were large, round and thrifty looking. Mr. Nida says this tract has grown corn 57 years in succession, losing only one crop, that of 1941, due to the flood. That year the water from the creek came down the hollow, backing up to a depth of 25 feet, Mr. Nida said.

This tract has a depth of 15 feet of made soil. This year it was improved with 1700 pounds of fertilizer and 200 pounds of double strength ammonia.

Something lacking

Glenn Hobbs, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hobbs, on his 3rd birthday recently, put his three pennies into the birthday fund at the First Christian Church. He looked around, then asked quite solemnly, "Where's the cake?"

News From FRIENDSHIP

The Sunday School here put on a drive for new members. Glenn Willis is captain of the "Reds" and Miss Jett Spangler is captain of the "Blues." As each side brings a new member they pin a badge on them of their color. The drive closes on Feb. 24, 1946, and the side that brings in the least number of members will treat the other side to a supper.

Sgt. and Mrs. Harold Couk are spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Couk.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Spangler were shopping in Middlesboro, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Payne, of Harlan, visited her mother, Mrs. C. D. Cody, recently.

Jean Spangler, who is employed at Knoxville, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Spangler.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Andis were called to Norton Monday due to the death of his niece.

HUNTER'S GAP

Everyone here was sorry to learn of the death of a beloved friend, Mrs. Ida Seabolt. Several here attended the funeral.

Miss Ted Livesay was a week end guest of Miss Patty Horton.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Creech, of North Carolina, visited relatives here Sunday.

Messrs. Doyle McPherson, Elmer Cole and Gouvenor Russell were on Wallens Creek Sunday visiting friends.

Miss Nancy Ball visited her aunt, Miss Maggie Olinger recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Edwards spent the past week with Mrs. Edward's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gay Collins, of Woodway.

Miss Joyce Williams spent Monday night with her friend, Miss Nola Mae Kincer.

Miss Stella Moore is confined to Lee General Hospital from illness.

If exercise reduces weight, why do some women have double chins?

Holds Many Awards

Cpl. Judge W. Bledsoe is home with an honorable discharge from the U. S. Army. He served with the Tank Corps in the African and European campaigns; also in Northern France and the Rhineland. He served four years overseas.

Cpl. Bledsoe enlisted at the age of 18. He has to his credit the Service Ribbon, Good Conduct Medal, and the medal for bravery in action. He is the son of Mrs. Perry Woodard, of Leona Mines.

Carole Jane Burchette, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Burchette, is ill this week.

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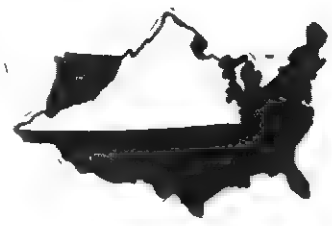

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With Our Service Men

Promoted

Promotion of George L. Napier, husband of Mrs. Nellie Newman Napier, from private to private first class, has been announced at Ninth Service Command Headquarters, Fort Douglas, Utah.

Pfc. Napier entered the Army January 17, 1945, and is assigned to the Command's Eastern District. He is the son of Mrs. Eliza Thompson Napier of St. Charles, Va.

Is civilian again

Pvt. Jack M. Rogers, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Rogers of Pennington Gap, is a civilian again, following his discharge at the Army Separation Point at McClellan Field, Calif., after four and a half years of service with the Army Air Forces.

He was in the American theatre from September, 1941, to June, 1944. Previous to entering the armed forces he was employed at Yellow Truck and Coach, Pontiac, Michigan. He is the husband of Elizabeth Ann Rogers, who resides at Sacramento, Calif.

Wakayama, Honshu, Japan

Baylor E. Kirk, son of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Kirk, of R. 1, Pennington Gap, was among the task force who were stationed on the above ship watching landing craft put occupation troops ashore on Sept. 23. The troops were landed at the Harbor on the southeastern coast of Honshu for the occupation of Japan's inland cities of Kobe and Osaka.

Out of the AAF

Sgt. Paul Stapleton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kin Stapleton of St. Charles, was recently given an honorable discharge from the Army Air Forces at a Separation Center, to which he was transferred from Seymour Johnson Field, N. C.

Sgt. Stapleton, a farmer in civilian life, entered the service on August 21, 1942. He went overseas on Dec. 7, 1943, and served as a cook, returning to this country on August 21st of this year. He holds the European theatre ribbon with three battle stars.

On USS "TUSCALOOSA"

Ray E. Massingill, seaman first class, of Pennington Gap, Rt. 1, and Wm. L. Babbrel, MM. 3-C., Dryden, Va., served on this cruiser when, as part of a task force of more than 50 ships, she steamed into Jinsen, Korea, Sept. 8, to help occupy and liberate the country from the Japanese.

About 15,000 American sailors and soldiers streamed ashore to occupy the capitol city of Keijo, 23 miles away, to the cheers of the natives. A crowd estimated at 100,000 gathered in the vicinity of the capitol to watch the lowering of the Jap flag and the raising of the Stars and Stripes.

Helped occupy N. Japan

James H. Kinzer, Seaman first class, USNR, Jonesville, Va., served on the heavy cruiser, USS "CHESTER" in the Pacific, when she helped occupy the Hokkaido-Aomori-Ominato area of Northern Japan.

The cruiser saw action in the Marshalls, Wake, Marcus, Guadalcanal, Iwo Jima, Tarawa, Wotje, the battle of the Coral Sea, Tulagi, the Alieutians, Paramushiro, Chichi Jima, the battle for Leyte Gulf and the operations in the East China Sea

Honorably discharged

Charles Williams of Pennington Gap, was given an honorable discharge from the service at Fort Lewis, Washington, September 14, 1945, officials at the Separation Center at Fort Lewis announced

He is the son of Mrs Iva Williams, and has been in service since July, 1942

Local Soldier In Honor Ceremony On Luzon

V-J Day brought Pfc. Orman E. Barker, of Pennington Gap, serving with the 37th Infantry Division on Luzon, a surprise in the form of a ceremony in honor of him and members of his organization staged by citizens of Penablancha, Cagayan Province, Luzon. The mayor of Penablanca and his people, complete with brass band and color guard, paraded through the battery position. The mayor made a speech thanking the battery for the part it had played in relieving the suffering the inhabitants had endured during the Japanese occupation.

Pfc. Barker entered the service in October, 1944. After completing his training at Fort Bragg, N. C., he left the States in May, 1945 for overseas duty. He joined the 37th Division on Luzon while the latter was pushing through the Cagayah Valley.

The husband of Mrs. Ziffie Barker, Pfc. Barker is a cannoneer on a 105 MM howitzer.

Governor Proclaims Oct. 27 Navy Day

Governor Colgate W. Darden issued a proclamation Monday, naming October 27 Navy Day in Virginia.

The Governor's proclamation called on the people of Virginia "to enter into all observances of the day and pay deep and grateful tribute to our Navy and to all for which it stands, mindful of the great sacrifices that have been made."

Natural Tunnel District PTA Meets in Gate City

A meeting of the Natural Tunnel District, P. T. A., was held in Gate City last Thursday.

Miss June Lewis, of Pennington High School faculty, is District President, and attended the meeting. Miss Helen Fry attended as representative of the Pennington High School Elementary group, and Miss Mary Davidson as representative of the High School group.

The High School Glee Club attended and sang some numbers.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Luntsford and family are moving to Johnson City, Tenn., their former home place before Mr. Luntsford entered Navy service. He has been honorably discharged after 19 months' service.

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98 Hospitals To Get Red Cross Directors

In order to coordinate its service with the expanding needs of Veterans' Administration Hospitals, the Red Cross is installing full time, paid field directors at each of the veterans' hospitals in the United States, according to a dispatch from Washington, D. C., National Red Cross Headquarters.

These men will direct the work of the volunteer workers and serve as liason agents with the Veterans' Administration More Gray Ladies, nurses' aides, dieticians' aides, arts and skills instructors, motor corps and canteen workers, all familiar to the veteran will be recruited as needs develop. The field director will be the person to whom the volunteers and the Veterans' Administration will look for assistance in developing the Red Cross program

In each of the Red Cross area offices, located in New York City, Alexandria, Va., Atlanta, St Louis and San Francisco, a director of service for veterans' hospitals in the area will be appointed He will be responsible to the Red Cross administrator of services to veterans in his specific area

Mrs Julian King and daughter, Charlene, and Mrs. J. G. Overbay, Jr, were here from Kingsport over the week end, visiting their parents and parents-in-law, Mr and Mrs. J. G. Overbay, Sr The elder Overbays returned to Kingsport with them for a few days' visit.

Advertisement

From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

"There ought to be a law!"

Every now and then, when I run out of news for the *Clarion*, I print items about what happened Fifty Years Ago in Our Town. May be a lazy man's way of filling space, but it often makes mighty interesting reading.

Seems like human nature is always repeating itself. Same old prejudices, bickerings, and mistakes. Here's an 1895 politician trying to restrict free speech ... a demagogue crying out against women's rights ... a local committee raising the bugaboo of Prohibition.

Same old cry down through the years: "There ought to be a law!" Same old desire of one group to force its opinions on another.

From where I sit, it's not more laws we need—nor more restrictions of our right to think, and choose, and live as we see fit. But more tolerance and understanding—more "live-and-let-live" among human kind.

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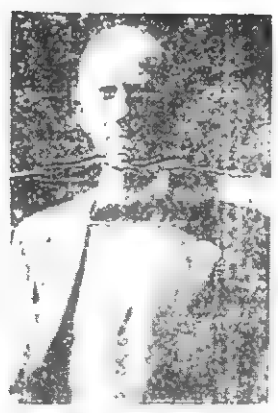
TO THE VOTERS OF LEE COUNTY, VIRGINIA:



I am a candidate for House of Delegates, Election to be held November 6, 1945, and if successful, I will use my influence and will vote for the following measures in the House of Delegates:

1. Pensions for all teachers who have taught in the public schools for 25 years, and for pensions for all teachers who have become disabled while teaching regardless of number of years taught.
2. Better pay for teachers, with a minimum wage of $1200.00 per year, payable in 12 monthly payments.
3. If elected I will introduce a bill in the House of Delegates to have the Bible taught in all free schools; also for free school books.
4. Better roads, especially in Rural Communities.
5. Better enforcement of traffic laws, by employment of more State Highway Patrolmen.
6. Repeal of the Absent Voters Law, and payment of poll taxes as a prerequisite to voting.
7. Repeal of the State law for registration of voters as it now stands and the appointment of a Bi-partisan Registration Board for each precinct, consisting of one member from each of the two major political parties.
8. Election by the people of Judges of the Circuit Courts, Trial Justices and Superintendents of Public Instruction, including Division Superintendents.
9. Pensions for all disabled miners, their widows and orphans, the funds for this pension to be provided one-half by the employer and the other one-half by the employee. Widows to receive at least $50.00 per month for life; also old age pension for miners after attaining the age of 55 years.
10. I favor any legislation which will be for the betterment of the soldiers who are returning from the Army. They have given their time, health, and some of them their lives that we might live in freedom.

If I am successful in the election I pledge my sacred honor that I will do my utmost to have the above pledges enacted into law.

If you believe as I do, vote for me, and it will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely Yours
Fred Kirk

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ANNOUNCEMENT ....

Beginning the first Wednesday in November all stores in Pennington Gap, will be open on Wednesday afternoons until the first Wednesday, in January.

Pennington Gap Merchants

News From BLACKWATER

Mrs. Floyd Johnson and family, who have been visiting in Blackwater, have returned to their home in Oak Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Newman Munsey, of Jonesville, and Mr. and Mrs. Blane Jones, of Kingsport, Tenn., were visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Walton over the week end.

Eugene Robinson, of the U. S. Army, and family were visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Robinson the past week end.

Messrs. Leroy and Lewis Richardson were visiting relatives in Kingsport over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Flanary were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Richardson Sunday; Mr. Lynn Flanary was also a guest of the Richardsons.

Roy Roop, of the U. S. Army, returned to his post Sunday. He was accompanied to Bristol by his wife and son.

Miss Waive Robinette, who is employed at Washington, D. C., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Robinette, this week.

Seaman John B. Russell is expected home at any time.

Earl Johnson accompanied John H. Osborne, Jr., to his home in Kingsport, Tenn., Friday.

Mr. Neil Wallen and Mr. Bill Moore were dinner guests of Mr. T. H. Robinson, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Willis and family were visiting Mrs. Willis' father Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hickam were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Sanders Sunday.

News From WOODWAY

Ray Yeary, S. 1-C, has returned to San Francisco, Calif., after spending a seven-day leave with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shoemaker spent the week end at Kingsport, Tenn. They were accompanied by Misses Pauline Shell, Ruby, Blanche and Geneva Hyden.

Cpl. Ralph Lambert is home after spending 29 months overseas. He and his wife, (formerly Miss Irene Hilton) are visiting relatives here.

We are glad to have S. Sgt. Henry Biggs back home, after spending several months in the European Theatre. He received his discharge and at the present is with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Biggs.

Mr. and Mrs. Brice Litton, of Boston, Mass., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Litton.

Mrs. Ralph Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Culbertson, motored to Asheville, N. C., recently, to see Pvt. Ralph Turner, who is a patient in the hospital there.

Miss Christine Bailey, of Pennington Gap, spent Friday night with Misses Evelyn and Imogene Fleenor.

Pfc. George Sprinkle, of Ben Hur, visited his father and friends here this week.

Miss Evelyn Fleenor was hostess at a miscellaneous shower given in honor of Mrs. John Medley, at her home Friday evening, October 19.

After a series of games and contests, refreshments were served, after which the honoree displayed her gifts, which were many and very useful.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Larmayeux, of Oak Ridge, were visiting Mrs. Larmayeux's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Tritt, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Culbertson visited relatives in Wise Sunday.

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Dryden High S. Elects Officers For Year '45-46

The Senior Class of Dryden High School recently held an election and elected the following officers and "Who's Who".

President, Dana Ely; Vice-President, Harold Davis; Secretary and Treasurer, Margaret Bailey; Reporter, Charles Kelly; Sentinel, Thomas Mooney.

"Who's Who"

Prettiest girl, Ellen Martin; most handsome boy, Harold Davis; cutest girl, Estelle Edens; cutest boy, Dana Ely; best dressed girl, Elizabeth Gilbert; best dressed boy, Herbert Wade; most athletic girl, Betty Gilbert; most athletic boy, Herbert Wade; class flirt, girl, Thelma Parsons; boy, Jack Blair; best sport, girl, Velma Rivers; boy, Charles Kelly; best all 'round girl, Ellen Martin; boy, Dana Ely; most bashful girl, Marie Gilbert; boy, Thomas Mooney; most likely to succeed, girl, Margaret Bailey; boy, Dana Ely; class grouch, girl, Estelle Edens; boy, Jack Blair; class pest, girl, Anna Jean Wade; boy, James Fannon; class pet, girl, Betty Gilbert; boy, Dan Olinger; most studious girl, Margaret Bailey; boy, Dana Ely; most conceited girl, Ada Bailey; boy, Dan Olinger; most popular girl, Ellen Martin; boy, Charles Kelly; most dignified, girl, Ada Bailey; boy, James Fannon; neatest girl, Margaret Bailey; boy, Thomas Mooney; most mannerly girl, Velma Rivers; boy, Maynard Gilbert; cutest couple, Thomas Mooney and Estelle Edens; most intelligent girl, Velma Rivers; boy, Dana Ely.

Return Of A Native

Morgan M. Flanary, of Harrisonville, Mo., arrived in Pennington Gap, October 6th for a visit among his many relatives and friends.

Mr. Flanary, who is 75 years of age, left Lee County 56 years ago to take up his abode in the west. He and his brother, Mack, spent most of their life together, neither of them ever having been married.

The brother died about 15 years ago, then Morgan batched alone, operating his farm and filling station. He is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Travis Flanary. He is a brother of Charles H. Flanary, of Dryden, the late Mrs. Etta Ely, of Jonesville. He is a half-brother to Gray Flanary and Logan Flanary, both of Gate City, and is also related to Mrs. Lettie Shufflebarger, Mrs. Ollie Shufflebarger and Mrs. John Cecil.

He says he has come to Virginia to spend the remainder of his life, but wants to be taken back to Missouri to be buried beside his brother, Mack. At present Mr. Flanary is making headquarters at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Z. C. Flanary, in East Pennington, who are also relatives.

Former Missionary At Methodist Church Sun.

Dr. Edwin E. Chambers, former missionary to Poland, will be in Pennington Gap, Sunday and will be speaker at the morning service, Methodist Church.

Dr. Chambers, who is now a member of the Holston Methodist Conference, will have an interesting message to tell of his experience as a missionary and of his three years imprisonment in a German camp. He is planning to return to Poland in March.

The public is cordially invited to come and hear him.

C. D. Mehaffey, pastor.

Mrs. Almeda Martin, of St. Louis, is here visiting her aunts, Mrs. A. R. Brown, of R. 2, Mrs. G. J. Gilbert and other relatives. Mrs. Martin was formerly Miss Almeda Drummond.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 17th day of October, 1945.

J. Frank Dean Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Juanita (Dean) Wheeler ..Defendant

The object of this suit is to attach the one-half undivided fee simple interest in two tracts or parcels of land containing in the aggregate about 33 acres located 3-4 of a mile northeast of Ocoonita in the Jonesville Magisterial District of Lee County, Virginia, being the same interest in the same lands which were conveyed on August 1, 1939 by J. Frank Dean to Juanita Dean (now Wheeler) by deed recorded in the Clerk's Office of Lee County, in Deed Book 99, at page 547, to which reference is made.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Juanita (Dean) Wheeler is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address is in 200 or 300 block of Taylor Street, Bristol, Tenn., it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D. C.
p. q. Walter R. Pennington
Adv. No. 43-4t.

New Baptist Church Building In Woodway

The Missionary Baptist Church under construction in Woodway, is almost completed, and ready for a revival which will be held early in November, conducted by Rev. Clinton Green, of St. Charles.

Rev. Floyd Haun is pastor.

P. T. A. Carnival

The Bonny Blue Parent-Teacher Association is sponsoring a Hallowe'en Carnival at the Bonny Blue School auditorium, Wednesday, October 31, at 7:30 p. m. Admission five cents.

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October 22, 1945.

TO THE VOTERS OF LEE COUNTY:

On account of continued sickness in my family, I have found it utterly impossible to see many of the voters of the county in behalf of my candidacy for reelection to the House of Delegates, in the election to be held TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1945, therefore I am using this method of getting in touch with you, and I trust that you will accept it as a personal appeal for your support in this campaign.

During my campaign for the House of Delegates in 1943, I pledged the people of Lee County that, if elected, public schools, public health, public welfare and public roads would have my first interest. You elected me as your representative in the House of Delegates, and in asking you for reelection to that position I ask that you examine my record during the regular and three special sessions of which I was a member, and determine from that record whether or not I have kept the faith. If you find that I have kept the trust reposed in me, then I hope that you will support me for reelection on November 6th.

I was committed to the Lancaster School Program, and did what I could to carry out that program. We were unable to realize the whole program in 1944, but I supported every amendment looking to increased appropriations for teachers' salaries in Virginia, including the Spiers' Amendment. In 1945 I supported a bill increasing the appropriation for teachers' salaries over 1944 in the sum of $2,225,000.00, and today the State is appropriating approximately $1,150.00 per teacher unit, when we consider certain appropriations of new money made direct to the local units with the hope that it would be used for teaching costs, which is within $50.00 per unit of that recommended under the Lancaster plan. I supported a measure appropriating the sum of $1,212,530.00 for additional teaching equipment, and especially for audio-visual education. I supported a measure which gave to all members of the armed forces the right to vote without the payment of poll tax or registration during the emergency. I supported measures for increased appropriations for institutions for the blind, for those afflicted with tuberculosis, for the insane and for public welfare. I supported an amendment to the Workmen's Compensation Act, which provides that occupational diseases shall be compensable as well as accidents. I feel that my record will disclose that I supported every worthwhile legislative program which came before the General Assembly during my incumbency.

I feel that because of my experience in the General Assembly of Virginia, I am in a better position than ever before to serve the people of my county, and I trust that it will be your pleasure not only to vote for me on November 6th, but that you will see your neighbors in my behalf as well.

Yours very sincerely,
A. P. Hamblen
A. P. Hamblen

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Social and Personal

Mrs. Kate Duff-Stover, of Detroit, Mich., is visiting Mrs. T. H. Pugh and family, also other friends and relatives here and at different points in Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Parsons and son, Neal, of Detroit, Mich., Mrs. Jim Ely, of R. 2, Mrs. Hayes Helton, of Knox County, Ky., were visiting with Mrs. Harvey Brown at Lee General Hospital the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Whitsell and daughter, Robin, of Columbus, Ohio, are visiting Mrs. Whitsell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Fry.

Mrs. Alice Wilkerson, of Stanford, Ky., is visiting here with her daughter, Mrs. Earl C. Laningham, and family.

Miss Jaquelyn Tinsley, who is employed at Oak Ridge, spent a few days' vacation here last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Tinsley. She returned to Tennessee Sunday and said she would spend Monday with friends in the Smokies, and would be back to her work Tuesday.

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Kauffman property transferred

Attorney and Mrs. Guy A. Kauffman have sold their property located on Highway No. 63, a little more than a mile from Pennington Gap, to O. A. Vaughan.

The Vaughans will move into their newly purchased property at an early date, and the Kauffmans will move into a home owned by Mrs. E. E. Skaggs, located in West Pennington just across from C. B. Fry.

Don't fail to see Jack London's "Call of the Wild", with Clark Gable, Loretta Young, Jack Oakie; coming to Lee Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, November 12 and 13.

Cpl. Richard Y. Rowe, Jr., was here the first of the week for a brief visit with his wife, little daughter and parents-in law, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Laningham. Cpl. Rowe was enroute to his Army base at Nashville, after having been confined for sometime to a hospital in Chicago.

Harry Fry, stationed with the U. S. Army at St. Angelo, Tex., notified his parents that he would be leaving this week for a Separation Center where he would get his honorable discharge, and that he hoped to be home for Christmas.

Masons attend meeting

E. C. Laningham, Dr. M. H. Robbins, and B. H. Wainscott left Monday for Richmond, Va., where they attended a meeting of the Royal Arch Grand Chapter of Masons on Tuesday and Wednesday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Young and Mrs. Rosie Lathridge, of S. C., spent several days visiting their brother, Esko Young, and their sister, Mrs. Jim Eldridge, of Poor Valley, also their aunt, Mrs. Laura Coffman, who lives in West Pennington.

Mr and Mrs. R. R. Myers entertained the following guests at dinner Sunday: Rev. and Mrs. Robert Tickle and family; Bob Smyth and family; Mr and Mrs. Harve Shuler and family; Mr and Mrs Ben Smyth and family and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown.

Hamburger fry

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Smyth entertained with a hamburger fry at their home Friday night, Oct. 19. All enjoyed a good time.

Mrs. Bill Chatman met her husband, Sgt. Bill Chatman, in Bristol last week. Sgt. Chatman came from Texas on a three-day [redacted]

Miss Becky Fry, employed at Oak Ridge, was here to spend the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Fry.

Ruth Parsons of Radford College, spent last week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Parsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Zinc have returned to their home in Buckley, Washington, after visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Millard Fannon, of Route 2, and other relatives and friends in Lee County. They stopped over in Chicago on their return trip home to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Elyee and daughter, Judy.

Morris Fannon and Owen Hall, of Woodway, visited in Chicago last week with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Elyee.

Birthday party

Barbara Jean Grace, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Grace, was five years old October 19, and she was honored by a birthday party given by her mother. Guests included: Catherine and Tommie Forester, Betty and Anne Dellinger, Mary Ann and Larry Vaughan, Delmer Lynn Province, Sue Pennington, David Garrett, Mary Frances Jesse, Shirrie Kay McDaniel. These little folk enjoyed refreshments and games, and Barbara was presented with lovely gifts.

T. Sgt. and Mrs. Clifford Bailey are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Deck Bailey. Sgt. Bailey has recently been honorably discharged from U. S. Army service in Europe.

Also, Mrs. Dan Wilson, of Philadelphia, came up for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Deck Bailey, and to be with her brother on his return home.

Cpl. James P. Leggs is here from Luzon, in the Philippines, to spend a 30-day furlough with his wife, parents and relatives. He will report to Fort Bragg, N. C., at the termination of his furlough, where he hopes to receive honorable discharge Cpl Legg has been in service three years

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Sgt. and Mrs. Jack Stacy announce the birth of a son on Friday, October 19, to whom has been given the name Jack King Stacy. The father is at present stationed at Alexandria, La.

YOUNG — HINES

Mrs. Mae Young, of St. Charles, announces the marriage of her daughter, Jean, to Cpl. Charles R. Hines, son of Mr. and Mrs. Milford Hines, of Pennington Gap.

The wedding took place at Harlan, Ky., on October 10, 1945.

Cpl. Hines is now home on furlough, and will report back to duty at Camp Pickett, Va., where he expects to be stationed.

COLLINS — SANTA

The marriage of Miss Barbara Collins, of Newport News, Va., to Sgt. Paul Santa, of Camp Patrick Henry, Va., took place October 16. His home is in Pittsburg, Pa.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Collins, former residents of Pennington Gap, the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred S. Howard and Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Collins, and the great-granddaughter of Mrs. Letitia Larmer, all of Pennington Gap.

She graduated from Pennington High School, class of '43. At the time of her marriage she was engaged in Civil Service work at Camp Patrick Henry, where the couple met.

They spent their honeymoon in New York City.

Mrs. Hettie Carter and Mrs. Elmer Leigh are in Bluefield, W. Va., visiting Mrs. Leigh's mother.

Pvt. Hobert Sutton is spending a 15-day furlough with his mother, Mrs. Minnie Sutton, of Leona Mines. Pvt. Sutton is stationed at Aberdeen, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn L. Ridenour, of Oak Ridge, visited his parents here last week, also relatives in Harlan and Barbourville Ky.

Cpl. W. E. Salley has been transferred to Germany after serving 17 months in France with the U. S. Army.

ONE OF A SERIES OF MESSAGES TO WAR VETERANS

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Gentleman of the Old School

Prof. R. E. Beeler, Jr., is very much at home with his job as principal of Pennington High School. In the first place, he is right in the midst of his twelfth successive year, and in the second place, he is one of the rare few who has had the privilege of growing up with his job.

Professor's father, R. E. Beeler, Sr., came to Pennington Gap in the latter part of 1911, and in 1912 R. E., Jr., began his first year in school in the new building that had just been completed. It is the center building of PHS and at that time was the only one. The building to the right was completed in 1927, and the main and largest building to the left in 1930.

Prof. Beeler says when he entered school four teachers were employed — now there are 28 This includes music, home economics and agriculture, as well as the elementary and high school grades. Prof. Beeler obtained his first degree from William & Mary in 1928; taught one year at Rose Hill and one at Bonny Blue, then deciding "there's no place like home", he accepted the position he now holds.

Prof. spoke with pride of the passing changes and progress of the school; the ever-increasing enrollment; the improved and beautified play grounds and surroundings; the well-equipped standard library; the commercial department; and others. Then he added with his usual humor that one of the most noticeable changes was the passing of the big old thorn bush that grew upon the bank which has since been excavated.

"It was so handy," he said, "to step out and pluck a limb from the bush, trim off the thorns, and —well — you know!"

Prof. may know how and when to administer the "shelaley" but with it all he loves his work, takes a deep personal interest in his students, and between him and the students there exist mutual

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Down on the Farm

Roy E. Woodward
Assistant County Agent

A recent leaflet issued by the United States Department of Agriculture discusses a new way to keep weeds and diseases out of tobacco plant beds. This is accomplished by means of sterilization of the soil with chemicals.

Cyanamid is one of the chemicals discussed in this leaflet. Tests covering a period of six years have proven that it is highly effective as a weed killer.

A combination of Uramon and Cyanamid does an even better job of killing weeds. Experiments also show that they prevent root knot, black root rot and other diseases that affect the roots.

Treatment of the plant beds with chemicals should be done 90 days before seeding for best results. It is not safe to treat the beds less than 60 days before seeding.

According to this leaflet, it should first be determined how many square yards there are in the plant beds. A half pound of Cyanamid is necessary for every square yard. Uramon and Cyanamid, when used together, is used as following: a pound of Uramon and half a pound of Cyanamid for every square yard. It is important that the measurements be exact.

A supply of these leaflets will soon be available at the County Agent's office. Anyone planning to use these chemicals should request a copy for detailed information.

Lee County Plans Vast Postwar Civic Program

Discharged After 40 Months Service

SGT. AIFRED LANGLEY

Sgt. Alfred Langley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Langley of Hagan, Va., arrived home from overseas Friday, September 28.

He served in the Pacific Theater of operations for the past forty and 1-2 months, in Australia, New Guiena and the Phillipines. He has been honorably discharged, having over one hundred points

Church Women Will Conduct Mission Study

A union inter-denominational Mission Study entitled "The Church and Uprooted Americans" will be conducted by the church organizations in this area Nov. 6, 8 and 9.

The group will meet in the Methodist Church at Jonesville at 7:00 o'clock on the evening of Nov. 6. Worship will be conducted by the Jonesville women. Discussions will be led by the members of the Missionary Society of the Pennington Gap First Christian Church and the W. S. C. S. of the Pennington Gap Methodist Church.

Thursday evening, Nov. 8, at 7:00 o'clock, the meeting will be in the Penningtin Gap Methodist Church. Worship will be by the W.S.C.S. of Pennington Gap and discussions led by the Jonesville W.S.C.S. and St. Charles Baptist Missionary Society.

Friday, Nov. 9, at 7:00 p. m., the meeting will be at St. Charles Methodist Church. Worship will be conducted by the St. Charles W.S.C.S. and discussion by the Jonesville W.S.C.S. and Pennington Gap W.S.C.S.

Relative of St. Charles Men Fatally Wounded

The Canon City Daily Record, published at Canon City, Colo., records the tragic account of the accidental death of David Shoun, 14-year-old son of Dr. and Mrs. D. A. Shoun, of that place, on Friday evening, October 19. The youth was a grandson of W. J. Shoun and nephew of Dr. G. B. Shoun, of St. Charles.

Details of the accident, according to the Daily Record, are as follows: David, his father, his 16-year-old sister, Rosemary, and Maj. George Cheerie, U. S. Army officer at home on leave, had returned only a few minutes before from a day's hunting trip to Garden Park, northeast of Canon City.

The three members of the Shoun family had entered the house and were putting away their rifles while Mrs. Shoun was preparing supper. The 25-25 rifle discharged while it was being handled. The soft nose bullet struck David in the back of the head just behind the left ear. He died instantly. Bullets had been removed from the chamber of the rifle, but the fatal shell remained in the magazine.

Dr. Shoun is a prominent physician and surgeon of Canon City. David and his sister, Rosemary, were their only children.

Pvt. Kenneth Goins left Monday for Camp Pickett, after a 15-day furlough with his father, John Goins.

Long and Anderson Address Session Of Leaders At Jonesville

Lee County's postwar construction program, although yet in the atom stage, is beginning to take shape—at least to a talkative degree. Committees are being appointed, civic clubs are holding special meetings, and leading spokesmen from the state capital at Richmond have already made the long 400-mile journey down to talk things over.

An eight-point program which has already taken on the shape of a multi-million dollar colossus, has been set forth by the planning committee, the Board of Supervisors, various civic clubs, and leading business men.

T. B. Fugate, who was recently appointed chairman of the Lee Postwar Planning Committee, by the Board of Supervisors, has announced an early meeting of the planning committee, where action to coordinate the program to perfection will be stressed far beyond the preliminary stage.

The eight-point program contains the following undertakings:

1. Full development of the Cumberland Gap National Historical Park at an estimated cost of $8,000,000, the cost being divided proportionately between the three states of Virginia, Kentucky and Tennessee.

2. Establishment of an airport at Woodway, near Pennington Gap, or at Flatwood, near Jonesville, at a cost to exceed $300,000.

3. The cooperative promotion of industry: the opening of new coal mines, the locating of assembly plants, a laundry, bottling plant, bakery and many additional agencies for Lee County.

4. The establishment and construction of badly needed roads in the primary system.

5. Federal aid to secondary roads, approximating over 200 miles.

6. A processing plant in the west end of Lee County for livestock and vegetables.

7. Building program — hun-

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Lee Garden Club Sees Moving Picture Slides

The Lee County Garden Club met in a group at Lee Theatre Tuesday afternoon and saw the presentation in picture slides of the famous Bellingrath Gardens, at Mobile, Ala.

These gardens are open the year 'round to visitors, and are beautiful at any season. Just now the azalea and camella japonica are in the lead.

Mrs. L. B Hagy, Mrs. W. L. Winchester, Mrs. J. V. Kelly and Miss Ida Stacy were hostesses to the group. The new officers elected were: Mrs. C B. Fry, president, and Mrs. R. E. Beeler, Jr., vice president.

Benedict Coal Corp'n. Employs New Doctor

Dr. George Waters has been employed as practicing physician for Benedict Coal Corporation.

Dr. Waters has just recently been discharged from U. S. Army service, and comes to Benedict from the state of Washington. He has a wife and two children.

Card of Thanks

We take this opportunity to thank our friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness and sympathy in the illness and death of our husband and father, G. W. Russell.

We are especially appreciative for the beautiful floral offerings, to those who assisted in the funeral services, and for the donations of cars.

Mrs. G. W. Russell
and Family.

Ensign Tom Mahoney visited with friends here Sunday, Virginia Tipton and Jenelle Howard. They were in school together at L. M. U.

Prominent Jonesville Citizen Died Saturday

Gus Henderson, 51, died at his home in Jonesville early Saturday morning, October 27, following a brief illness.

Mr. Henderson was a well-known undertaker and business man of Jonesville, and a member of the Methodist Church. He had lived in Jonesville practically all his life, being the son of the late Samuel Henderson and Mrs. Henderson.

Funeral services were held in the Jonesville Methodist Church Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, by the pastor, Rev. L. D. Perkins, assisted by Rev. S. O. Fry, of Bristol. The body lay in state one hour preceding the funeral. Burial was in the Town Cemetery.

He is survived by his mother; the widow, Mrs. Pattie Davidson Henderson; three children, Ruth, Betty and Jimmy; a sister, Mrs. Jack Wade, of Big Stone Gap; a half-sister, Mrs. Russell Lowry, of Harrisburg, Pa.; and one half-brother, Julian Henderson, who is in the Navy.

Tuesday, November 6 Is State Election Day

Tuesday, November 6, ushers in another State and County Election Day. On this day will be elected to office a governor, lieutenant governor, attorney-general and members of the House of Delegates.

The election to office of the candidate of our choice is a privilege that belongs to every voting citizen. Not only is it a privilege, but a duty. It is a right belonging to American Democracy.

It is to be hoped that every citizen of voting age will cast their vote next Tuesday in a fair, clean, unprejudiced way, and that the winning candidates will in reality represent all the people, regardless of party affiliation.

Lee County Far Short Of Quota In USO Drive

According to a report from Miss Saluda Sewell, Lee County Chairman, National War Fund Drive, the response to this drive to date has been very disappointing.

Lee County was assigned a quota of $9,100, and according to Miss Sewell only about one-third of the quota has been raised to date, and we are now in the last days of the campaign.

Miss Sewell wishes to make a final appeal to all workers to put forth an extra effort in contacting and endeavoring to see that the people of Lee County are made conscious of the importance of meeting the county's quota, thereby giving assistance to the soldiers who are still overseas, those who are in hospitals, the boys who are still in camp, as well as the people of starving countries

Some workers are doing well, Miss Sewell says, and have covered their entire localities; others are quite inactive and not covering the area assigned them thoroughly enough to be effective.

If you have not as yet made your contribution to this most worthy cause, you are urged to give same to the chairman or workers in the area in which you live.

Six Marriage Licenses In Lee During October

Only six Lee County marriage licenses were issued during the month of October, according to the records in the County Clerk's Office at Jonesville. They are as follows:

James Woliver, 24, and Janie Bruner, 18, both of Pennington Gap.

James Asbury, 21, of Dayton, Ohio, and Madge Bledsoe, 20, of Duffield, RFD.

James A. Vandeventer, 82, and Rebecca Jane Clouse, 74, both of Jonesville.

Noel Lee, 30, and Ruth Anderson, 16, both of Rose Hill.

Deward Ely Green, 33, and Minnie Alice McGhee, 33, both of Olinger.

Alonza Clawson, 24, and Edna Goins, 21, both of Pennington Gap.

Cub Pack Organization Held Dinner Meeting

A delightful feature of the closing out Hallowe'en season was the dinner served Tuesday evening, Oct. 30, in the Assembly hall of the Methodist Church, by the parents and members of the Cub Pack organization, in connection with their regular meeting.

The Cub Pack is made up of boys from 9 to 12 years of age, inclusive, and is the first step in Boy Scouting.

Three tables decorated in the Hallowe'en colors represented the three different "dens" of the Cub Pack ,and each den arranged their own table. The den mothers and their assistants presided over the tables, which were laden with delicious food and lighted by orange-colored candles. Just before the guests were seated "The Star Spangled Banner" was sung.

The Bob Cat badge was awarded to Johhnie Brooks, and the meaning explained by Mrs. Cowler Kelly. Then followed the awarding of badges to the Cubs who had attained the next degree, known as the Wolf. They were: Jack Orr, David Tipton, Wesley Hayes, Jerry Geisler, Bruce Lloyd Vanhuss. The meaning of the Wolf rank was explained by Mrs. Anne Hurd and badges presented by Rev. Charlie D. Mehaffey.

Those receiving extra awards of gold and silver arrows were: Jimmy Kelly, Roderick Stubbs, Albert Mehaffey, Billy Lynn Richards, Bersford Hurd, and L. T. Stewart. Mrs. Leo Vanhuss explained how the extra badges were achieved.

Special guests included Harold G. Hayes, Executive Officer, Lonesome Pine Council, B.S.A., and his assistant, Charles A. Blaine, both of Pikeville, Ky.; Frank B. Parr, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Culbertson, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Grace, Miss Elise Rhea, Mrs. Etta Green.

Mr. Hayes made a speech of congratulation to the organization, highly praising the boys and their leader, Cowles Kelly, on the progress they had made since the Pack was organized.

The meeting was climaxed with a sound moving picture, shown by Mr. Parr, depicting the stages of the Cub Pack from the beginning until the boys are old enough to join the Scouts.

J. E. Laningham In University Hospital

J. E. Laningham, who has for some time been a patient in the Tucker Hospital in Richmond, has been transferred to the University Hospital at Charlottesville, where, on Tuesday he underwent a second operation.

Reports are that he stood the operation well, and his condition is favorable. Mrs. Laningham is with him.

Jack-o'-Lantern Blaze

Miss Rose David, Mr. and Mrs. Robert David and Dianne, left their home for a little while Wednesday evening to the sole charge of a cheerful, grinning jack-o'-lantern.

But Jack wasn't true to his trust. By some means he let his candle get the upper hand of him. The family returned to find the window curtains and blinds ablaze and everything in a fair way to bring their nice home to ruins.

However, quick and effective action on the part of the Davids saved the day—and their home.

S.-Sgt. Eugene Bales, of Camp Blanding, Fla., is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Bales, of Rose Hill, and his sister, Mrs. Wade Parsons and Mr. Parsons, of Pennington Gap.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to our many friends and neighbors for the kindness and sympathy shown us during the sickness and death of our death father, William Green Oxford; also the beautiful floral offerings and the use of their cars.

The Oxford Family.

Final Drive 'E' Bond Quota Set At $180,000

SOMEWHERE IN THE PHILIPPINES

CHARLIE E. JONES, S. 1-C

Charlie E. Jones, Seaman first class, has been in service since May, 1944, and has been in overseas service the last 12 months. During part of this time he served in New Guinea, from there to Australia, and is now on the USS APC 9, somewhere in the Philippines.

He is the husband of the former Mary McConnell, of Pennington Gap.

Returned Missionaries Visit Pennington Gap

Among the outstanding visitors in our town during the past week were Dr. Edwin C. Chambers, returned missionary to Poland; Dr. John C. Hawk, returned missionary to China; and Rev. J. Powell Richardson, District Conference Secretary, Holston Conference, of Coeburn, Va.

Dr. Chambers, who was for nearly five years a war prisoner of the Germans, spoke at the mornig hour, Methodist Church, last Sunday, using as his topic the second missionary journey of Paul and Barnabas. He said but little about his hardships during the years of his imprisonment, but spoke very forcibly on the outstanding courage and fortitude of the Polish people; of their struggle for existence; of their heroic effort to make a comeback from the crushing blow of the enemy.

He told of how he and some of his fellow prisoners had compiled hymn books during their imprisonment. These books will now be printed and distributed through the Polish country. Dr. Chambers plans to return in March to resume his missionary work there.

Dr. Hawk, his wife and daughter were taken prisoners by the Japanese in the early stages of the war; were repatriated after about a year, and came to America. The Hawk family have been missionaries in China for many years. They came to America on furlough in 1937—returned in 1938, and have been here since their release from prison in China.

Dr. Hawk addressed a large congregation at the Methodist Church on Wednesday evening, his basic theme being a prophecy taken from Malachi. He too, dwelt lightly on his own ordeal in the dark days of the war period, but made a heart-stirring appeal to us as Americans to meet the challenge of the present day in helping to rebuild not only China, but all the war-torn areas.

"This is a day in which to live," he said, "but it is also a day in which to meet the challenge squarely. Though we won the war we can lose the victory unless we go forward into better living; unless we correct some of the deporable examples we as a supposedly Christian nation have set before other countries looking to us for higher standards of living."

Dr. Hawk is the father of Mrs. O. H. Troy, whose husband was formerly pastor of the church here.

Lt. (jg) Elmer Stewart was at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Stewart, last week.

Same Organization As In Other Drives Will Handle This Campaign

The Victory Loan Drive, last of the national drives to sell Bonds to finance the war, opened Monday and will close December 8. Lee County has been assigned the following quotas to be sold during the campaign:

"E" Bonds, $180,000; sale of other bonds to individuals, $50,000; sales to corporations, $40,000.

The same finance committee which has handled the sales of bonds in previous War Bond Drives will be responsible for the sales during the Victory Loan Drive, according to T. B. Fugate, County Finance Chairman.

Lee County has met and exceeded its quotas in all the seven War Loan Drives, and it is as important that its quota in the Victory Loan Drive be met as in any of the previous War Loan campaigns.

Although the war is over, a tremendous expense still connected with the war must be paid. The sick and wounded must be cared for, the boys scattered all over the world must be brought home, discharged and helped to re-establish themselves in a country once again at peace; in fact, all the things connected with the most terrible war in our history have created a situation which will cost a tremendous sum of money before we are again back to a peacetime basis.

Although we have won the war, we still have to police our defeated enemies in order to win the peace which has cost so much in lives and in money, and all this has to be paid for.

THEY HAVE FINISHED THEIR JOB! NOW — LET'S FINISH OURS!

Lee County District, Lonesome Pine Council Of B.S.A. Holds Meeting

A Lee County District Meeting, Lonesome Pine Council, Boy Scouts of America, was held at Pennington High School, Friday night, October 26. The meeting was presided over by Harold G. Hayes, Council Executive, due to the absence of Sam C. Blackwell, District Chairman. The following members were present:

J. T. Watson, C. E. Fritz, M. H. Robbins, Claude M. Grace, M. C. Kelly, H. L. Tiller, Dillard Ball, Frank N. Gibson, E. T. Barker, E. S. Vaughan, Harold G. Hayes, Scout Executive, and Charles A. Blaine, Assistant Scout Executive, Big Sandy District.

Assistant Scout Executive Mr. Blaine reported on the prospects of organizing and reorganizing troops in the county; also on the activities and progress of the troops now active in the county. Locations for troop organizations were also suggested by Mr. Blaine.

Dr. M. H. Robbins, District Finance Chairman, reported on the finance campaign just completed, to finance the District's part of the Council for the year 1945, which was very successful. Dr. Robbins also reported on the plan for the February campaign to raise funds for the District's 1946 budget.

It was decided to have an annual District dinner meeting, date for this dinner meeting to be announced later.

Off To College

Hugh Walter David, Don Stallard and Bill Smallwood left yesterday to enter Emory and Henry College. Hugh Walter begins where he left off at the beginning of the war to join the armed forces; Don and Bill are new students.

Harold Hagy, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hagy, of St. Charles, is home on leave from the State of Washington, where he is stationed with the Naval Station Experimental Laboratory.

Lee County Men Who Have Been Discharged From Armed Forces

We wish to advise all employers of the following Lee County men who have been separated from the services of the Armed Forces of the United States. Re-employment Committeeman Cam J. Lewis, of the Local Selective Service Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, Va., or Miss Marie McNiel, chief clerk Selective Service Board No. 2, Jonesville, Va., will gladly assist employers in contacting men.

Mr. Lewis may be reached at Local Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, Va., and Miss McNiel at Local Board No. 1, Jonesville, Va.

A list of Lee County men discharged from the Armed Forces will appear in this newspaper each week as they are furnished to us by the two Local Selective Service Boards in the County.

James Franklin Thomas, Elmer Whitson, Charles L. Nelson, Donaldley, E. Hughes, Virgil Edward Redwine, Willard Delmas Blondell, Eugene Johnson, Lorn Ernest Salley, Troy McKinney, Toy Haynes, Clarence Edward Vanzant, Burnette Boark, Fred Jack Conatser, Freamon Buster Newton, Fred Hoggle, Warren Coolidge Evans, Ralph Neff Parsons, Harold D. Minks, Winford D. Hughes, and Carl Edward Witt, all of St. Charles.

Pennington Gap—Cecil Edward Gardner, Frederick Allen Lunsford, Arther Melvin Howard, William Lake Cornette, Grover Gibson, Lynn Louis Berney, Harold Junior Parks, Jessie Leonard Gibson, Vernon Smith, Earl Albert Willis, Lee Vioies Flanary, Harold Litton Parsons, Everett Emmett Hughes, Rt. 1, George Freeman, Jr., Lewis Edward Baumgardner, Rt. 2, Elijah Samuel Graham, Rt. 2, Elbert F. Duncan, Jr., Dennis Robbins, Rt. 1, Claude Baumgardner, Edward Ashley Green, Elmer Dewey Brown, Edward Parsons.

Keokee— Carl Bethel Robbins, Rt. 1, Carlos Cecil Smith, Clifford Thomas Kirk, Rt. 1, Jasper Clark, William Howard Stapleton, Gilmer Axley Moore, Rt. 1, Ralph Nelson Shuler, Rt. 1, Carlos Earthman Arnette, Paul S. Benfield, Rt. 1, James G. Thompson, Jr.

Duffield — William Cecil Rasnick, Garland Flenoia Bishop, Ordan Fritz, Rt. 1.

Bonny Blue—Grant Hubert Greene, Ralph Washington Stewart, Robert Silas Casteel, Levities Smith.

Miscellaneous— Paul Jackson Peavy, Woodway; Herbert Hurst Baker, Calvin; Earl Elmer Payne, Johnsons Mill; Homer Crawford, Dryden; Junior Henry Huff, Dryden; Homer Kennedy, Benedict; Glen Hopkins Bailey, Olinger; James H. Giles, Olinger; Robert Holman, Benedict.

Jonesville — Earnie L. Young, Rt. 2, Harold W. Orick, Lawrence T. Anderson, Rt. 1, Marvin C. Edwards, Rt. 3, Lilbourne F. Noe, Henry M. Howard, George W. Osborne, William L. Roberts, Rt. 2, Bascom E. Hyden, Rt. 4 Clifford P. Osborne, Rt. 4 Louis D. McPherson, Rt. 1, Sam Combs, Rt. 2, Burleson F. Sword, Rt. 3, Billie V. Hedrick, Rt. 1, Jack C. Lawson, Robert E. Litton, Maron Cephas Russell, Rt. 4, Ulyss Jerrell, Rt. 1, Robert E. Orr.

Rose Hill — Thomas C. Wil-Williams, Elihew Lee, James E. Lowe, William H. Dean, Walter D. Montgomery, Rt. 2, Paul T. Harber, Lester L. Vest, Hubert R. Ingle, Floyd J. Payne, Carl W. Long, Tommie Harris, Coolidge Fred Seale.

Ewing—Steve H. Daniel, Samuel Rhymer, Aaron B. R. Herrell, Edward C. Yeary, Rt. 1, Dan P. Richmond, Walter V. Fugate, Henry Z. Taylor.

Blackwater—Paul J. Osborne, Rt. 1, Dewey E. Burke,, Rt. 1, Ulys G. Bowen, Rt. 1, Floyd Lawson, Andrew J. Johnson.

Ben Hur—Williams D. Terry, Coy W. Flanigan, James C. Willis.

Miscellaneous—John Hill Weston, Middlesboro, Ky.; Joe S. Sparks, Cumberland Gap, Tenn.; James B. Giles, Olinger; James E. Carroll, Harlan, Ky.

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Deer Hunting Season In 8 S.W. Va. Counties Set For Nov. 15 - 16

The hunting of deer in Southwest Virginia has long been only a memory connected with early pioneer days. For nearly half a century they have been virtually extinct.

However, a two-day hunting season in eight Virginia counties which lie within the largest public hunting grounds east of the Mississippi River—the million and a half acres of forest land which are included in the Jefferson and George Washington National Forests, has been set for November 15 - 16, it was announced by Allen R. Cochran, Supervisor of the Jefferson Forest.

Some eight or ten years ago the State Commission of Game and Inland Fisheries, with Mr. Cochran as Supervisor of the Jefferson Forest, also some district forest rangers and county game wardens, saw the possibility of restoring the favorite sport of deer hunting. They realized that the upland national forest areas would provide an ideal development, management and shooting environment. Moreover, game management would work well in conjunction with watershed protection and timber production. The State controlled the wild life, and the Federal Government owned the land and trees that provided the necessary food, shelter and protection.

Stocking, environment improvement and population control were carefully planned to carry out the restoration of the deer. Fawn and adult deer were trapped and brought in from the Pisgah National Forest in North Carolina and from areas in the west where deer abounded, and turned loose in the Jefferson National Forest region. According to Mr. Cochran the areas now have about 3,500 deer, or a sufficient number to turn some loose and let them be hunted.

A series of wild life meetings, at which the legal hunting of deer will be permitted, has been planned by the Forest Service in cooperation with sportsmen of Southwest Virginia.

These meetings were held Thursday at Big Stone Gap; Friday at Rugby; Norton on October 29; Comers Rock on October 30; Wytheville on October 31; and Roanoke, November 1.

Deaths AND FUNERALS

C. P. Rogers

Mr. and Mrs. James P. Legg and Miss Virginia Green were called to Rogersville Monday, due to the death of Mrs. Legg's father, C. P. Rogers. Mr. Rogers died at his home late Sunday evening, at the age of 78. He had been a member of the Masonic and Odd Fellow Orders for 19 years, and a member of the Methodist Church for more than 50 years.

Brief funeral services were held at the home Tuesday morning at 10:00 o'clock, after which the body was removed to Pattonsville, where another service was conducted at Mountain View Methodist Church by Rev. Ran Dillon and Rev. N. P. King. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Mr. Rogers is survived by his widow, Mrs. Minnie Rogers; five daughters, Mrs. Bessie Minor, of Rogersville; Mrs. A. J. Hickam and Mrs. H. B. Winnegar, of Bristol; Mrs. James P. Legg, of Pennington Gap; and Mrs. E. E. Burchette, of California. He is also survived by one brother and four sisters.

Robert L. Grace

Robert Lee Grace, 73, died at the home of his daughter, near Pennington Gap, October 26.

Funeral services were held Sunday, October 28, at the Methodist Church on Dry Branch, with Rev. Robert Tickle and Rev. Nelson Graham officiating. Interment was in hte Hughes Cemetery nearby.

Mr. Grace is survived by the following children: Mrs. Harrison Rhoton, Hill, Va.; Mrs. Drew Ely, Dryden; Mrs. Charles Habern, Mrs. Charles Disney and Henry Grace ,of Pennington Gap; and Howard, of the U. S. Army somewhere in the Pacific.

Infant Bailey

Carolyn Bernice Bailey, daughter of S.-Sgt. and Mrs. C. D. Bailey, of Keesler Field, Biloxi, Miss., died October 26, the same day that she was born. The body was brought here to the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Kelly, where, on Monday afternoon, brief funeral services were held by the Rev. C. D. Mehaffey. Burial was in the Kelly cemetery near the home.

Mrs. Bailey was formerly Miss Thelma Kelly, and Sgt. Bailey is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Duck Bailey, of Pennington Gap.

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RESOLUTIONS

Whereas, the All Mighty has removed from our midst our friends, brother and fellow director, David C. Sewell, Jonesville, Virginia; and,

Whereas, we who have been closely associated with David C Sewell for many years testify of his high character, his superlative sense of honor, his honesty and loyalty to duty; and are aware of his untiring efforts as a Director elected for many years by the stockholders of Lee Bank & Trust Company, and knowing that David C Sewell conscientiously looked upon the confidence the stockholders reposed in him as a sacred commission comparable to a trusteeship; and knowing that he exercised his every official act with sincere devotion to those connected with the Institution which he repersented as a Director; and,

Whereas, this Board of Directors is grieved because, as it appears to them, of the untimely calling of David C. Sewell;

Now, therefore, be it resolved that the Board of Directors of Lee Bank & Trust Company, of Pennington Gap, Virginia, do adopt these resolutions of respect for our associate and friend; and be it further resolved that a copy hereof be spread upon the minutes of the Board of Directors of this Bank, and another copy thereof be mailed to the widow of the late David C. Sewell for herself and children, and that another copy be printed in The Powell Valley News at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Respectfully submitted,
The Board of Directors,
Lee Bank & Trust Company,
Pennington Gap, Virginia.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 3 day of October, 1945.

Ruth Hall Doyle, who sues by E. B. Hall, her next friend, Complainant

vs. Order of Publication

Willie Ralph Doyle, Defendant

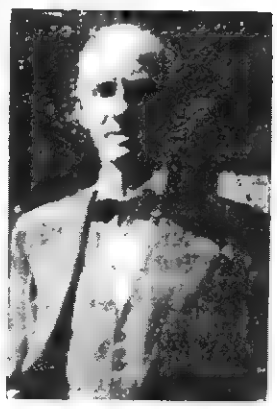
The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on ground of desertion, and custody of Judith Irene Doyle, infant daughter, and an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Willie Ralph Doyle is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address is 1485 Poplar Avenue, Memphis, Tenn., it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and a weekly newspaper published at once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper publisred at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:

VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p.q. L. M. Robinette.
Adv. No. 41—4t-pd.

TO THE VOTERS OF LEE COUNTY, VIRGINIA:



I am a candidate for House of Delegates, Election to be held November 6, 1945, and if successful, I will use my influence and will vote for the following measures in the House of Delegates:

1. Pensions for all teachers who have taught in the public schools for 25 years, and for pensions for all teachers who have become disabled while teaching regardless of number of years taught.
2. Better pay for teachers, with a minimum wage of $1200.00 per year, payable in 12 monthly payments.
3. If elected I will introduce a bill in the House of Delegates to have the Bible taught in all free schools; also for free school books.
4. Better roads, especially in Rural Communities.
5. Better enforcement of traffic laws, by employment of more State Highway Patrolmen.
6. Repeal of the Absent Voters Law, and payment of poll taxes as a prerequisite to voting.
7. Repeal of the State law for registration of voters as it now stands and the appointment of a Bi-partisan Registration Board for each precinct, consisting of one member from each of the two major political parties.
8. Election by the people of Judges of the Circuit Courts, Trial Justices and Superintendents of Public Instruction, including Division Superintendents.
9. Pensions for all disabled miners, their widows and orphans, the funds for this pension to be provided one-half by the employer and the other one-half by the employee. Widows to receive at least $50.00 per month for life; also old age pension for miners after attaining the age of 55 years.
10. I favor any legislation which will be for the betterment of the soldiers who are returning from the Army. They have given their time, health, and some of them their lives that we might live in freedom.

If I am successful in the election I pledge my sacred honor that I will do my utmost to have the above pledges enacted into law.

If you believe as I do, vote for me, and it will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely Yours
Fred Kirk

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VIRGINIA BANKS WIN A.B.A. 1,000 POINT AWARD FOR SERVICE

For the seventh consecutive year, Lee County's banks have participated with 294 other Virginia country banks to win the 1,000 point award of the Agricultural Commission of the American Bankers Association, according to Mr. H. T. Ritchie, cashier, Peoples Bank of Ewing, who is Lee County Key Banker.

The award, which is an honor shared by all Virginia banks, is made on a basis of constructive "regular" and "extra" services rendered by the banks in the interest of agriculture. This year recognition has been given the Virginia Bankers Association and the banks for exceptional work, which scored much higher than the minimum 1,000 points necessary to win the coveted award.

The work done by the banks had contributed substantially to the success of the A.B.A. national 1944-45 program, "Help Keep Agriculture Financially Sound", which aims at many long term benefits for agriculture. Its immediate goals are: (1) Help farmers build and maintain financial reserves through planned savings in War Bonds and bank accounts; (2) Work to prevent a farm land price boom; (3) Give all out support to make farm provisions of the G.I. Bill workable by aiding the returning veteran whose desire, experience and ability will support successful farm operations; and (4) Keep farm debts at a safe level.

The Virginia State Bankers Association is active in support of this program, which has, among other long term goals: (a) Development of adequate banking and credit services for farmers designed to fit the needs of farm operations; (b) Increasing of farm incomes through diversified and well balanced production; (c) Improving and conserving the fertility of the soil.

Every segment of each rural community participates in this program, which is varied to meet local needs, and which has proven of immense value to the state. As a result, Virginia's 175,000 farm families will be better able to meet the problems of the first years of peace because they own substantial savings in War Bonds and bank deposits, and because the inventory value of the crops and livestock is generally larger than the value existing at the close of World War I.

Reports from the current 1,000 point survey shows that in the twelve months of 1944, Virginia country banks served 36,659 of their farm customers with 83,665 agricultural loans aggregating $64,300,000. Of all farmers borrowing from banks last year, 34,668 had loans in an aggregate amount of $29,175,000 outstanding on December 30, 1944. This outstanding volume was made up of loans on crops in storage insured by the Commodity Credit Corporation amounting to $4,180,000, farm production loans of $11,602,000, and real estate mortgages totaling $13,393,000

Under the influence of heavy wartime cash sales of all agricultural products, Virginia farms have needed to use only about a fifth of the bank credit available to them. Banks of the state reported that in addition to the $29,000,000 of agricultural loans outstanding at the end of 1944, they had more than $160,503,000 available for additional loans to farmers if there had been a demand for such loans. Indicative of the strong financial position of agriculture in Virginia is the fact that only 20 per cent of all the farmers in the state found it necessary to use bank credit during the year.

The ample capacity country banks of our state have to meet any probable demand for funds during the years to come and their ability to render dependable credit service to agriculture is indicated by a special study of figures received from a cross-section of representative country banks. These banks, 131 in number, at the beginning of this year had total deposits aggregating $750,943,000, compared with deposits of $214,983,000 reported December 31, 1929. These banks reported current cash assets of $204,256,000, compared with $42,946,000 at the top of their 1929 prosperity, and $439,302,000 in United States Government Securities, against $19,111,000 in the comparable 1929 period. In other words, Virginia country banks are now 86 per cent liquid, compared with 29 per cent in the previous time of national prosperity.

Farm land prices in Virginia are high, and victory over the enemy in World War II has not ended the threat of a land price boom. The greatest inflation of farm product prices and the values of farm real estate at the time of the last war occurred not during the war but after the shooting stopped. Virginia's country banks have been aggressively working to hold farm land prices to reasonable levels. However, the increase has been substantial compared with other major agricultural states. Based on 1935-39 prices as 100, farm land prices in this state now average 165 per cent, compared with 177 per cent at the peak of the boom in 1920. While current prices remain below those which prevailed at the 1920 boom peak, bankers have been active in advising farm customers of the dangers the present situation may hold At the bottom of the economic collapse in 1933, the index of average farm land prices in Virginia dropped to 83 and had recovered to only 104 in 1939. Under the stimulus of war, the index was 137 in the spring of 1944 and the rise thereafter until the defeat of Japan averaged more than one point a month

The sharp decline in the prosperous conditions existing at the close of World War I brought disaster to many farmers who overextended themselves to buy more high priced land or to make improvements that could not be paid for on normal farm income

Virginia farmers are actively cooperating with their hometown banks in preventing a recurrence of this situation and are participating in a program in which farmers are using wartime income to pay debts and are making investments in War Bonds for the future while the finance current operations from farm income by making use of bank credit.

Farm incomes for Virginia as a whole expanded tremendously during the war period. In 1944 total cash received from all marketings and government payments aggregated 325,000,000, compared with $279,000,000 in 1943 and $219,000,000 in 1942. Last year the total cash received from sales of field crops amounted to $167,000,000 compared with $131,000,000 the previous year, and $106,000,000 in 1942. Tobacco accounted for $66,000,000 of this 1944 income, while next important were fruits and nuts valued at $29,000,000, vegetables at $22,000,000, oil bearing crops at $15,000,000, feed grains and hay at $8,000,000, and cotton (lint and seed) at $3,000,000.

Last year Virginia farmers sold $148,000,000 worth of livestock and livestock products, compared with $142,000,000 in 1943 and $107,000,000 in 1942. Eggs and poultry accounted for $59,000,000 of this total, while sales of dairy products were $38,000,000; of hogs, $23,000,000; and of cattle and calves, $25,000,000. This increase in farm income from livestock and livestock products has been steady for many years and is indicative of the rounding out and diversification of farm production which will be of increasing importance when the nation is completely reconverted to peacetime activity.

Virginia ranks as one of the most stable agricultural states in the nation, and compared to other large farming areas, it has experienced less sharp rises to boom peaks and drops to depressions.

"During the war period just past, our farmers have cooperated with their home-town bankers in following proved financial policies and have used their current high incomes to retire debts of all kinds," Mr. Ritchie said.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:
In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 17th day of October, 1945

J Frank Dean. .... Complainant
vs Order of Publication
Juanita (Dean) Wheeler Defendant

The object of this suit is to attach the one-half undivided fee simple interest in two tracts or parcels of land containing in the aggregate about 33 acres located 3-4 of a mile northeast of Ocoonita in the Jonesville Magisterial District of Lee County, Virginia, being the same interest in the same lands which were conveyed on August 1, 1939 by J. Frank Dean to Juanita Dean (now Wheeler) by deed recorded in the Clerk's Office of Lee County, in Deed Book 99, at page 547, to which reference is made

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Juanita (Dean) Wheeler is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address is in 200 or 300 block of Taylor Street, Bristol, Tenn., it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D. C.
p. q. Walter R. Pennington
Adv. No. 43-4t.

First Christian Church

Sunday, November 4: Bible School at 10:00 a. m., Harry O. Hines, Supt. Worship with communion at 10:45. Sermon by Rev. A. E. Robertson, of Gibson Station, Va.

Christian Endeavors meet at 6:15 p. m., Mrs. Ruth Keith, president. There will be no preaching at night, as the pastor will be in an all-day Homecoming and Rededication Service at the Galilee Church, Jonesville, Va., R.F.D.

Choir rehearsal Wednesday at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting at 7:00 followed by a meeting of the Church Board.

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Natural Tunnel P.T.A. Holds District Meeting

The regular annual meeting of the Natural Tunnel District of Parents and Teachers was held on Friday, Oct. 19, at the Gate City Methodist Church, with Miss June Lewis, chairman, presiding. The Following program was given:

Registration
The National Anthem
Pledge to the Flag
Invocation: Dr. H. M. Miller, pastor of Gate City Methodist Church
Welcome: Mr. Charles Starnes, Superintendent of Schools in Scott County
Response: Mr. J. J. Kelly, Superintendent of Wise County Schools
Special Music: The Pennington Glee Club, Mrs. Martha Gibson Barron, Director
Business Session
Keynote Address: "Study Groups"—Dr. Mary Frances Reed, State Chairman of Parent Education
Group Discussion: "Organization of Local Units"—Dr. Abner Robertson, Executive Director
Talk: "Cancer Control in Virginia"—Mrs. Fred M. Alexander, Educational Director of Virginia Cancer Foundation
Lunch
Group Singing
Special Music: The Methodist Youth Choir of Gate City, Mrs. Carles Steiner, Director
Talk: "Rehabilitation for the Handicapped"—Mr. Guy Bolling, Supt. of Vocational Rehabilitation, State Board of Education, Norton, Va.
Reports:
Committees
Objectives: Mr. J. J. Kelly, Superintendent of Wise County Schools, Chairman.
Courtesy: Mrs. H. M. Mahoney, Bonny Blue, Chairman.
Invitation: Mrs. J. L. McCormick, Big Stone Gap, Chairman
Local Units: Presidents
Summary of Work Done In District — Dr. Abner Robertson, Executive Director, Richmond
Adjournment.

Fifty-one registered delegates were present. Eleven P.-T. A.'s were represented and the spirit was fine.

To Observe Armistice Day At L. M. U.

Of interest to students and friends of Lincoln Memorial University is the announcement that Daniel Boone Post 125, American Legion, will observe Armistice day, Sunday, November 11, with a program appropriate to the occasion. A special committee has been appointed, consisting of F. D. Dunham, Arthur Whitaker and W. I. Jones, to arrange the program, which will begin at 11 o'clock in Duke Hall.

Dr. Stewart W. McCelland, president of Lincoln Memorial University, will preside. Music will be furnished by Dr. and Mrs. Grady Cox. The speaker of the day will be Hon. Bascom F. Jones, of Nashville, National Vice Commander of the American Legion. Mr. Jones was Commander of the Tennessee Department, American Legion, 1940-41. He is Tennessee's representative on the National Executive Committee of the American Legion.

All American Legion Posts in this area are invited to attend the program, which is also open to the public. Following the Armistice Day program, a luncheon will be given by the Daniel Boone Post, and admission to the dining hall will be by ticket, and limited to those who have purchased tickets in advance.

News From HUNTER'S GAP

Mary Lou Russell, Cor.

It was a surprise to everyone to learn of the death of a beloved friend, Gus Henderson. Several from here attended the funeral.

Rufus Russell visited his brother, Porter Russell and family, here Sunday

R. C. Watson, Millard Edwards and Ike (Mousie) Seabolt made a business trip to Osaka Monday

Miss Mary Lou Russell visited Mrs. Charles Flanary Monday

The dedication of the Gallilee Church will be Sunday, Nov 4. Everyone is invited to attend Dinner will be served on the ground and preaching will continue throughout the day

Earl Roop made a business trip to Jonesville Monday.

Deaths AND FUNERALS

Mrs. Ida Seabolt

Mrs. Ida Seabolt died at her home near Hunter's Gap, Monday, October 22. She was 61 years of age.

Funeral services were conducted at the home Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 24, were Rev. J. C. Jackson, pastor of the Jonesville Baptist Church. Burial took place in the Seabolt Cemetery near the home.

Mrs. Seabolt is survived by her husband, Isaac Seabolt, and two daughters.

Mrs. Rosa Mullins

Mrs. Rosa Mullins, 32, wife of Bradley Mullins, of Keokee, died at her home Monday morning, Oct. 29.

Surviving are her husband and the following children: Thelma Jean, Glenn, Bobby, Annabel and Ferrel, all of Keokee; also her father, Moran Bush, six brothers and two sisters.

News From FRIENDSHIP

Mrs. E. C. Knicely, assisted by Mrs. Walter Spangler, gave a Hallowe'en party Tuesday night at her home for Y.W.A. girls. Sixteen were present, and they enjoyed many games and contests. The house was decorated in keeping with the occasion.

At the close of the party the lights were turned out, leaving only the lights from jack-o'-lanterns. Several of the guests told ghost stories. Mrs. Knicely told a negro ghost story that sent many shrieks, shrills and o-o-o's from everyone. Delightful refreshments were served

Dale Snodgrass, of Florida, and Mr. and Mrs. Hyatt Bailey and son, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., spent the week-end with their parents, Mr and Mrs. O. I. Snodgrass

Dan Willis and son, Kyle, made a business trip to Bristol, Tuesday

Mr and Mrs Fred Wheeler, of Pennington Gap, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs G. W Spangler, Sunday.

Jean Spangler, who is employed at Knoxville, was called home Monday for the funeral of Gus Henderson.

The W.M.U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Herman Quinley, Wednesday, November 7.

Ada Marie McCauley, a student of L.M.U., spent the week-end with her friends here.

Walter Spangler attended the Hawkins County Annual Fox Hunting at Rogersville, Tenn., October 25, 26, and 27.

News From WHITE SHOALS

Tommy Fee, of the U. S. Navy, has returned to Great Lakes after a few days' furlough with home folk. He is the nephew of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Taylor.

Born to Cpl. and Mrs. Herbert Cope, a daughter. Cpl. Cope is stationed with the Army of Occupation in Japan.

Grove Tyler arrived home last week after spending about two and a half years overseas. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Tyler. They also have a daughter, Julia, serving in the Army Nurses' Corps overseas, whom they expect home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Amer have returned to Tazewell County, where they will make their home after spending a few days with his home folk. Mr. Amer has been discharged from the Army after spending several months overseas.

Mrs. Walter Smith and Mrs. Fred Tyler were visiting Mrs. Zora Thomas Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Thomas has been a shut-in for several years.

Mrs. Patsy Bacon was visiting Mrs. A. E. Surgeoner Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Surgeoner has been confined to her home for some time. Jimmie, son of Mr and Mrs Surgeoner, is able to be out again after several months' illness.

News From KEOKEE

Miss Lillian Townsend, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., spent the past week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Townsend

Misses Perda Hobbs and Iris Ely, teachers of Big Stone, were week end guests of Miss Ruby Bailey, a Keokee teacher

Miss Hazel Arnette enjoyed the week end with friends in Bakersville, N. C.

Rev. Morris was a dinner guest of Mr and Mrs. George Stanley Tuesday.

Pfc Hobart Stanley, of Arizona, is spending a furlough here with his wife, Wanda, and small son, Wayne.

Mrs. Alice Dinsmore and children, of Calvin, visited P. D. Dinsmore here Sunday.

Glenn Artrip, of the U. S. Navy, visited here last week with his sister, Mrs. Gray Maxfield.

Misses Lillian and Katherine Townsend visited Pauline and Maxine Johnson, of Calvin, Sunday.

Mrs. Clercie Kennedy and children, Jean and Shirley, visited relatives at Robbins Chapel, Sunday.

News From BURKHART'S CHAPEL

Mrs. Roma Moore and daughter, Shirley, of Leona Mines, were visiting relatives here over the week-end.

Miss Helen Penley, who has been employed in Maryland, is at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milo Penley.

Clint Woodard, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., spent the week-end with home folk here.

Sgt. Ralph Collier has been discharged from the Army and is at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isom Collier.

Mr. and Mrs. Silven Rutherford and children were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Milo Penley, Sunday.

Mrs. Lola Moore, of Dunbar, is visiting friends and relatives here this week.

Several young people from this community attended an ice cream supper at Keokee Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Glay Pennington and children and Mr. and Mrs. Truman Bailey and son were visiting Shelby Woodard Sunday.

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TOWN TALK

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friendship and understanding.

Relic of the Past

S. F. Smalley has in his possession a three-bushel cast iron kettle made of ore first handed from the earth. The kettle was moulded at Pennington Iron Works, a concern that operated in the Gap of the Mountain near Niggerhead Rock, more than a hundred years ago. It has withstood the wear and tear of age pretty well, but has a good-sized hole in one side. Mr. Smalley says he will repair this and keep the kettle as a souvenir of the past.

Bumper Crops

We should at least get plenty of 'taters and molasses to eat this winter, and livestock needn't worry about hay being rationed, according to information gathered here and there.

While visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Nida in the Flatwood community a few days ago, I overheard the men folk saying that more molasses had been made in the county this year than any of the five preceding years, and that the hay crop is a "bumper".

Thomas J. Wilson, acting State Officer for Marketing, of the Production and Marketing Administration, Richmond, Va., announces that an estimated total of 420 million bushels of potatoes have been raised this year, second only to the 1943 crop of 465 million bushels. However, the corn crop is low, L. M. Walker, Jr., State Commissioner of Agriculture, says.

Miracles of the Storm

A swift and terrible storm came sweeping into the Flatwood community in the spring of 1944, and in its wake was the Nida home, which at that time had been standing 66 years.

The house was a large, two-story log and weather-boarded structure, was left with two rooms, minus part of the chimney and the clothing and furniture belonging to the Nida family. Also the church they attended, a short distance from the house, was laid low. Out in the fields surorunding the farm are a good many little oddities that remains as tell-tale signes of the storm.

In one place a hugh rock, measuring five feet square and 14 inches thick was pulled out of its place in the side of the hill; a tree nine feet in circumference was turned up, its roots reaching high into the air, although smaller trees nearby were unharmed; a breastwork of rock wall was turned up on its edge—these are but a few.

But the Nida home has been rebuilt and refurnished; a nice cinder-block church has replaced the old one; horses, cattle, hogs, chickens and other farm animals abound plentifully about the place, and Mr. and Mrs. Nida say that even though they enjoyed living in Pennington during the two years he was Chief of Police here, after all, there's nothing like being on the farm.

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Lee County Plans Vast Postwar Civic Program

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dreds of new houses, business establishments and farm improvements.

8. The construction of a new county jail.

A meeting of business leaders from over the county was held Wednesday at the Jonesville courthouse, with Dr Raymond Long, Director of the Virginia Planning Board, and General Anderson, chairman of the Virginia State Highway Commission.

Dr. Long and Gen. Anderson addressed the meeting, supporting a vast postwar movement, assuring their full support to Lee County's vast undertaking.

Gen. Anderson, though not mentioning the fact that Lee County was completely omitted from highway appropriations for 1945-46, while other counties shared in a ten million dollar allotment, last month, said: "The Highway Department is embarking on an eight-year building program in which we expect to complete all highly important primary roads and do a considerably improved job on all back roads—at least to some travelable degree." He futher stated: "We can use 2100 young men now in our postwar construction program. We want men who want to work and are qualified to carry on; we need men with ability."

Dr. Long stressed the full endorsement of local civic clubs, urging that they work out and work for postwar projects that mean most to their local cause.

Dr. Charles H. Henderson, Chairman, Board of Supervisors, introduced T. B. Fugate, who presided at the meeting.

Jonesville PERSONALS

Miss Louise McNiel, Deputy County Court Clerk, is ill at her home near Jonesville.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Sheppard, of Roanoke, is visiting this week with Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Conn and family.

Miss Helen Price, student of Knoxville Business College, spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Price.

Mrs. Elmer Russell is in the University Hospital at Charlottesville.

Bruce Conn is visiting in Roanoke this week

Mr. and Mrs. W N. Wolfe and Gladys Hines were visiting in Middlesboro Saturday.

Lt. Edgar Bacon is on terminal leave with his family here. He has spent the past ten months overseas

Elmer Cox has accepted a position in the Piggly Wiggly Store in Pennington

Mrs Browning Wynn has gone to Norfolk to meet her husband. She received word that he is returning to the States after a long time service in the armed forces. He has been in the South Pacific area more than a year, and hopes to get his discharge soon

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Keel and daughter, Doris Ann, visited in Coeburn and St. Paul last week-end.

Thomas Walker F.A.A. Chapter Met October 19

Johnny Thomas, Reporter

The Thomas Walker F.F.A. (Future Farmers of America) Chapter met October 19, and gave the following program:

The meeting was called to order by our president, James Bailey. Robert Rowland, vice president, recited the Future Farmers Creed. The president gave a discussion on "Why I am studying Agriculture". R. V. Chadwell gave a report on his Supervised Practice Program. Our advisor, Mr. Starnes, made some helpful suggestions on our responsibility as FFA members, and Clyde Saylor, first year student, recited the following motto "Learning to do, doing to learn ,earning to live and living to serve". Following this Billy Charles Fugate gave a paper on 'How I Made My Enterprise Pay". This paper was written by Johnny Thomas The purpose of the FFA organization was discussed. Clay Burke gave a talk on "What every member should do in his chapter", which was enjoyed by all present.

The chapter meeting closed by using the regular ceremony. The chapter plans to hold regular meetings on definite set dates.

Homecoming and Rededication Services

The Gallilee Christian Church on Wallens Creek near Hunters Gap, Va., which has recently been greatly improved and beautified out of a fund left us by a life-long member, Mrs. Maggie Ewing Steel, deceased, will have special services both morning and afternoon, Sunday, Nov. 4, 1945.

Homecoming sermon by the pastor at 11:00 a. m. Memorial address by Hon. W. D. Davidson at 2:00 p. m. Dinner will be served at the church to all in attendance.

A special and cordial invitation to all present and former members and our friends, the children and families of Mrs. Steel will be honor guests at these services.

C. T. Combs,
Chmn. Building Com.

O. M. Sword,
Chmn. Church Board.
W. B. Moore, Minister.

NOTICE

Persons having claims against the estate of D. C. Sewell, Jr., deceased, are hereby notified to present same to Mrs. Vesta E. Sewell, Administratrix of the estate of said D. C. Sewell, Jr., and all persons indebted to said estate are required to settle said indebtedness at once.

Mrs. Vesta E. Sewell,
Administratrix of the
Estate of said D. C.
Sewell, Jr., deceased.
Jonesville, Virginia.

Adv. No. 44-4t.

Lady Nearly Choked While Lying In Bed—Due To Stomach Gas

One lady said a few days ago that she used to be afraid to go to bed at night. She was swollen with stomach gas, which always got worse when she went to bed, and the gas would rise up in her throat after she lay down and would nearly choke her. She couldn't lie flat. Had to prop herself up on pillows. Recently this lady got ERB-HELP and now says gas is gone, stomach feels fine, bowels are regular and she can go to bed and sleep soundly.

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1945 Taxes Now Due

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I will be at the following places, either in person, or by deputy, for the purpose of collecting taxes anand levies for the year 1945:

November 8, 1945	Blackwater	9:00 to	2:00
November 9, 1945	Wheeler's Cash Store	9:00 to	12:00
November 9, 1945	Caylor	1:00 to	3:00
November 12, 1945	Ewing Bank	9:00 to	3:00
November 13, 1945	Rose Hill—Hobbs Office	9:00 to	3:00
November 14, 1945	R. D. Hyatt's Store	9:00 to	12:00
November 15, 1945	St. Charles Bank	9:00 to	3:00
November 16, 1945	Russell's Store	9:00 to	12:00
November 16, 1945	Hubbard Springs	1:00 to	3:00
November 19, 1945	Pennington Gap—Mayor's Office	9:00 to	3:00
November 20, 1945	Keokee—Cooper's Store	9:00 to	11:00
November 20, 1945	Calvin Commissary	12:00 to	2:00
November 20, 1945	Robbins Chapel—Ely's Store	2:30 to	3:30
November 21, 1945	Stouts Store	9:00 to	11:30
November 21, 1945	Woodway	12:30 to	3:00
November 23, 1945	Seminary	9:00 to	11:00
November 23, 1945	Dryden	12:00 to	3:00
November 26, 1945	Benedict — Store	1:00 to	3:00
November 26, 1945	Bonny Blue — Store	1:00 to	3:00

PAY YOUR 1945 TAXES BY DECEMBER 5th AND AVOID 5% PENALTY

C. D. FUGATE, Treasurer

Dog Tags are secured at the Treasurer's office only. Tags for 1946 are due from Nov. 1 to Jan. 31, 1946. (No change in price of tags.)

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Sgt. Ulyes E. Morrison, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Morrison, Bonny Blue, Va., currently is stationed at the Redistribution Station, Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., where he will spend two weeks before reporting to his new assignment in the United States.

Sft. Morrison was returned recently to the United States after having served 19 months in Italy and Germany as squad leader. His decorations include the European theater of operations ribbon with two campaign stars, the Good Conduct Medal, Purple Heart, Distinguished Unit Badge and Combat Infantryman Badge.

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Honorably Discharged

S.-Sgt. Jack S. McDonald, 22, was honorably discharged from the U. S. Army last week at Fort George G. Meade, Md. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. N. H. McDonald, of Hagan. He is entitled to wear six battle stars, ETO and Good Conduct Ribbons, and has a Presidential Citation.

Sgt. McDonald attended Flatwood High School and prior to his entering service was employed by Newport News Shipyard as a sheet metal worker.

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A Veteran Sailor

Roy V. Cobb, seaman first class, Ben Hur, Va., served on the USS Kennebec, a unit of the Ninth Fleet which took over Ominato Naval Base and occupied Northern Japan. The Kennebec served three and a half years in the Atlantic before joining the North Pacific Force.

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Discharged

T-4 J. T. Galloway, son of A. J. Galloway, Pennington Gap Rt. 2, was given honorable discharge from the Army of the United States by Brig. Gen. George D. Vahl, post commander, at the separation Center at Fort Knox, Ky., on October 22.

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Helped Land American Troops

Thomas Everett Jones, seaman first class, USNR, Jonesville, Va., is a member of an amphibious task force which put American occupation troops ashore at Wakayama, Honshu, Japan, following the surrender of Japan.

The troops were landed at this harbor on the southeastern coast of Honshu for the occupation of Japan's inland cities of Kobe and Osake.

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Will Go To Japan

Pfc. Buford Gollahon, who served with the 309th General Hospital in Tunisians Islands, has been assigned to the Sixth Army in Japan, and will be leaving soon. He expects to be in Japan by the first of November. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Gollahon, of Woodway.

ENJOYING SAIPAN

Mrs. Emma Williams has a letter from her son, Cpl. R. E. (Tubby) Williams, serving in the Saipan area, wheer one of the worst battles of the war was fought.

Cpl. Williams states that everything's fine there now, and that they have many modern accommodations, including movies, etc.

Eggs deteriorate rapidly in quality and flavor If stored at room temperature they are unfit to eat in as little as a week. Best placee to store eggs is in an open dish or cardboard container in bottom of refrigerator

Three Veterans Attend Jonesville High School

It has been reported from Jonesville High School that there are three veterans of World War II in attendance there this year.

Returning from 11 months' duty with Uncle Sam's Navy to the Junior Class is Charles "Bud" Johnson. He completed his "boot" training at Camp Peary, Va., and from there was sent to San Francisco, where he was assigned to duty aboard the USS Caney as a seaman second class, and was striking for gunner's mate.

After Bud's eardrum was punctured by gun pressure he was transferred to a naval hospital at San Diego, from where he was discharged on June 11.

In the same class and from the same family is Wallace Johnson, who served five years in the Army, seeing duty overseas as a staff sergeant in the 12th Infantry. He was wounded in December of 1944 and was awarded the Purple Heart and the Bronze Star Medal.

Wallace participated in campaigns in Normandy, Northern France, Germany, Belgium and Southern Germany, spending 18 months in Europe. He was discharged on July 24 from Fort Meade, Md.

The other ex-soldier is finishing high school this year, and will be eligible for his diploma next spring. He is ex-Technical Sergeant Warren Wood, who spent more than three years in the Army Air Forces, 19 months of which were overseas.

Wood saw duty as a radio operator-gunner on a B-25 type aircraft, and was awarded the Air Medal with four Oak Leaf Clusters. He participated in the Tunisian, Sicilian, Foggia-Naples, Rome-Arno, Northern Apennines, Southern France, and Air Offensive European campaigns, and is entitled to wear the Distinguished Unit Badge.

Jonesville Columbians

The Columbian Literary Society of Jonesville High School initiated their new members in the school auditorium on Friday, October 26th. The program, sponsored by Miss Davis, Miss Harris, Miss Jackson, and Miss Roop, took the form of an old-fashioned singing convention, with those being initiated divided into various choirs representng the section they live in. There were choirs from Ben Hur, Miller's Chapel, Wallen's Creek, Oak Grove, and also the Johnson Choir and Odds and Ends Choir.

The audience, consisting of the high school faculty and student body members, were also entertained by a violin solo by Dorothy Perkins, accompanied on the piano by Reba Rosenbaum. There were also vocal solos by Ruth Edens and Warren Wood.

News From WOODWAY

Dr. and Mrs. Green, of Church Hill, Tenn., have bought a home in Woodway formerly owned by Pete Dillon. The Dillon are moving to Kingsport.

Woodway boys who have recently been discharged from service in the armed forces are. Ralph Reece, Ralph Lambert, Ted Pankow, R. B. Pennington, Henry Briggs, and Billy Arnold.

Mrs. George Willis has returned from Kingsport, where she spent the week-end with her parents.

The Missionary Baptist Church of Woodway is nearing completion.

The fourth and fifth grades that are now attending PHS will be brought back over here until the school building is completed.

Mr and Mrs. Ralph Lambert were visiting in Knoxville, Tenn., over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Jerkers left last week for Athens, Pa., where they will make their home.

Miss Imogene Fleenor was very pleasantly surprised Sunday evening with a birthday supper given by her mother and Evelyn. Those present included Mrs. Trula Mae Alsup, Misses Ernestine Crowell and Helen Eldridge, the honoree, Mr. and Mrs. Fleenor and Evelyn. Imogene received many nice gifts.

Methodist Church

Sunday morning, November 4: Church School at 9:30, Clyde L. Kirk, Supt. Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon topic: "Doing Good." Special music.

Evening: Youth Fellowship meets at 6:15. Evening worship at 7:00 o'clock; sermon by Rev. Roy E. Early, District Superintendent.

Monday evening, 7:00 o'clock, meeting of the Board of Stewards at the church.

Mid-week prayer service at 7:00 o'clock Wednesday evening.

Charlie D. Mehaffey, Pastor.

First Baptist Church

Sunday morning, November 4: Sunday School at 9:30, Arthur T. Butchette, Supt. Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon topic: "The Near Ends of God".

Evening: Training Unions meet at 6:30. Evening worship at 7:30. Sermon topic: "Fountains of Deliverance".

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 30th day of October, 1945.

H. E. Hyatt, Executor & c., Complainant

vs. Order of Publication

Kate Hall, et al, Defendant

The object of this suit is to recover purchase money debt due complainant by estate of Kemp Hall and to enforce vendor's lien against a 4 acre tract of land granted by J. A. G. Hyatt to Kemp Hall. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendants, Ola Fleenor, whose last known address was Buchanan, Mich., and Gladys Garrett, whose last known address was Loyall, Kentucky, are not residents of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that they appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendants at their last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

TESTE:

VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk

By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D. C

p. q. Geo P. Cridlin.

Adv. No. 44-4t.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 12th day of October, 1945.

Jesse L. Gibson.... . Complainant

vs. Order of Publication

Bertha Lee Gibson Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce A Vinculo Matrimonii on grounds of Desertion And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Bertha Lee Gibson, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address is 1914 West Griffith Avenue, Louisville 3, Kentucky, it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:

VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk.

By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D .C.

p. q. W. L. Davidson.

Adv. No. 42-4t.

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House Of Delegates

October 22, 1945.

TO THE VOTERS OF LEE COUNTY:

On account of continued sickness in my family, I have found it utterly impossible to see many of the voters of the county in behalf of my candidacy for reelection to the House of Delegates, in the election to be held TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1945, therefore I am using this method of getting in touch with you, and I trust that you will accept it as a personal appeal for your support in this campaign.

During my campaign for the House of Delegates in 1943, I pledged the people of Lee County that, if elected, public schools, public health, public welfare and public roads would have my first interest. You elected me as your representative in the House of Delegates, and in asking you for reelection to that position I ask that you examine my record during the regular and three special sessions of which I was a member, and determine from that record whether or not I have kept the faith. If you find that I have kept the trust reposed in me, then I hope that you will support me for reelection on November 6th.

I was committed to the Lancaster School Program, and did what I could to carry out that program. We were unable to realize the whole program in 1944, but I supported every amendment looking to increased appropriations for teachers' salaries in Virginia, including the Spiers' Amendment. In 1945 I supported a bill increasing the appropriation for teachers' salaries over 1944 in the sum of $2,225,000.00, and today the State is appropriating approximately $1,150.00 per teacher unit, when we consider certain appropriations of new money made direct to the local units with the hope that it would be used for teaching costs, which is within $50.00 per unit of that recommended under the Lancaster plan. I supported a measure appropriating the sum of $1,212,530.00 for additional teaching equipment, and especially for audio-visual education. I supported a measure which gave to all members of the armed forces the right to vote without the payment of poll tax or registration during the emergency. I supported measures for increased appropriations for institutions for the blind, for those afflicted with tuberculosis, for the insane and for public welfare. I supported an amendment to the Workmen's Compensation Act, which provides that occupational diseases shall be compensable as well as accidents. I feel that my record will disclose that I supported every worthwhile legislative program which came before the General Assembly during my incumbency.

I feel that because of my experience in the General Assembly of Virginia, I am in a better position than ever before to serve the people of my county, and I trust that it will be your pleasure not only to vote for me on November 6th, but that you will see your neighbors in my behalf as well.

Yours very sincerely,

A. P. Hamblen

Paid Political Advertisement

A. P. Hamblen

News From BENEDICT

Clarence Vansant, recently discharged from the Navy; Mrs. Vansant, and Miss Betty Woods, of Oak Ridge, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sturgill here last week.

Pearl Sturgill, of Jonesville, spent the week-end here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sturgill visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Scarbrough and family at LaFollette, Tenn., last week.

Mrs. Curtis Ewing and family spent last Sunday with relatives on Puckett's Creek.

Henry Roberts, who is employed at Kingsport, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Roberts and family, here last week-end.

Cpl. Forest Hall, who has recently been discharged from the U. S. Army, visited relatives and friends here last week.

Pfc. T. C. Scarborough, wife and little daughter, Gloria Jean, of Monarch, visited here last week with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sturgill and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Jones and daughter, Joan, of Jonesville, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Roberts Fortner and family last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Baltimore and family visited relatives at Pine Knot, Ky., last week.

News From HAGAN

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Langley spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Steve Langley and family.

Rev. George Vanhuss, of Rose Hill, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Kin Hensley.

Will and Andy Ingle spent Sunday with Mrs. Martha Wolfe at Rose Hill.

Mrs. Howard Sumner and children and Miss Bonnie Langley, of Akron, Ohio, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Langley.

Mr. and Mrs. Cellie Thomas and family were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clint Cassell, of Flatwood, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gill Hensley and family were visiting relatives at Liggett, Ky., Sunday.

News From OCOONITA

(For week of October 25)

Woodard Ingle returned home Saturday after spending the past two weeks visiting relatives in Berea, Ky.

Miss Faye Hammonds underwent a tonsilectomy at Harlan Hospital, Harlan, Ky., Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Krick and little son, Myron, of Oak Ridge, spent the week-end with Mrs. Krick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Canor Johnson.

Misses Mable and Cornia Absher, of Kingsport, Tenn., spent the week-end with their sister, Mrs. E. B. Fleenor, and Mr. Fleenor.

Ray Noe and family have moved to their home here from West Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Fleenor are visiting relatives here. Morgan is on his first furlough from the U. S. Navy.

Pvt. Gale Johnson visited his mother, Mrs. Virginia Johnson, Sunday, while on a week-end pass from Camp Croft, S. C.

Earl Carroll, who has been discharged from the Army and is with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Carroll, at Loyall, Ky., was visiting his sister, Mrs. Arnold Bolin, here Friday.

Mrs. Henry Burgan is visiting relatives in Harlan, Ky.

John Pridemore, of Ewing, was visiting friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Greene and little son, of Hubbard Springs, was visiting Mrs. Greene's aunt, Mrs. Hattie Pridemore, last week.

Mrs. Dora Mae Gibson and children have been visiting friends in Monarch the past week.

Mrs. Marie Gilbert, Mrs. Josie Ingle and Henry Hammonds were on the sic k list last week.

H. M. Gilbert, who is employed at Clinton, spent the past week with his family.

Advertisement

From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

Keeping 'em Down on the farm

Rode out to the Jenkins farm the other day—and there was young Charlie Jenkins—two months out of uniform—driving a tractor as pretty as could be with his one good arm.

"I expect you find that pretty dull after piloting a bomber," I suggested.

Charlie gives me a wide, contented grin. "Dull?" he says. "All the time I was over Germany I dreamt of this—the smell of hay, and the hot sun on my back . . . and comin' home to women's voices in the farmhouse, and home cookin', and a friendly glass of beer. No," he says dreamily, "not dull!"

From where I sit, that's how lots of returning veterans must feel. Yearning for excitement? No, just mighty glad to be back with the old familiar things, the day's work, the rewards of home, companionship, and simple pleasures like a friendly glass of beer. No . . . not dull.

Joe Marsh

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A Letter To The Editor

Keokee, Va.
Oct. 29, 1945

Mr. Sam C. Blackwell,
Editor, The Powell Valley News.

Dear Sir:

Recently I saw an article in your paper by the newly organized Izaak Walton League that interested me very much. In it, they asked the question, "What, no fish? What, no birds today?"

The answers are very simple to both question—"No protection". What's the matter with our game and fish laws? Nothing—if they were enforced. How can one who waits for the season to open expect to catch any bass or find any squirrels, when they are all caught or killed before the season opens?

One of my favorite sports is to take a rod and reel and a few good lures and cast for bass, but in the last three or four years I've caught only two or three fish. I know it to be a fact that some of the people who live along Powells River and others that fish this stream start early in the spring, some with "gigs", rifles and dynamite—any way to get fish, regardless of the season or laws. Until these conditions are remedied, there will be no fish of interest in Powells River, which is as good a bass stream as any in the State of Virginia. Also up here near Calvin where I live the shotguns begin to roar along about August 15th, and is kept up as long as there are any squirrels to shoot at and no bag limits. The same goes for quail — it's lucky a few survive for breeding.

I've fished in Kentucky, Tennessee, West Virginia and Virginia. Recently I spent a week in West Virginia, where they have protection, and can truthfully say it is no trouble to get your limit of fish or game almost any time you go. Even my wife, who had never caught a fish before, landed a 5½ lb. pike on her first try.

We can have the same kind of fishing in Powells River if all are made to fish according to law.

So what? One can expect the same answer each time one goes fishing in Powells River—"No bass"—unless they get protection from "gigs", "rifles", "dynamite", etc.

Hoping these conditions can be remedied in the near future, I remain a sportsman that believes in conservation.

E. F. Duncan.

Flatwood 4-H Club Elects New Officers

Opal Wilder, Reporter

At the regular meeting of the Flatwood 4-H Club, held last week, the following officers were elected to serve the ensing year:

President, Dick Hyatt; vice president, Dale Hyatt; secretary-treasurer, Mariella Jones; reporter, Opal Wilder; program committee, Opal Wilder, Jacquelyn Carroll, Wade Hampton.

The officers for the past year extended their best regards as they resigned their seats to the new ones.

Flatwood 4-H Club is working toward the goal of representing their Club with a short program which they hope everyone will enjoy as their small part at "Achievement Day" November 17th, to be held at Jonesville High School. Every club in the county will be represented

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, in vacation, on the 30th day of October, 1945

Emmett Price . Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Viola Johnson Price....Defendant

The object of the above styled suit is to obtain a divorce on behalf of the complainant, Emmett Price, from the defendant, Viola Johnson Price, on ground of willful and voluntary desertion of the complainant by the defendant for a period of more than two years. And it appearing by affidavit filed according to law that Viola Johnson Price, the above named defendant, is not a resident of this State, and that her last known address is Clovesplint, Kentucky; it is, therefore, ordered that the said Viola Johnson Price do appear within ten days after due publication of this order, in the Clerk's Office of our said Circuit Court, and do what is necessary to protect her interests. It is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a newspaper published in Lee County, Virginia; and it is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the courthouse of said County on or before the next succeeding rule day, and that another copy hereof be mailed to the defendant at the Post Office address given in the affidavit.

Given under my hand the 30th day of October, 1945.

ATTEST:
VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk.
Robt. B. Ely, p.q.
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Junior Musicians Club Held Recent Meeting

By Gwendolyn Barr, Reporter

The Junior Musicians Club of Pennington Gap held its second monthly meeting for the year 1945-46 at 7:00 o'clock p. m., in the Recreation Hall of the Methodist Church on October 8, 1945.

The meeting was called to order by 'Gene Philip Reasor, president, after which a candle lighting installation service was held for the new officers. A fund was donated for the Edgar Stillman Kelly Scholarship. It was voted that junior pins bearing the National Federated insignia would be purchased when available. The following committees were appointed by the president:

Refreshment committee: Jane Kauffman, Mary Gail Bassett.

Program committee: Mary Alice Beverly, Billy Shelton, Jo Ella Richardson.

A social followed the meeting, which consisted of musical games and refreshments. The club then adjourned to meet again the second Monday evening in November.

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Also Late News and Comedy

Friday and Saturday, November 9 - 10
DOUBLE FEATURE
HOOT GIBSON — BOB STEELE
—in—
Marked Trails
—also—
I Love A Band Leader
—with—
PHIL HARRIS
And Serial

PUBLIC SALE

Saturday, Nov. 10

10:00 A. M., RAIN OR SHINE

The Sale will be held on the Arnie Ramsey farm, six miles southeast of Rose Hill, ten miles west of Jonesville. Known as the Stickley farm. The following property, as described, will be sold:

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Social and Personal

Mrs. Hagy Visits In New York

Mrs. L. B. Hagy, of St. Charles, is just back from New York, where she visited with her son, Petty Officer Robert Hagy, who was there with the fleet for Navy Day. While there she saw several Lee County boys, among them Chief Petty Officer Damon Lyttle, of the USS "New York". She was aboard that ship and had coffee in the officers' quarters. Also aboard this ship were Charlee Corgin, another Lee County boy, and Don Green, of St. Charles, with the U. S. Navy Recruiting Station, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Hallowe'en Social

One of the most interesting and entertaining socials of the Hallowe'en season was given by Mrs. C. C. Carr and Mrs. Bernice Cooper at Mrs. Carr's home last Thursday evening for the Home Maker's Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church.

The home was decorated in all the Hallowe'en motifs—jack-o-lanterns, autumn leaves, streamers of black and orange hanging from the doorways, lamps shaded in orange until they shed a soft golden glow over the rooms. One small room was especially reserved for the usual Hallowe'en folk—Bluebeard, the ghosts of his murdered wives, the headless ghost, the black cat, and last but not least, the "old woman" fortune teller. Mrs. P. R. Stubbs and Mrs. B. H. Wainscott were contest prize winners. Special invited guests were: Mrs. Letcher Baker, Mrs. Frank Smalley, Miss Janelle Howard, Mrs. Etta Green.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses.

Home From Pacific Area

Lt. and Mrs. W. J. Shelburne, Jr., were in Pennington Gap Sunday, enroute to Lexington, Ky., for a visit with his parets, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Shelburne, Sr. The couple were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Graham.

Lt. Shelburne is the son of a retired minister, who is a native of Lee County. He is home on 30 days' leave from the Southeast Pacific area, where he served on the submarine "Captaine".

Mrs. Z. C. Flanary, Mr. and Mrs. Violes Flanary and little son, Danny, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Flanary in Richlands last week.

Don't fail to see Jack London's "Call of the Wild", with Clark Gable, Loretta Young, Jack Oakie; coming to Lee Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, November 12 and 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pruden, of Prunden, Tenn., were in Pennington Gap Sunday on their way to Bonny Blue to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Winchester.

Mrs. G. W. Young and daughter, Margueritte, returned home Monday after a few days' visit with their daughter and sister, Mrs. George Click, at Mount Sidney, Va.

Captain Arch M. Carr, of Middlesboro, was here last week visiting with his uncle, Dr. C. C. and Mrs. Carr. Capt. Carr has just returned from U. S. Army service in Italy, and has his honorable discharge.

'Gene Poteet, former resident of Pennington Gap, is reported ill in Franklin Square Hospital in Baltimore, Md., from burns received at his work with the Standard Oil Company of Baltimore.

Mrs. Golda Wassum, of Kingsport, Tenn., visited here this week-end with Misses Mossie and Kate Green.

Dr. and Mrs. C. B. Hines had as guests Sunday his mother, Mrs. G. W. Hines; two sisters, Mrs. H. W. Lowry and daughter and Mrs. R. P. Malcolm, and sister-in-law, Mrs. Palmer Hines and two children, all of Bristol.

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Mrs. Jack Warf and family, of Bonny Blue, had as their guest last week her mother, Mrs Charles Stapleton, of Loudon, Tenn., and her sister, Mrs. Harold Kirk and daughter, Linda Joyce, of Norton, Va.

OCTOBER BRIDE

MRS. KENNETH WILLIS

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Ward, of Dryden, Va., announce the marriage of their daughter, Chrystelle, to Mr. Kenneth Willis, son of Mrs. Ed Stipes, of Keokee, Va.

The wedding took place in Harlan, Ky., at 4:25 p. m., October 6, with the Rev. C. Lynn White officiating, using the ring ceremony. The bride wore a fuchsia wool suit with black accessories. She is a graduate of Dryden High School.

The groom recently returned from the European theater of war, where he served 30 months in the AAF and the Fifth Army Amphibious Corps. His army service covers a period of five years and two months.

The couple will make their home in Dayton, Ohio, where Mr. Willis is employed.

CORNETT—RHEA

Mrs. Bessie Cornett announces the marriage of her daughter, Pearl, to Mr. Paul Edward Rhea, of Clinton, Tenn., Saturday, October 20.

The wedding took place in the First Baptist Church at Chattanooga, Tenn., with the pastor, Rev. H. L. Smith, officiating, using the double ring ceremony. The attendants were the groom's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Coker.

The bride is a graduate of Pennington High School, class of '40; also of Hiwassee College, and attended Lincoln Memorial University. For the past two years she has taught in Lee County public schools

The groom is a son of James Rhea, of Clinton, Tenn. He has recently been given an honorable discharge from U. S. Army service, after a service of more than five years.

The couple will make their home at Clinton, Tenn.

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Suttle, of Jonesville, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Evelyn, to Mr. W. Hobart Reams, of Middlesboro, Ky.

Miss Suttle is a teacher in the Middlesboro City Schools, and is former commercial teacher in Pennington High School.

Sgt. Michael Johns is home with a discharge with his wife, formerly Miss Virginia Hall, and their daughter, Wanda Louise This is Sgt. Johns' first visit with his daughter.

Miss Ruby Myers, who has been ill for the past few days, is reported improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kirk visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kirk and daughter, Linda Joyce, of Norton, Va., Sunday

Miss Imogene Burgan was in Harlan shopping Saturday.

Edna Ruth Bailey, of Oak Ridge, was home several days last week.

Mrs. Herman Moody, of Dryden, visited Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Myers and family Sunday.

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Arthur (Brother) Bailey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Bailey, is home on honorable discharge after six years' service to his country.

Eugene Corbin, of the U. S. Navy, is home on leave.

Pvt. Arthur Lane Livesay returned to duty last Thursday after several days' furlough here with his wife, formerly Miss Bette Stout, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Livesay.

Miss Katherine Green, Kingsport, Tenn., spent last week-end here with Miss Ruth Dabney Pennington.

Miss Judy Orr, student of U.T., came home last week-end to visit with her parents, bringing with her a schoolmate, Miss Lovingood.

Visitors From California

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. (Jack) Rogers arrived here Sunday morning from Sacramento, Calif., for a several days' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Rogers and family.

Jack has recently been honorably discharged from the U. S. Army, after a service of about four years. Almost three years of this service was spent overseas. At the termination of their visit here they expect to go to Pontiac, Mich., to make their home. The couple were married last December.

Bridal Shower

Mrs. C. H. Howard, formerly of Pennington Gap, entertained with a miscellaneous shower at her home in Kingsport, Tuesday evening, Oct. 23, honoring her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Robert A. Laningham. Bingo was the leading game of the evening and several prizes were awarded the winners. Hallowe'en colors were used in the decorations.

Mrs. Howard was assisted by Mrs. Bobby Stout ad Mrs. Paul Lane. After delicious refreshments the gifts presented by the many guests were opened and displayed.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Laningham are formerly of Pennington Gap.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Allen have sold their home in Dryden and have moved to Pennington Gap.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Wainscott and Mrs. Sara W. Black attended a music concert at L. M. U., Tuesday night.

Miss Bertha Myers has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Claude Lawson, for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Harber, of Bonny Blue, visited friends and relatives in Pennington Gap Sunday.

Miss Lois Burden, of Bonny Blue, visited here last week with her sister, Mrs. Frank Stewart.

Sgt. Lawrence R. Howard visited his brother, Jake Howard and family this week. Sgt. Howard served in the Europea theater for more than two years.

Jake Howard visited his mother and other relatives at Monterey, Tenn., last week.

Cpl. Billy Arnold arrived home last week after several months' service overseas. Cpl. Arnold enlisted in 1942 while a student of Pennington High School.

Doris Morefield, of V.I.C., visited her aunt,, Mrs. Clyde McElyea, last week.

Former S.-Sgt. Carl Evans, of St. Charles, is back to civilian life and back to civilian occupation on honorable discharge, after a service of about 29 months in the U. S. Army, 23 months of which time was spent overseas. Mr. Evans was formerly proprietor of St. Charles Grocery and Feed Store. He and Mrs. Evans were in Pennington today.

Yellowstone National Park, where no farm was reported in the 1940 agricultural census, now has one farm.

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Town Talk

About This, That, And The Other

Dreams come true

Wars and rumors of wars have pestered the generations since the time Cain rose up and slew his brother Abel, but good roads, a young persons' right to vote and other marks of progress have only originated during the last century. In fact, these two latter were a cherished dream of one of Lee County's early pioneer citizens and political leaders, Isaac Robinette, grandfather of Senator L. M. Robinette, present day citizen and attorney of Jonesville.

In the archives of Lincoln Memorial University, is a three-page campaign document written and signed by the late Isaac Robinette, dated December 15, 1846, and pertaining to his candidacy to the General Assembly representing Lee County.

Mr. Robinette favored mecadam roads in this section. There was then only one road of this kind, the highway to Bristol. The following paragraph is copied from the document:

"I am in favor of the mecadamized road that is now making to the Tennessee line, and although it wont run through Lee County, I think it will be a great advantage to this end of the state in general, and I will go for commencing on the Tennessee line and work on both ends at once. And I will also go for joining our turnpike to the mecadamized road, somewhere on Reedy Creek road to the foot of Powells Mountain. We ought to have good roads through Lee County, and the only way we can get them is to elect men to the Assembly that will go for them."

He discussed the Mexican War. "I am in favor of James K. Polk; some blame him for this Mexican war, but I don't. He told us when he was a candidate that he was for having Texas, and that if he was elected he would have it. The people did elect him, and he did what he told them he would do, and if it is wrong, the people are to blame more than Mr Polk."

He favored man sufferage, that is, he believed that every man who had reached the age of 21 should have a right to vote. In the document he says:

"I think the Constitution of Virginia ought to be altered so that every man that is 21 years of age will be allowed to vote. Every man of that age, rich or poor, ought to have a vote in choosing their law makers. If a man's right to vote depends upon his sense, instead of his property, some of us that now vote and are trying to get into the Assembly, would stand a poor chance at getting at the polls, while many a man that is now kept away would have a right to vote I go for changing the constitution right off."

Senator Robinette tells that his grandfather was a man of unusual strength and heighth, nearly seven feet tall. He used his specially prepared chair and shoes made especially for him.

He had three sons who fought in the Civil War. Samuel Robinette, the Senator's father, was the only one to get back alive. Isaac Robinette served as County Court Clerk of Lee for many years.

The first ancestors of the Robinette's to come to Lee County was Senator's great-great grandfather, who settled in the Blackwater area in 1812, and owned

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Two In Family Get Honorable Discharges

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Crowell have both a son and son-in-law recently discharged from service in the armed forces.

T-S R. P. received honorable discharge at Greensboro, N. C., after two years, eleven months of service. R. P. made a close call when his plane came down over Belgium, but has practically recovered and is ready to enjoy civilian life again.

Petty Officer E. Frank Duncan was honorably discharged at Norfolk after serving four years on the USS "Alabama."

He has accepted a position at Kimball, W. Va., where he and Mrs. Duncan, formerly Miss Isobel Crowell, will make their home.

Men In Nov. Induction Pre-Induction Calls

NOW AT LOWRY FIELD

PVT. FRED K. WALLEN

Pvt. Fred K. Wallen, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wallen, of St. Charles, entered service August 16, 1945, at Fort Meade, Md. From there he went to Sheppard Field, Texas, for his basic training for the AAF. He is now stationed at Lowry Field, Colorado, taking special eight weeks' schooling.

Pvt. Wallen graduated from St. Charles High School May 21, 1945. Friends who wish to write him may address his as follows: Pvt. Fred K. Wallen, 45,000,926 Squad, T, Lowry Field 2, Colo

PHS Basketball Coach

A. D (Salty) Foster, basketball coach for the boy's team at Pennington High School, is doing a fine job with his boys, according to numerous reports.

He came to Pennington in the fall of '43 and during the term of '43 and '44 he and his team won the basketball championship. Nearly all his team graduated that term, so this year he has a group of boys with but little experience, but they're "going strong" in good playing.

The boys say of him that he "just makes himself one of us" His personal interest in them makes them want to play their best, and they, along with "Salty" are working hard for another championship.

State P. T. A. Official Speaks Here Tuesday

Dr. Mary Frances Reed, of V. P. I., Virginia State Chairman of Parent Education, P. T. A., will be guest speaker at the P. T. A. meeting, Pennington High School, next Tuesday, Nov 13, at 3:00 o'clock

Parents, Teachers and Patrons of the school are urged to attend this meeting and hear Dr Reed.

New Grocery Store, Meat Market In P. G.

E. R. Tucker, formerly of Bristol, and Gilmer Moore, recently discharged from service after a two years' period in the European area, have announced the opening of their new Grocery and Meat Market on Friday, November 16, in the former Bus Terminal room of the Roller Building.

Mr. Tucker and Mr. Gilmer will operate on a strictly "cash and carry" basis, at rock-bottom prices, they state.

They extend a cordial invitation to the public to visit them on opening date.

Mrs. Warner Injured

Mr. and Mrs. John Warner, who live in the Flatwood community, had started out Sunday evening to visit with neighbors, when, as they were passing through the gate by some means Mrs. Warner fell and suffered a broken leg.

Card of Thanks

S. Sgt. and Mrs. Carol D. Bailey, of Keesler Field, Biloxi, Miss., Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Kelly and Mr. and Mrs. Deck Bailey wish to thank their friends for the many acts of kindness and sympathy in the death and burial of their infant daughter and granddaughter, Carolyn Bernice Bailey.

29 To Answer Combined Calls From Local Board 2

Selective Service Board No. 2, Pennington Gap, Lee County, Virginia, has called twenty-nine men to fill their quota for November, eleven in the Induction call and eighteen in the Pre-induction call. They are:

Induction Call for November 20, 1945

Terry Clemont Adams, St. Charles; George Milton Napier, Jr., R. 1, Keokee; James Charles Kinser, St. Charles; Charles Douglas Daniels, Leona Mines; George Harry Holmes, R. 1, Keokee; Charles Edward Greer, Leona Mines; Edward Hayes, Leona Mines; Joseph Daniel Richards, Pennington Gap; Thomas Vernon Meade, Pennington Gap; Edward Wilson, Bonny Blue; Henry Clyde Garrison, Pennington Gap.

Pre-induction Call for month of November

Paul Orial Stapleton, Keokee; Richard Glenn Cox, Dryden; Major Lee Ely, Dryden; Elmo Delph, R. 1, Big Stone Gap; Pearl Petrey, St. Charles; Edward L. Murr, St. Charles; Wilson Blair, Jr., R. 1 Pennington Gap; Carlos Lee Cole, St. Charles; Hubert Jay Roberts, R. 1, Pennington Gap; Robert French McCullough, Pennington Gap; Noah Junior Hammons, R 1, Keokee; Raymond Paul Mosley, Pennington Gap, Wilson Abraham White, R. 1, St. Charles; Carl Lewis, Leona Mines; Creed Leck Wilson, Dryden; Guy Junior Scalf, R. 2, Pennington Gap; Luther Samuel Whited, Bonny Blue; Paul Jefferson Davis, Keokee

Methodist Youth Mass Meeting Sun. Evening

Sunday evening, November 11, at 5:00 o'clock at the Pennington Gap Methodist Church, the Upper Lee County Young People will hold a mass meeting rally. The purpose of the meeting is fellowship and the election of officers, and the following churches are expected to join in this rally

Rose Hill, Ewing, Powell Valley, Jonesville, Bonny Blue, St Charles, Dryden, Stickleyville, Pennington Gap. Fellowship supper will be served at the church

Rev. James (Jimmie) Wilder, Holston Conference Director of Young Peoples' Work, will be the speaker at the evening worship hour, 7:00 o'clock.

Card Of Thanks

We wish to thank our many friends for the beautiful flowers and their kind expressions of sympathy shown us during our recent bereavement in the death of our husband, father, and brother, Gus Henderson.

Mrs. Gus Henderson
and Children
Mrs. J. J. Wade

Noted Musical Artists To Be In Middlesboro Mon.

Raymond Burrows and Anthony Loudis, two young American pianists, who have made names for themselves as individual performers, and have devoted their concert efforts in recent years to performance of music for two pianos, will present a music concert in the High School auditorium at Middlesboro, Ky., Monday evening, November 12, at 7:30.

Professor Burrows is a member of the faculty of Teachers College, Columbia University, where he is in charge of all piano instruction in addition to the direction of offerings for the training of piano teachers. He holds a diploma from the Juliard School of Music, and has the Bachelor's, Master's and Doctor's degrees from Columbia University.

Professor Loudis is the head of the music department at the University of Delaware. He is also on the piano faculty of Teachers College, Columbia University, where he finds time to give lessons one day a week under the title Associates in Music and Music Education.

Revival Begins At Bonny Blue Community Church Sunday, November 11

The Bonny Blue Community Church has announced a revival which is to begin on November 11. The pastor, Rev. E. R. Lewis, will do the preaching. Music will be in charge of a local committee. Prayer groups are being organized in the hope that the entire community may be brought under the influence of these meetings.

The good people of Bonny Blue have their hearts in the Lord's work and are facing the future with courage, confidence and hope.

Two meetings have been held recently in the interest of lay activities and of a promotional program in the local church. General interest in church work and attendance are most encouraging.

Our young people are enthusiastically engaged in a promotional program which is not only reviving interest and reaching many of their own group but is setting a pattern for the adult membership of the church. These young people will attend a rally at Pennington Gap on Sunday evening and night, November 11, and will return to throw their strength into the revival during the week.

A hearty welcome is extended to all to attend and support this revival meeting.

E. R. Lewis, Pastor.

District K Educators Meeting At Lebanon

H K. Cassell, president of District K Education Association, has announced that the annual fall meeting will be held November 10 at 10 a. m., at Lebanon.

G. Tyler Miller, president of the Virginia Education Association, will speak to the assembly on the morning of the program His theme will be the outlook for education in Virginia in the future

In the afternoon D. E. McQuilkin, superintendent of schools of Roanoke city will discuss the retirement law and the proposed changes which will be submitted to the 1945 General Assembly.

Hargraves Opens General Store In St. Charles

White Hargraves, manager of Benedict Store for almost twenty years, who resigned several weeks ago to enter business for himself near Jonesville, has recently purchased the Lum Freels Grocery near the Virginian Theater at St. Charles and is now open to meet his many friends, both old and new in his own capacity.

Mr. Hargraves said he was going to convert the store, which previously handled groceries and meats, into a general store, adding farm produce and items of various general lines.

Nov. 8 Marks 170th Birthday For Marines

Thursday, November 8, marked the 170th birthday anniversary for the United States Marine Corps.

Admiral Nimitz saluted them on this day with the words "Well done—carry on!"

Sugar Rationing May Continue Through 1947

An Associated Press article, dated Washington, Nov. 8, says:

There's little hope now that sugar rationing will end before 1947, Secretary of Agriculture Anderson said today.

Rationing of butter, margarine, lard and shortening may have to continue into the spring, and possibly summer, of 1946, he added, but meat may go off the ration list early in 1946.

Anderson gave this picture at a news conference at which he announced the United States has allocated liberated areas of Europe and French North Africa 50 per cent more food for the October-December quarter than in the previous quarter.

More than 75 per cent of the food assigned is wheat and flour. In the case of meats, these foreign areas will get 347,000 tons compared with 2,473,000 tons for American civilians.

The secretary was less optimistic with regard to domestic supplies of sugar and fats and oils than he was several weeks ago when he discussed them at news conferences. At that time, he expressed the hope that fats and oils could be taken off the ration list by the first of the year and that the sugar situation would be eased considerably by next spring.

His optimism on sugar was based largely upon the reported discovery of 1,600,000 tons of sugar on Java after its conquest from the Japanese and upon expectations that the Philippines would soon be able to resume exports.

But civil strife in Java and other Netherland East Indes islands has prevented, he said today, the movement of sugar from that area.

Summary Of Activities St. Chas. Federated Choir

By Mrs. S. G. Hill, Councelor

The St. Charles Junior Chorus has an enrollment of eighteen girls, fifteen of these active singers. They contribute to: The Edgar Stillman Kelly Scholarship fund, the Edward McDowell Colony, and for three years have paid the required fee for the adoption of a Chinese orphan. Since their organization, they have contributed food and gifts to a needy family at Christmas.

Last Christmas they presented a cantata, sang carols outdoors and at two church services, also at a Parent-Teachers meeting They assisted with the music at an Inter-County music week program on Sunday, May 6th, held at Pennington Gap, Va. They also presented a music week program to the School. Through the year they sang seventeen programs.

On September 23, 1945, they listened as a group to the "Symphony of the Air" radio program, featuring the National Music Club scholarship winners, with Dr. Black conducting. They also as a group attended two concerts, one in Harrogate, Tenn., at Lincoln Memorial University, a Violinist; the other, "The Men's Chorus of Bristol." This concert was presented at the High School auditorium in Appalachia, Va

The Junior Chorus is vested and has one hour practice each week, and one business meeting each month.

New Lee County Voted In Tuesday's Election

	Tuck	Landreth	Carvile	Collins	Marshall	Staples	Parsons	Hamblen	Kirk
Keokee	33	22	3	35	24	34	25	29	30
Bishop Store	47	69	2	43	72	45	71	48	69
Hunters Gap	41	39	2	41	41	42	41	42	41
Dryden	88	109	1	88	108	89	109	98	98
Rose Hill	160	70	3	162	72	164	71	163	70
S. Jonesville	142	98	3	137	102	142	102	139	103
Hurst Store	97	44	6	98	47	96	51	94	55
Maness	34	72	6	37	74	37	73	29	84
E. Pennington	92	75	15	78	99	76	103	72	107
W. Pennington	66	57	10	69	69	65	74	65	72
Seminary	49	62	11	49	70	48	71	59	63
St. Charles	102	127	14	120	129	106	142	95	155
Blackwater	194	39	1	195	39	195	41	194	37
Robbins Chapel	34	46	2	34	40	37	46	35	47
Morgan Store	159	98	6	162	104	163	104	163	101
Stickleyville	82	68	9	87	73	81	76	80	79
Dixie	144	6	3	145	10	143	10	142	9
Bales Forge	37	28		37	28	37	28	37	28
Bales Mill	96	39	1	96	40	94	42	93	39
N. Jonesville	261	151	4	270	157	270	153	270	154
Total	1958	1319	99	1983	1398	1894	1478	1947	1441

Tuck-Collins Victors In Tuesday's Election

WILL RETURN TO HIGH SCHOOL

MARX D. POCHODZAY, S. 2-C

Marx Dayton Pochodzay, Seaman second class, joined the Navy at age of 17, while a student of Pennington High School, in the tenth grade.

He plans to continue and finish high school when he is released from service.

Jockey Day Is Voted Out By Town Council

No more "Jockey Days" in Pennington Gap, was the decision of the Town Council at a meeting in the Municipal Building Monday night, according to Mayor E. E. Parsons.

Jockey Day has long been held once a month, the first Saturday in each month, and on this day horse dealers assembled just beyond the Depot, near Pennington Milling Company, to buy, sell or "swap" horses, which, within itself, was all right, the Mayor said.

But invariably these horse dealers left the town encumbered with some old dilapidated animal ready for his last round up, sometimes "just a pack of bones" as Mr. Parsons expressed it, which had to be killed and it's remains disposed of by the town.

"To rid ourselves of this encumbrance being thrust upon us," he said, "We just voted out the practice altogether."

Board No. 1 Lists New Registrants For Oct.

Thirteen new registrants, four who passed Pre-induction examination, and one volunteer inductee is the report of Selective Service Board No. 1, Jonesville, Lee County, Va., for the month of October. They are:

New Registrants

J. T. Armour Wilder, Rose Hill; Maurice Earl Parkey, R. 1, Rose Hill; Reuben Jones, R. 2, Rose Hill; Glenn Bledsoe, R. 3, Blackwater; Frank Lynn Garrett, R. 2, Rose Hill; Chester Franklin Thomas, R. 1, Ewing; Willard Sampson, R. 4, Jonesville; Hagan Fred Williams, Jonesville; Albert Eugene Smith, Ben Hur; Benjamin Turrell Hall, Hubbard Springs; Charles Keith Miner, R. 3, Jonesville; William Oscar Lewis, Hubbard Springs; Harry Alfred McConnell, R. 1, Rose Hill.

Pre-inductions

James Cellis Clifton, Hubbard Springs; Jay Harold Miles, R. 2, Jonesville; James Clyde Shackleford, Rose Hill; Thomas Edward Shell, Jr., R. 2, Jonesville.

Volunteer Inductee

William Oscar Lewis, Rose Hill.

Open Hunting Season In County Nov. 15—Jan. 1

The open hunting season in Lee County and in most counties west of the Blue Ridge for quail, rabbits, grouse, turkeys, Ringnecked, Mongolian and Chinese pheasants, will last from Nov. 15 to Jan. 1, both dates inclusive. Bag limits are as follows:

Quail, 10 a day, 125 a season; rabbits, 6 a day, 75 a season; grouse, 3 a day, 15 a season; turkey, 2 a day, 4 a season; pheasants, 4 a day, 20 a season.

According to County Game Warden J. R. Hines, quail in the County are exceptionally scarce this season.

Hamblen Victorious As Lee County Delegate

Wm. M. Tuck, of South Boston, Virginia, is new Governor of Virginia, and Lewis Preston (Pat) Collins, of Marion, Virginia, is Lieutenant Governor. Both are Democrats.

They attained these positions Tuesday, November 6, in a landslide victory in the State election. Associated Press returns from 1,544 of the State's 1,716 precincts gave Tuck 106,387 votes to 49,494 for his opponent, Senator Floyd Landreth, and in 1,545 precints Collins received 103,962 votes for Lt. Governor to 48,789 for Carl Marshall, of Fairfax, his Republican opponent.

The race between the two Lee County candidates for the House of Delegates, A. P. Hamblen, Democrat, and Fred Kirk, Republican, resulted in victory for Hamblen, who was re-elected to his second term, by a 506 majority.

The county, according to tabulated vote from the 20 precincts, gave Hamblen 1,947 votes to Kirk's 1,441.

The large industrial precinct of St. Charles, normally Democratic, went Republican for the first time in a good many years.

Many Farm People Attend SSC Meeting

Members of Southern States Cooperative who are served by Bledsoe Bothers of Jonesville and Bledsoe and Byington of Ben Hur, cooperative service agencies, held their annual meeting in Jonesville, October 29, with an attendance of approximately 600 farm people.

District Manager G. A. Roberts of Wytheville, gave the annual report of Southern Cooperative. He pointed out that the organization paid the last of its indebtedness in June, and that this is the first time in its 22-year history that it has been free of debt. Membership has grown from 110 farmers in 1923 to 178,808 at the present time The cooperative's net worth is $8,000,000.

"If the Southern States Cooperative were not a sound investment it would not have lasted since 1923," E. B. Clark declared in his talk on "The Necessity for Farm Cooperatives."

Elected to the Advisory board were J. A. Wolfe and J. C. Roop of Jonesville for three-year terms; G. A. Arnold and C. D. Dalton of Jonesville for two years, and O. I. Snodgrass, Jonesville, and M. W. Clark of Pennington Gap, for one year. To the Farm Home Advisory committee were elected Mrs. W. S. Cox of Jonesville, and Mrs. Ray Gilbert of Woodway, for three years; Mrs. J. V. Kelly of Pennington Gap, and Mrs L. P. Litton of Ewing, for two years, and Mrs. E. B. Clark and Mrs. W. A. Bays of Jonesville, for one year

J. A. Wolfe of Jonesville presided, and Rev. W. B. Moore, pastor of the First Christian Church, gave the invocation. Group singing was led by Morris Fannon of Pennington Gap, accompanied by Mrs. Alyce Carter, of Jonesville.

Winners in the Southern States Feed Bag Style Show were Mrs. Coy Moore, first, prize, Miss Hester Jenkins, second, Miss Ruth Orr, third, and Miss Rhea Harlior, fourth. In the Cracker Eating contest Marion Fannon, first, and Eugene Chadwell, second. Harrison Crocket won first prize in the Milk drinking contest, with Coy Collins, Jr., second. Refreshments were served by Mrs. S. F. Long of Jonesville.

In the election meetings held immediately after the Membership meeting, J. A. Wolfe was chosen chairman of the Advisory board, and Mrs. W. S. Cox, chairman of the Farm Home Advisory committee. Their terms are for one year.

Herbert plays quits

Sgt. Herbert M. Wheeler has received his discharge after serving twenty-six months with a Chemical Battalion in the armed forces. Eighteen months of this time was spent overseas in the E. T. O.

A LOVER OF THE MOUNTAINS

By Mrs. Etta Green

On October 10, 1897, a family came to the Pocket community nearly four miles from Pennington Gap, to make their home. They had bought a tract of mountain land and intended building a house on it.

While waiting for the house to be built, they improvised a camp, or "shed" near the home site, the roof being made by bending twigs of trees until they formed a solid mass. Then they built walls from plank, with a little opening for a window and fixed a place in the yard where they could cook until a chimney could be built. Later they built a little addition, or "lean to," after which they got along pretty well until their house was ready to move into in 1899.

There were four members of the family, the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Starling DeBusk, one son and one daughter. After the son's marriage and the father's health began to fail, "Miss Nannie" took charge of affairs and put things over in a big way. Crops and livestock were raised on the place, even flax from which the household linens were made.

MISS NANNIE DEBUSK

Miss Nannie was a genius in the art of spinning and weaving, and from the flax she wove valuable articles in the way of household linens which not only took prizes at fairs, but sold for nice prices.

Miss Nannie says that for woolens she herself tended the sheep, sheared them, carded the wool, spun it, then wove it into whatever article they needed.

When the WPA began operations several years ago she was employed in the Handcraft Department. She brought her own loom and spinning wheel to the work room and taught the women to use them. She also taught them other little "tricks" of art work that she had acquired. In addition, she taught them, in action more than words, many fine things of life, for she possesses some of the finest ideals and principles that can be found in anyone.

She is a loyal friend, and when once her friendship is won, it is sealed. There's nothing she wouldn't do for you. She walked to and from her work, a distance totaling around eight miles a day, and in addition, did much of the home work.

Both her parents are dead, and she lives on Stone Creek with her niece. Miss Nannie loves the mountains and the people who live among them. She takes nice trips occasionally, even this last summer she says she "washed her feet in the Atlantic Ocean" but she is always glad to get back to home scenes. She attributes her good health and unusual strength to those long walks and the hard work of earlier days.

Even now she asks the buses no odds when she wants to make a trip to Pennington or to St Charles—she walks it!

"FROZEN" ASSETS

"Frozen" assets used to mean property that couldn't be converted into cash. Sometimes it was a polite excuse for not paying bills.

But times have changed. The remarkable advance of the last few years in developing new pulpwood products is giving a brand new meaning to the term.

Frozen assets may everywhere soon be expected to mean the meats, vegetables, fruits and dairy products that the American public will be storing up in their own homes against a rainy day.

It has long been known that deep frozen food could be preserved again quick decay. Yet it took wartime research to find a form of packaging that could preserve these foods against each other and against deterioration.

Pulp and paper chemists did it, developing a special type of paper that is waterproof, mouldproof, taintproof and impervious to changes in temperature. By first packing foods in this paper, deep freezing became a practical method for keeping them indefinitely, without losing any of their original taste or goodness.

Experts today are predicting that the time is near when deep freezing units will be as much a part of the average home as an ordinary cooking stove.

Deep freezing is just one of the many miracles resulting from expanded wartime uses of pulpwood. It is one of many hundreds of reasons why the pulpwood industry is annually becoming a more important asset to this community.

Already we are beginning to feel the effects of the stepped-up postwar demand for pulpwood products in the intensive recruitment campaign for woods and mill workers now being conducted by the pulp and paper industry and the U. S. Employment Service. And no matter how it's looked at, the top quality pulpwood you cut today becomes "unfrozen" assets in your pocket or bank account tomorrow.

First Christian Church

Sunday, November 11: Bible School at 10:00 a. m., Harry O. Hines, Superintendent.

Worship with communion at 10:45; Sermon subject, "Missing In Action."

Christian Endeavors meet at 6:15 p. m.

No preaching at night as the pastor goes to Union Church for evening worship.

Choir rehearsal Wednesday at 6:30 p. m. Prayer and praise service at 7:00 p. m.

W. B. Moore, Minister.

St. Charles P. T. A.

Maude Brown, Pub. Chmn.

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Men with six months of satisfactory service discharged as privates will, on reenlistment before November 21, be given the grade of private first class.

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3 An increase in the reenlistment bonus to $50 for each year of active service since the bonus was last paid or since last entry into service

4 20% extra pay when overseas

5 Paid furlough, up to 90 days depending on length of service with furlough travel paid to home and return, for men now in the Army who enlist

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That is one reason why the Victory Loan Drive must go over the top. And there are many other expenses which go on, even though peace has come at long last. Mustering out pay, education of veterans, loans to help them buy a home or get a start in business . . . all these are part of your obligation as a citizen.

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James W. Tipton

James W. Tipton, seaman second class, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Tipton, of Pennington Gap, had the opportunity of going ashore for liberty in the Tokyo Bay area while serving aboard the Destroyer, USS MYLES C. FOX, as this ship took part in the American occupation of this section of the Japanese homeland.

The MYLES C. FOX, one of the picket ships designed as the answer to defense against suicide fliers, had been operating with carrier forces which provided air cover for the occupation.

C. F. Shuler

C. F. Shuler, seaman first class, USNR, Rt. 1, Keokee, Va., served aboard the Battleship, USS INDIANA, San Francisco, when she dropped anchor in Tokyo Bay, with the victorious 3rd Fleet, following the end of the war with Japan.

The INDIANA, one of the newest battleships, has a record that includes operations at New Guinea, Gandalcanal, Rennell Island, New Georgia, Marcus Island, Tarawa, Marshall Islands, Truk, Satawan, Ponape, Marianas, Palaus, Iwo Jima and Okinawa. She was one of the first battleships to bombard the Japanese homeland. The INDIANA has returned to the west coast to take part in the observance of Navy Day.

Lt. O. L. Nida

1st. Lt. Ora L. Nida, Jr., son of O. L. Nida, Sr., of the Flatwood community, is headed home from China, where he has served with the U. S. Army; but after his visit home Lt. Nida says he thinks he will re-enlist, as he finds army life interesting. He has the following decorations: Distinguisheed Flying Cross, Air Medal with two clusters, Bronze Star Medal, and two Battle Stars.

Cpl. Conley N. Carter

Cpl. Carter is the son of Mrs. O. L. Nida, of the Flatwood community, and is serving with the U. S. Marines at Yokosuka, Japan. "I think I know why this is called the land of the Rising Sun," he writes his mother, "It is because the sun seldom shines in this part of Japan and when it does, they worship it."

Conley also says that one of his hardest difficulties is getting used to driving on the left side of the road. He is a former PHS student.

Sgt. Wallace J. Winfrey

Sgt. Wallace J. Winfrey, husband of Mrs. Juanita Winfrey, of St. Charles, was honorably discharged from the United States Army Air Forces at the Patterson Field Separation Base, Patterson Field, Ohio, last week.

Sgt. Winfrey entered service Sept. 20, 1941. At that time he was employed by Benedict Coal Corporation, St. Charles, Va.

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1945 Taxes Now Due

The state law requires us to mail statements to those who owe TWO DOLLARS or MORE TAXES. For the benefit of those who owe less than TWO DOLLARS and to again remind the taxpayers to whom statements have been mailed we publish the following information.

I will be at the following places, either in person, or by deputy, for the purpose of collecting taxes an and levies for the year 1945:

November 8, 1945	Blackwater	9:00	to	2:00
November 9, 1945	Wheeler's Cash Store	9:00	to	12:00
November 9, 1945	Caylor	1:00	to	3:00
November 12, 1945	Ewing Bank	9:00	to	3:00
November 13, 1945	Rose Hill—Hobbs Office	9:00	to	3:00
November 14, 1945	R. D. Hyatt's Store	9:00	to	12:00
November 15, 1945	St. Charles Bank	9:00	to	3:00
November 16, 1945	Russell's Store	9:00	to	12:00
November 16, 1945	Hubbard Springs	1:00	to	3:00
November 19, 1945	Pennington Gap—Mayor's Office	9:00	to	3:00
November 20, 1945	Keokee—Cooper's Store	9:00	to	11:00
November 20, 1945	Calvin Commissary	12:00	to	2:00
November 20, 1945	Robbins Chapel—Ely's Store	2:30	to	3:30
November 21, 1945	Stouts Store	9:00	to	11:30
November 21, 1945	Woodway	12:30	to	3:00
November 23, 1945	Seminary	9:00	to	11:00
November 23, 1945	Dryden	12:00	to	3:00
November 26, 1945	Benedict — Store	1:00	to	3:00
November 26, 1945	Bonny Blue — Store	1:00	to	3:00

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C. D. FUGATE, Treasurer

Dog Tags are secured at the Treasurer's office only. Tags for 1946 are due from Nov. 1 to Jan. 31, 1946. (No change in price of tags.)

News From WOODWAY

Donald B. Shell (M. MM) S. 1-C., son of Mr and Mrs. G. L. Shell, is attending a Merchant School on Guam Island. Just recently he met Rex Hall, one of his high school pals. Don enlisted in the Navy in December, 1944.

Mrs. James Bradley and son, Eddie, and Mr. and Mrs. Lemar Brooks were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hyden last week.

Pvt. Everette Yeary is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Trigg Yeary.

The Ladies' Bible Class of the Free-Will Baptist Church, met at the home of Mrs. Clarence Sturgill Friday night, Nov. 2.

After the program, and discussions, refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mrs. Rosa Johnson has two of her sons home again, Sgt. Bradley and Burbie were discharged last week. Another son, James, is expecting to be home soon. At the present, he is in Germany.

Quincey Heck, of Bedford, Va., is visiting relatives here this week

News From BLACKWATER

The farmers here are very busy grading tobacco.

Echol Bledsoe, of the U. S Army, has returned from overseas duty.

Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. T H Robinson were Mr and Mrs Eugene Robinson and little son, Curtis, Mr and Mrs Wise Warells, Mr and Mrs. Ben Reed, Mr. and Mrs Arthur Singleton, Mrs Charles Giles and two sons, Ray and Charles, Jr., and Faye Willis.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Richardson were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Willis Sunday afternoon.

L. E. Robinette, Jr., Mrs. Edith Roop and son and Lewis Richardson enjoyed a movie at St. Charles Sunday.

Onza Robinette was absent from L. M. U. last week on account of illness.

J. C. Hampton, who is a patient in a Kingsport Hospital, is reported improving.

NOTICE

Persons having claims against the estate of D. C. Sewell, Jr., deceased, are hereby notified to present same to Mrs. Vesta E. Sewell, Administratrix of the estate of said D. C. Sewell, Jr., and all persons indebted to said estate are required to settle said indebtedness at once.

Mrs. Vesta E. Sewell,
Administratrix of the
Estate of said D. C.
Sewell, Jr., deceased.
Jonesville, Virginia.

Adv. No. 44-4t.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, in vacation, on the 30th day of October, 1945

Emmett Price Complainant
vs. **Order of Publication**
Viola Johnson Price Defendant

The object of the above styled suit is to obtain a divorce on behalf of the complainant, Emmett Price, from the defendant, Viola Johnson Price, on ground of wilful and voluntary desertion of the complainant by the defendant for a period of more than two years. And it appearing by affidavit filed according to law that Viola Johnson Price, the above named defendant, is not a resident of this State, and that her last known address is Clovesplint, Kentucky; it is, therefore, ordered that the said Viola Johnson Price do appear within ten days after due publication of this order, in the Clerk's Office of our said Circuit Court, and do what is necessary to protect her interests. It is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a newspaper published in Lee County, Virginia; and it is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the courthouse of said County on or before the next succeeding rule day, and that another copy hereof be mailed to the defendant at the Post Office address given in the affidavit.

Given under my hand the 30th day of October, 1945.

ATTEST:

VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk.
Robt. B. Ely, p.q.
Adv. No. 44-4t.

News From JONESVILLE

Mrs. G. W. Ball

Route 4

Lt. and Mrs. Robert Osborne announce the birth of a daughter, Linda Lou, Wednesday, October 24, at Lee General Hospital.

Misses Stella Conn and Mary Johnson, of Jonesville, made a brief call with friends on Route 4 Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Roberts and family visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim McCracken in St. Charles Sunday.

Miss Gladys Anderson, of the Mission Home, was calling on friends on Route 4 recently.

One of our near neighbors is butchering hogs today, the first killing of the season here.

We have received a letter from a friend of the family who is in military railroad service in India, with a note enclosed from one of the India native boys written in two languages: "I am your friend," which is quite a novelty to us and yet very touching. Remember what the Bible says about the friend and brother.

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First Baptist Church

Sunday morning, November 11: Sunday School at 9:30, A. T. Burchette, Superintendent.

Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon topic, "What We Give."

Evening: Training Unions meet at 6:30.

Evening worship at 7:30. Sermon topic, "What God Gives."

Midweek prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

The Pastor will be away November 13, 14 and 15, attending the General Association of Virginia Baptists at Lynchburg.

A Sunday School study course will be conducted at the church beginning Monday, November 19, and continuing through Friday, November 23. The study classes each evening at 7:00 o'clock.

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Methodist Church

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Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon topic, "Human Hungers." Special music.

Evening: Upper Lee County Young Peoples' Rally at 5:00 o'clock.

Evening worship at 7:00 o'clock; sermon by Rev. Jimmie Wilder, Holston Conference Director of Young Peoples' work.

Midweek prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

Charlie D. Mehaffey, Pastor.

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TOWN TALK

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hundreds of acres of farm land.

Gold Star—Red Roses

On the Service Flag at the Methodist Church is a Gold Star for Pvt. Carl H. Barton, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Barton, now of Washington, D. C., who was killed in action overseas February 27, 1945. On the alter table Sunday were twelve beautiful American Beauty roses, donated by the Barton family, telling the story that Carl is still loved and remembered. Sunday was his birthday anniversary, he would have been 22 years of age.

November strawberries

T. J. Hickam, a farmer living in the Stickleyville community, told us the other day that Fred Kirk has nothing on him in the autumn strawberry crop.

Mr. Hickam says that late in October he found some wild plants growing on his farm bearing large, well-developed berries. He picked the ones that were ripe, took them home for table use, returned to the field again on November 1 to find the patch again red with newly-ripened berries. He says the crop was almost as plentiful as the one in springtime.

A good fisherman

D. P. Chance, of Rose Hill, experienced some honest-to-goodness fisherman's luck a few days ago. From the waters of Powell River, at Flatwood, Mr. Chance drew forth a jack fish measuring 30 inches long. For reference he refers you to T. M. King, Dr. Sumpter, et als.

"When the fish came to the top of the water it looked three yards long," Mr. Chance said.

In Appreciation

I want to express my appreciation of the good work done by my friends and party workers in the election just passed, and especially to the miners for their loyal support.

I have no excuse for being defeated, except that I just didn't get enough votes, but even in defeat we can sometimes gain a victory, and I assure my friends and party workers, although defeated in this election, I will continue to work and fight for the principals for mhich I stand and for the betterment of Lee County and it's citizens.

Sincerely yours,

Fred Kirk

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Deaths

AND FUNERALS

Orbin Purcell

Orbin Purcell, 66, died October 29, in the George Ben Johnson Hospital at Abingdon. He had been in ill health for several months.

Funeral services were held at the home in Clinchport, October 31, with burial in the American Legion Cemetery near Big Stone Gap.

He is survived by the widow, two sons, John, of Detroit, and Lucian of Kingsport.

Mr. Purcell is well known in Pennington Gap and community. His family lived here a few years ago while he was Chief of Police.

T. L. McDaniel

T. L. McDaniel, prominent citizen of Ewing, Va., died at his home Saturday, November 3 Funeral services were held at the First Baptist Church of Ewing, Monday, November 5, at 2:00 o'clock p. m., in charge of Rev. J. N. Brister, and Rev. M. H. Rambo. Burial was in the family cemetery at Ewing.

Surviving are the widow, two sons, Capt. C. M. McDaniel, enroute home from the South Pacific after two and one half years' service, and L. D. McDaniel, of Gate City; one granddaughter, Miss Jeneanne McDaniel, of Louisville, Ky.

He is an uncle of Dr. D. E. McDaniel of Pennington Gap.

Nevada is called the "battle-born" state because it was intensely pro-Union during the Civil War and was admitted to statehood under the guidance of President Abraham Lincoln

About 78% of the people of Argentina are of European extraction

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, Virginia, on the 7th day of November, 1945

William J Sweeney, Complainant

vs. Order of Publication

Peggy Franklin Sweeney . Defendant

The object of the above styled suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on behalf of the complainant, William J Sweeney, from the defendant, Peggy Franklin Sweeney, on grounds that the said defendant, subsequent to her marriage to the complainant has been sentenced to confinement in a prison and penitentiary of the United States, cohabitation having not been resumed threafter And it appearing by affidavit filed according to law that Peggy Franklin Sweeney, the above named defendant is not a resident of this State, it is, therefore ordered that the said Peggy Franklin Sweeney do appear within ten days after due publication of this order, in the Clerk's Office of our said Circuit Court, and do what is necessary to protect her interests It is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a newspaper published in Lee County, Virginia, and it is further ordered that a copy hereof be posted at the front door of the courthouse in Lee County, Virginia, on or before the next succeeding rule day, and another copy hereof be mailed to the said defendant to the Post Office address given in the affidavit

Teste:

VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk

Robt B Ely, p. q

Adv No 45 4t.

Hallowe'en Carnival Is Given By J. H. S.

Last Wednesday evening a large crowd assembled in the Jonesville High School Gymnasium to enjoy the annual Hallowe'en carnival presented by the school in cooperation with the Jonesville Lions Club.

All the features of a regular carnival were presented, even to the bingo games and fortune wheel. The two carnival queens elected by popular vote were Patty Crockett, representing the grades, and Polly Bellamy, representing the High School.

They were crowned by Attorney W. L. Davidson in a "regular style" ceremony, accompanied by a clever talk by Mr. Davidson. Sue Moore and Billy Ferrill were crown bearers.

Slemp Story Is Filmed, Others To Follow Soon

Movie cameras grinding off scenes for Lee County's movie, "Lee Has Everything" swung into the eastern section of the county this week, filming the story of C. Bascom Slemp, starting with his birthplace, moving to his present home site at Big Stone Gap, then back to the Cove Cemetery where he, and his parents are interred.

The several scenes in natural color filmed at the cemetery recording the history of these men from the monumental tomb stones, will be indeed impressive. When produced on the screen, taps will be heard softly in the background as the commentator colorfully, in a low tone of voice, describes the setting.

The production of Lee County's fine new product, hybrid corn, was also filmed in the Cove section, showing some of the largest and finest ears of corn being plucked from the stalks that is grown anywhere

The beginning of the mining chapter was filmed at Kemmerer Gem Mines, showing the vast and modern improvements there

The Thompson Settlement Church and its attendants located west of Jonesville were scheduled to be filmed this Sunday provided the weather is sunny. The Pennington, Cadle's Cove and the Sand Cave will be filmed next week just as fast as sunny days roll around

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News From OCOONITA

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ingle were visiting their parents and friends here Sunday.

Earl Ingle of Benedict, was visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Josie Ingle last Sunday.

Misses Bonnie Ingle and Wanda Burgan were visiting friends in Harlan, Ky., Monday.

Pvt. Gale Johnson was visiting his mother, Mrs. Virginia Johnson, this week end.

Mrs. Mossie Fletcher of Middlesboro, Ky., is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. J. Emmette.

A group of young folk enjoyed a candy making at the home of Alpha Grubb, Saturday night. Those who attended were: Bonnie Ingle, Wanda Burgan, Faye Hammonds, Maxie Hammonds, Mary Fee, Evelyn Mullins Opal Burton, Charlotte Fleenor, Alpha Grubb, J. C. Oaks, J. B Hudson, Harold Ledford, Neal Ingle, Clarence Mullins, Jack Johnson and Gale Johnson of the U. S. Army.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 8th day of November, 1945.

Phoeba Cridlin Archer.... Complainant

vs. Order of Publication

Ralph W. Archer Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a Divorce a Mensa et thoro on grounds of desertion. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Ralph W. Archer, is nonresident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address was In Care of General Delivery, Cumberland, Maryland, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last kuown address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia

Teste

VESTA E SEWELL, Clerk

By Louise McNeil D C

p q Geo A Kauffman

Adv No 45 4t

News From FRIENDSHIP

A very beautiful service was given at the Church Sunday night by the G. A. girls, directed by Mrs. E. C. Knicely and the R. A. boys directed by Rev. Knicely.

The girls wore white evening gowns. They were taking their "forward steps." There were three maidens, three ladies in waiting, six princesses and four queens. Each queen had a little boy as crown bearer, and a little flower girl. Mrs. Knicely crowned each queen. Each of the sixteen girls wore their arm bands which were given to them to represent each forward step they had taken. Five boys had attained the rank of "Page" in the R. A.'s. They also were given their arm bands to show the work they had accomplished.

Bonnie Branum, of Knoxville, Tenn., spent the week end with Jett Spangler.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Andis are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Earl Estep and family, near Beckley, W. Va., this week.

Seaman T. J. Willis, of Norfolk, spent the week end with home folk.

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When mailing your remittance to cover Delinquent Taxes, please add to the amount shown due, 5 per cent penalty and 8 per cent interest.

ROSE HILL DISTRICT
Delinquent 1943 Taxes

Name	Tax
Arnold, Joe M. Jr.—1 acre	$ 4.80
Ayres, Dan M.—2.5 acres	4.00
Ayres, Dan M.—2 acres	.80
Ayres, Wm. & Annie—13 acres	5.60
Ayers, Tom—6.75 acres	2.00
Bales, Ollie—43.44 acres	9.20
Bales, Ollie—23.57 acres	3.60
Bales, Ollie—3.38 acres	.80
Ball, C. T.—11.05 acres	1.60
Ball, Otis—170 acres	70 00
Barnes, William—67 acres, Bal	7 60
Barnes, Obbie—6 acres	2.80
Brooks, E. M.—88.9 acres	14.40
Brooks, Marion & Virginia—Lot	.40
Brown, Jessie—11 acres	2 80
Campbell, E. J. & Kitty—20 acres	4.80
Cole, Henry L.—Lot	80
Cole, James T.—Lot	80
Cole, Orlena—8 acres	1 20
Coleman, F. D.—Lot	2 80
Collins—Bige & Bertie—17.25 acres	3 60
Collins, J. S 5 acres	1 60
Combs, Charles—8 acres	2.40
Combs, James—1.25 acres	40
Crumley, R. L. & Maggie—20 9 acres	4.40
Dean, Lon and others—23 5 acres	2.80
Dean, Singleton—.5 acres	1 20
Dillman, Filden—1 acre	40
Dillman, Filden—3 acres	2.80
Dooley, Marion and others—4 acres	80
Edds, Emma N.—Lots	4.00
Edds, Harris—Lots	6 00
Eldridge, C. M.—108 acres	14 00
Fee, Finley—11 62 acres	1 20
Fee, Reba, Jean and others—Lots	1 60
Fellers, John - 97 acres	4 00
Fletcher, John Lots	3.60
Gibson, Geo W. Jr 38 acres	2 40
Gilpin, Ora 22 acres	6 00
Griffin, Silas & Belle 7 acres	3 20
Griffin, Silas & Belle- 4 acres	1 20
Harber, Jerry & Cornie Lot	2 80
Hensley, Corb & Carrie Lot	40
Ingle, Lonnie & Marie 1 acre	10
Kelly, [illegible]	[illegible]
Kincaid, B F Est 18 2 acres	80
Lankford, Squire 1 acre	40
Littrell, M 33 5 acres	1 20
Littrell, Sallie 9 acres	1 20
Long, Conda & Effie—20 acres	80
Long, Eva 7 84 acres	1 20
Long, H —68.5 acres	4 00
McAfee, Robert—4 acres	80
McAfee, Sallie & Robert—6 acres	2 40
Marcum, Link—4.4 acres	40
Maness, Alma Lot	3 20
Marcum, Hattie—Lot	6.00
Martin, Emory & Rachel—Lots	1 60
Martin, Maggie—1 acre	1 60
Pace, John—5 acres	40
Parkey, Joe N.—6.15 acres	3 60
Parkey, J N. & A. D. Yeary—Lots	2.40
Pauley, James—27 acres	6 80
Ramsey, Louanne—3 acres	1 20
Ramsey, John & Mary 2 5 acres	2 40
Robinson, Mary Ball—163 acres	59 60
Scott, Pearl Lots	80
Senters, F L & Nora 6 acres	1 20
Sherman Concrete & Pipe Co Lots	8 00
Smith, Granville—1 acre	80
Smith, Hiram—Lots	2.40
Smith, J. B 29 acres	4 80
Southerland, W M —Lots	2 00
Taylor, Lillian—19 5 acres	9 20
Taylor, Robert—30.21 acres	6.40
Thompson, B. M —Lots	6.00
Thompson, B. M.—Lots	8.00
Thompson, Easter—50 acres	11 20
Thompson, W. P.—11.1 acres	2.40
Tyler, P. L.—53 acres	12 40

WHITE SHOALS DISTRICT
Delinquent 1943 Taxes

Name	Tax
Anderson, John Henry—17 acres	1 40
Bundy, Mossie—21 acres	1 40
Carroll, H L.—.75 acres	1 20
Carroll, Herman & Monette—4 acres	20
Carroll, W N. Lots 8-9	40
Carroll, Wm. N.—1 acre	4 40
Crutchfield, J. H. & W A 60 acres	4 40
Delpha, Mary E 5 acres	.20
Fee, John—7 acres	2.60
Fee, Nettie 26 6 acres	3 00
Grabeel, B C 150 acres	3 00
Greer, William—2 acres	20
Harber William—26 acres	1 60
Harris, Sterling 40 acres	3 60
Hedrick, Mary H 16 5 acres	2 80
James, Elijah—4 acres	1 00
Kelly, Marie 23 1 acres	2 00
Ledford, H H Est 10 acres	1 00
Lewis, J J 25 acres	1 40
Lewis, Sallie 61 33 acres	12 20
Matlock, Clint and others—13 acres	2 20
Matlock, Clint & Lillie—41 acres	6 80
Matlock, Hobert—10 acres	80
Moles, Roxie—2.5, acres	1 60
Moore, Lloyd & Roy—11 acres	80
Moore, Lloyd & Roy—9 acres	80
Morelock, Stanley and others 5 17 acres	40
McDonald, N H.—1.25 acres	1 20
Neff, R F 25 acres	4.60
Noe, Dewey R. 9 5 acres	2 80
Noe, Rosa Lee—6 acres	2.00
Osborne, J G.—25 acres	1 80
Parsons, Gladys 32.5 acres	5.20
Sergent, Willie Ollie—4 25 acres	3 40
Sexton, Elizabeth—4 acres	.20
Shubert, E A.—9 acres	20
Smith, A. C.—489 acres	9 80
Snodgrass, Kelly—4.75 acres	1.00
Spurlock, John W.—10 acres	1.20
Spurlock, Mary, Cecil & Harrison — 11.1 acres	1.60
Taylor, Dewey—24.5 acres	3.80
Thomas, Chas. H —6 acres	.80
Willis, Arda R.—1 acre	1.20
Willis, Frank—2.15 acres	.40
Willis, Frank & Glenn—1.25 acres	.60
Woodward, T. M.—.87 acre	.20
Yates, Larkin—1 acre	.20
Yeary, Otis—12 acres	.80
Zion, John & Hassie—1 acre	.20
Zion, Hassie—23.4 acres	4.00
—Colored—	
Good, Granville—13 acres	.80

JONESVILLE DISTRICT
Delinquent 1943 Taxes

Name	Tax
Barker, Evelyn—Lots	.50
Bales, C. C.—.5 acres	1.00
Bales, C. C.—1.66 acres	.25
Bales, C. C.—Lots 34-35, Bal.	1.25
Blakemore, Elbert—45 acres	4.50
Blakemore, Jerome—139 acres	15.00
Blanton, Elmer & Clevie—24.8 acres	1.25
Bledsoe, A. J.—10 acres	1.50
Bledsoe, Emmett C.—16.25 acres	.50
Bledsoe, G. H. & Hattie—10 acres	2.50
Bledsoe—T. C. & A. T. Pennington—4 acres	1.00
Bruner, G. C. & Belle—18 acres	1.75
Clawson, Daner and others—4.25 acres	.50
Cobb, Tyler & Ruby—Lots 37-40	3.75
Collier, Kit—30.67 acres	4.00
Collins, Bettie Sue—1.5 acres	.75
Collins, Eliza—24.6 acres	1.50
Collins—Sage—8 acres	.50
Delph, Claude—7 acres	.50
Duskins, Lettie—147 acres	14.00
Eldridge, Cam—Lots 1-16	.50
Eldridge, John—1.5 acres	.25
Estes & Cecil—18 acres	1.25
Fannon, Edley M.—13.5 acres	1.25
Fannon, Lloyd H. & others—14.5 acres	1.25
Farley, John & Eliza—3 acres	1.00
Flanary, Frank & Edith—10 acres	2.00
Fleenor, E. B.—20 acres	1.50
Garrett, Clyde & Arnette—.25 acres	.25
Goins, George & Amanda—Lot No. 16	.25
Hall, Sallie—Lots	.50
Hall, Sallie—1 acre	2.75
Hart, John—9 acres	.75
Hickam, J. Ross—1 acre	.25
Hickam, J. Ross—18.5 acres	1 50
Hickam, J. Ross—11 acres	6.75
Hill, Ellen—15 acres	.75
Hill, Kelly, Jack & L. E.—10 acres	.50
Hines, Edgar L.—4.75 acres	1.00
Hounshell, Claude—4.5 acres	.50
Johnson, Mack—4 acres	.25
Johnson, Mack—4 acres	.25
Johnson, Richard—18 acres	2.00
Jones, A. C.—Lots	4.00
Jones, Myrtle—Lots	.25
Justice, R. W.—17.6 acres	3.00
Kirk, Geo. R & Irene—Lot	.25
Kirk, Geo. R. & Irene—Lots	.75
Lipps, Don C. & Golden—Lots 3 & 4	2 00
Maness, F. A.—136 acres	8.50
Maness, J. C.—.5 acres	25
Maness, Sam—5 acres	1.00
Marcum, Nath -Lots	1.50
Miles, A. F. & Kathleen—Lots	.50
Moore, Bryan & Mae—15 acres	75
Minton, W. T.—Lots 18-19-20	3.00
Moore, Ira—10 5 acres	.50
Moore, John -35 acres	1 75
Munsey, C. D.—3.5 acres	1.75
Osborne, Jennie M.—.5 acres	1 50
Osborne, Lewis—11.25 acres	50
Osborne, Short—Lot	.25
Osborne, Short—25 acres	1 75
Parsons, Sherman—2 acres	50
Pennington, James Est—44 acres, Bal	75
Pennington, A. T.—Lot No. 33	.25
Poteet, Frank J.—12 acres	2 75
Price, L. T —14 33 acres	2 00
Quillen, Joe B & Ruth—1 acre	25
Rasnic, Roy M. & Margaret—109 acres	13 75
Roop, Guy -Lots 6-7 9-4 8	75
Roop, Loran & Grace 23 46 acres	4 50
Rowe, Clint & Mary—19 5 acres	2 50
Rowe, Lucille- 3 5 acres	.50
Sage, Kermit 15 acres	75
Sage, Vona 17 acres	2 00
Scott, Elda 15 7 acres	1 00
Shackleford, L [illegible] 30 acres	3 00
Simcox, Rondo Lots [illegible]	2 00
Skaggs, E. E 170 acres	6 50
Sprinkle, Nervesta 25 acres	75
Steppe, Mary 37 acres	5 50
Sybert, R. P. & Virginia 44 acres	6 75
Tankersley, M. H 38 29 acres	3 00
Taylor, Ford—Lots 13-14	50
Wallen, Harrison 42 acres	3.25
Wallen, John & Nora 24 acres	1 75
Wallen, Lillie—30 acres	3.00
Wells, J. L.—5.7 acres	75
Wells, Mattie—19 75 acres	2 00
White, J. C & Clara—33 acres	1.50
Wilder, Gay 16 5 acres	2 00
Wood, W P Lot No 11	.50
Yeary, Ethel 3 5 acres	.75
—Mineral Land—	
Fletcher, J R 20 acres	4 25
—Jonesville Town—	
Davidson, W L.—Lots	2 50
Edwards, Kyle—8 acres	2 00
Hicks, Mary—.5 acres	1 00
Miles, J. W & Robert—Lot No. 1	1.50
Miles, Rufus—2 acres	2 25
Moore, G W —Lot	50
Spivey, Virginia Hurt —Lots	1 25
Willoughby, Jess—10 acres	6 25

PENNINGTON GAP CORPORATION
Delinquent 1943 Taxes

Name	Tax
Allison, Frank—Lots 20-21	8 00
Bailey, B. H.—Lots 1-2	9 00
Bailey, Hobert & Agnes—Lots 11-12	1 25
Barlow, T. C —Lots 10-74	75
Barlow, T C —Lots 1 2	1 75
Barlow, T. C —Lot	1 25
Belcher, Hobert & Jess—Lots 5-6	1 25
Bofetti, Ruth—Lot	25
Burwick, Mrs. Ray L.—Lot	75
Clark, Emily—Lot No. 10	50
Dickinson, W I Lots 11-12	1 25
Doss, Oscar & Bertha—Lot No. 8	3 25
Ely, Erma Lot No 4	75
Flanary, Glen C & W. S. —Lots 22-30	2 50
Gibson, J O -Part Lot No 1	13 75
Gibson, J O Lots 1-6	15 00
Gibson, J O Lots 1 2	2 50
Gilley, Perdie Lot	50
Gish, Cora Lots 4 5	30
Greer, Charlie Lot 7	5 75
Harber, G E Lots 2-3	1 25
Horne L L Lot No 10	5 75
Jesse, J E- Lots 17 19	1 25
King, R G Lot	50
Kirk, Clyde & Julia M Lot 6 7	4 00
McCullough, French M -Lots 15-22	7 50
Newman, Henry Lot 30	3 25
Newman, Henry Lots 38 39	75
Newman, J A Lots 8-9	75
Nolan, H L 4 7 acres	10 00
Parsons, E E Lot No 6	75
Pridemore, Amy Lots 35 36-47-48	3 75
Province, W T Lots 2-3 4	5 25
Querry, Millard & Edith Lots 24-25	5 00
Sarver, C. D.—Lot 14	2 00
Waddell, Dollie Lots 16-17	1 00
Wolliver, Sam—Lots 13-15 & 34-38	7 50
—St. Charles Town—	
Lanningham, J. R Est. Lots	1 00
Lewis, Henry & Kheetz—Lots 11-12	2.50
Newman, Jess K.—Lot	25
Pence, P. D. Est.—Lot 30	3 75
Pence, P. D. & Eva -Lot 7	12.50
Sally, Lee—Lots 24 to 26	.75
Sally, Lee—Lots 13 to 16	5.00
Tackett, Billy—Lots 19-26	2 50

ROCKY STATION DISTRICT
Delinquent 1943 Taxes

Name	Tax
Akers, Paul T.—2 lots	3.75
Bailey, Allie & Theodore—45 acres	9.00
Ball, Hagan—15 acres	2.50
Banks, W. C.—Lots 1-2-3	75
Burkes, Willard—5 acres	4.25
Barlow, T. C.—Lots 14-17	1.00
Barlow, T. C.—Lots 19-22	2.25
Barlow, T. C.—Lots 1-25	5.00
Barlow, T. C —Lots 29-31	.75
Barlow, T. C.—6.75 acres	67
Barlow, T. C.—6 acres	3 00
Barlow, T. C.—Lots 15-18	1.00
Barlow, T. C.—Lots 1-7	1 50
Barlow, T. C.—Lots 1-8	.25
Barlow, T. C.—Tract 2	3.75
Barlow, T. C.—16.44 acres	2.50
Barlow, T. C.—7 acres	1.00
Barlow, T. C.—Lots 12-8	3.75
Bellamy, W. M. & J. A.—41-42	.50
Biggs, Joe—1 acre	.25
Blair, Clifford—Lot	2.25
Black, Charles—2.7 acres	.75
Black, Charles—Lots 1-13	2.25
Brown, B. F.—1 acre	3.75
Brown, W. B.—1.25 acres	2.50
Brown, W. B.—6 acres	.50
Christian, Cellie Harless—11 acres	1.00
Coffman, Claude—60 acres	10.00
Coldiron, Theodore—23.3 acres	3.75
Collier, Rose—1.9 acres	.25
Cornette, Lewis—Lots 27-28	2.00
Ely, Geo. & Hazel—5.8 acres	.50
Harless, Jack—1.75 acres	.25
Johnson, Denner—.71 acre	.25
Kirk, Sarah—.5 acre	1.00
Kirk, Sarah F.—.75 acre	3.50
Lundy, Anna—.8 acre	2.75
Massengill, Luther—Tract 1-2	1.25
Massengill, Luther—2 lots	1.25
Minton, W. T.—24.5 acres	2.50
Mooney, Virginia Dare—1.5 acres	.25
Mullins, Tyler—1 acre	4.25
Muncy, C. M.—18 acres	1.75
Oaks, Welburn B.—Lots 7-8	.50
Parsons, Joe J.—.64 acre	7.50
Parsons, Lillian—Lots 2-24	6.25
Pennington, Fannie—Lot 16	.50
Perry, Cline—6.5 acres	1.75
Poteet, Ross—.5 acre	5.50
Price, J. I.—Lots 9-10	.50
Rasnic, Roy—22 acres	4.50
Reese, P. H. & C. B.—1.1 acres	5.00
Rhea, E. T.—.5 acre	.25
Robbins, Denner & Lola—2.75 acres	.50
Robinette, Ira—1 acre	2.50
Sage, Carl R.—43 acres	4.25
Sage, G M.—1 acre	.25
Shuler, Dora & Lon—Lots 4-5	.50
Smith, Ben M.—.13 acre	.25
Speck, Eula—Lots 1-2	1.00
Sprinkle, W. J.—5 acres	3.75
Sprinkle, W. J & Mary—1.04 acres	.50
Sprinkle, W. J. & Mary 1 acre	.50
Stewart, R. P.—16 acres	3.75
Turner, Lige—7 acres	.75
Vaughn, S. M.—38.5 acres	5 00
Vance, Auxier—Lots 32-33	3.00
Ward, C. E & Eula—Lots 1-4	.75
Wilson, B J (Jack)—Lot	2.50
Wolliver, Marshall & Rosa—.5 acre	.25
Young, D. L.—Lots 24-25	1.00
Young, G. W.—3.26 acres	3.25
Young, Tyler J —256 acres	77.00
Young, Tyler J —Lot	4.00
Young, Tyler J —168 acres	8.50
—Mineral Land— Rocky Station District	
Alsup, Worley 13 acres	2.50
Alsup, Worley—Lots 1-2	1 00
Arnold Simon Lot	.25
Asburry, Myrtle 3 acres	5.75
Asburry, Myrtle 5 acres	50
Brewer L B 93 acre	.50
Broughton, Jerell & Buford 1.5 acres	.25
Burgan Della 6 acre	.50
Burgan, [illegible] 4 acres	25
Burgan, Pearl 4 [illegible] acres	25
Burgan Roy 1.5 acres	.25
Burke H B 30 acres	3 50
Burnette Jeff Lots 18 19	2.50
Carter, Leonard 1 acre	1.25
Centers, Tom 71.5 acres	12 50
Cooper, Bettie 25 acres	2 54
Cooper, T T Est 15 acres	2 50
Cridlin, Ray & Clarice N F. tract	4 00
Crowell, Geo. & Pauline—Lots 12-18	3.75
Daugherty, Amanda J —11 52 acres	4.75
Dawson, J C.—Lots 4-7-8	18 25
Dixon, Clarence—Lots 13-14	50
Elkins, David—Lots 23-24	1 25
Ely, Daniel—15 acres	1 00
Ely, Daniel—Lots 23-24	.50
Ely, Daniel—3.43 acres	.50
Farmer, Olin—1 acre	2.50
Garrett, Marion & May—15 acres	4 00
Garrett, Patton—48 acres	11 25
Gibson, George—1 acre	.50
Greene, Clinton—Lots 6 7	3.50
Greene, Grover—5 acres	.50
Greene, James 14 acres	1.25
Griffin, Joseph S. 31 acres	1.50
Hall, John H.—18 acres	2.50
Harber, America—8 75 acres	.75
Harber, James R.—18.5 acres	4.75
Harshaw, Vaughn Lot 17	.25
Haynes, Ludie—13 2 acres	4.00
Haynes, W. D.—15 acres	1.25
Hinkle, Frank—1 acre	.25
Honeycutt, J. J.—.5 acres	4.00
Jones, A. C.—Lots 23-26	.75
Kegley, Lee & Helen—1 acre	25
Kirk, Alex V.—18 acres	1.75
Kirk, Ballard & Laura Lot	.25
Kirk, Ben F —16.25 acres	5.00
Kirk, Charles 49 acres	6 25
Kirk, Charles—25 9 acres	3.50
Kirk, Doyle & Lennie 2 75 acres	.25
Kirk, Doyle & Lennie 25 acres	2 25
Kirk, E. F —12 acre	2 50
Kirk, Nora E 9 acres	.75
Kirk, Robert E 15 acres	1 25
Kirk, Sarah L Lot	1 50
Kirk, Sarah L (E. Creek) Tract	50
Kirk, Virgil & Stella 5 acre	1 75
Kirk, Virgil & Stella 10 acres	3 00
Kirk, Wright Lots 1 4 & 11 15	6 25
Kirk, Wright—Lots 4 11	2 00
Lambert, Frank 4 acres	75
Lanningham, Angie 25 acre	1.50
Maness Josephine 64 acres	4 25
Martin, John S. 11 acres, Ba	1 67
Music, R F —5.5 acres	50
Napier, Andrew 60 acres	7 50
Napier, Andrew 12 acres	1 75
Napier, James 15 acres	1.25
Napier, James 10 48 acres	75
Napier, Ruby Pennington 5 acres	1 50
Necessary, Chas Lots 17-18	2 50
Necessary—Robert—8 acres	2.50
Newman, Jess K 1 acre	25
Newton, Hazel Tract	3 75
Osborne, Columbus Lots 17 18	3 75
Osborne, Mary Lots 1 5	2 00
Osborne, Mary Lots 6 9	50
Parks, Paris 15 acres	2 25
Parsons, M. A.—71 6 acres	7.50
Parsons, M. A.—178 acres	13 25
Parsons, Ollie & Dave Eagle—20 acres	6 00
Penley, Milo—Lot	50
Pitts, Harry & Flora—Lot No. 2	5.00
Pitts, R. C.—Lot No. 2	5.50
Quinley, Laura Burgan—4 acres	.25
Raines, E. T —Lot	.50
Reece, J. W. & Minnie—4.15 acres	5.75
Reece, J. W —6 acres	1.00
Reynolds, Riley—15 acres	1.25
Reynolds, Wesley—Lots	3.75
Rhea, Weldon—15.6 acres	1.25
Rhoten, Willie—Lot	.25
Rose, V D —Lots 11-12	1.00
Rutherford, Olin—Lot	1.50
Sargent, Elijah—.25 acre	1.25
Satterfield, B. L.—Lots 1-4	2.25
Seymore, Ben—Lots 36-39	1.00
Seymore, Ben—Lots 8-12¹	1.25
Smith, Fred R.—1 acre	.25
Stapleton, Earl, N. B. & Ted—20 1 acres	1.50
Stapleton, E. S.—15 acres	1.25
Stapleton, F. C.—7 acres	1.75
Stapleton, Margarett—.9 acre	2.75
Stapleton, Patton—42.12 acres	5 75
Stapleton, Rosebert—1 acre	.25
Stewart, James—10 acres	.75
Stewart, Minnie Lee—4 acres	.25
Stewart, Samuel—7.5 acres	.50
Stewart, Vinco—25 acres	4.00
Thompson, Louisa—3 acres	1.75
Thompson, Macel—.5 acre	.25
Thompson, Ralph & Lillian—18 acres	1.50
Tritt, M. E. & Maude—10 acres	1.25
Turner, Sarah—79 acres	8.25
Turner, Cecil—.4 acre	.25
Wardrup, C. A.—Lot	.25
Wax, Bill—Lots 27-29	.25
Wax, Wm. B.—3.25 acres	.50
West, Rebecca Anne—21 acres	9.00
West, Rebecca Anne—5 acres	.75
Wheeler, Addie—15 acres	1.00
Wheeler, B. A.—Lots 1-4	1.00
Wolfe, B. B.—Lots 22-23	3.00
Woodward, D. D.—7 acres	1.25
Woodward, Maynard & Kate—17 acres	2.00
Woodward, R. W. & Alpha—3 acres	.50

YOAKUM STATION
Delinquent 1943 Taxes

Name	Tax
Bailey, J. H.—139.88 acres	61.25
Bailey, J. R.—44.25 acres	3.85
Bailey, J. R.—Lots 1-3	9.80
Bailey, J. R.—2 acres	4.90
Bailey, Judge C.—49 acres	3.15
Bailey, Judge C.—.5 acre	.35
Bledsoe, Worley & Lillie—1 acre	1.05
Brown, Steve T.—56 acres	11.20
Coomer, Sam—.75 acre	.35
Coomer, Sam & Kate—Lots	2.80
Ely, Hargis—3 acres	1.05
Fritz, O. C.—19 acres	2.10
Gilbert, Minnie—Lots	2.45
Gilbert, Sadie & Minnie—Lots 1-4	1.75
Gilbert, Sadie & Minnie—Lots 44-46	1.05
Jessee, W. W.—36.67 acres	3.85
Kelly, Elizabeth—43.5 acres	3.50
Keller, Mary—6.0 acres	1.05
Kearns, Kyle—2.0 acres	2.10
Lawson, Ida—28.0 acres	7.00
Lawson, John B.—.25 acre	.35
Litton, Olga M.—193.04 acres	56.00
Livingston, W. P. Est.—2.25 acres	7.00
Maness, Elia—16.0 acres	2.80
Mullins, Tyler—47.0 acres	18.55
Olinger, James A.—71.0 acres	14.00
Orr, J. J.—Lots	13.30
Orr, J. J.—2.5 acres	.70
Orr, J. J.—22.0 acres	5.95
Orr, J. J.—11.9 acres	3.50
Orr, J. J.—207.0 acres	14.35
Orr, J. J. & Sallie Howard—23.0 acres	2.45
Pennington, A. T.—12.0 acres	1.75
Pennington, Serena—31.75 acres, Bal.	.32
Peters, Lillie C.—56.0 acres, Bal.	8.73
Phipps, Will & Mary—Lot	5.25
Qualls, Georgia—.5 acre	.35
Quillen, R. N.—Lot	3.85
Shuler, Hazel—3.0 acres	4.90
Slemp, C. M.—31.0 acres	13.30
Slemp, Cura A.—Lot 2	.70
Slemp, M. M.—2.5 acres	.70
Wade, Alice—11.0 acres	2.80
Waddell, S. F.—110.0 acres, Bal.	4.90
Walden, James 1.0 acre	.35
Ward, Sherman—2 25 acres	7.00
Wells, K. E. & E. A. Robbins—1.0 acres	.35
Wilson, Cowan D.—8.25 acres	2.80
Willis, Baker—5 1 acres	1.05
—Yoakum Mineral Land—	
Addington, J H 60 0 acres	6 30
Addington, J R. & Nila 6.0 acres	.35
Bailey, J S.—1.0 acres	1 05
Bledsoe, Charles W.—6.0 acres	.70
Bledsoe, Charles W. 35.0 acres	3 15
Bostic, Joseph—32.5 acres	8.40
Calton, Ima V.—1.5 acres	1.05
Carter, Nancy J.—35.0 acres	3.50
Clark, Lizzie—Lot	.35
Darnell, R. H. & Mila—4.0 acres	.70
Duff, W. M.—1.0 acres	2.10
Goodlowe, J. M.—6.0 acres	1.40
Griffith, Ray—Lot	.35
Johns, Mike & Helen—2.1 acres	2.10
Kelly, Ambrose—.05 acre	.35
Mullins, Leonard—Lots	1.40
Mullins, Maggie—Lots	1.75
Mullins, Robert—4.0 acres	.35
Palmer, W. S.—30.0 acres	1.05
Palmer, W. S.—49 5 acres	4.55
Parsons, Cecil—1.0 acre	1.40
Partin, Mary—Lots 1-2	3.85
Pennington, A. T, Sr.—41.75 acres	17.15
Robbins, Otis—.5 acre	2.10
Stapleton, Nancy A.—2.0 acres	.35
Thomas, J. M. & J. C. Smith—Lot	3.85
Thomas, W. M.—8.0 acres	4.20
Vernon, J. C. & L. D. Nichols—Lot	1.75
Vernon, W. M. & Bettie—6.0 acres	2.45
Vernon, C. J.—.1 acre	1.75
Wells, E. G.—Tract	.70
Wells, E. G. & Monette—.75 acre	3.85
Wells, V. M.—8.67 acres	7.00

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News From BENEDICT

Mr. and Mrs. Rhea Hall and family of Millers Chapel, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jim Shackleford here Sunday.

Mrs. Gladys Ewing and family and Miss Jeanette Arnett spent last Sunday with relatives in Jonesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davis, Mr. and Mrs. George Foster, all of Harriman, Tenn., visited here last week with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sturgill and family.

Mrs. Ressie Scarborough and children of Bonny Blue visited relatives and friends here Tuesday.

Mrs. Jim Thompson and little granddaughter, Delores, of Jonesville, spent a part of last week here with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thompson and family.

Starling Estep, of the U. S. Marines, with Mrs. Estep, of Pennington Gap, were visiting his sisters, Mrs. Lennie Blevins and Mrs. Marie Baltimore here last week.

Mrs. Maude Thompson, of Stone Creek, visited here last Sunday with Mrs. Fred Thompson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Quillen, of Big Stone Gap, was visiting her mother, Mrs. Katherine Garrett, Sunday.

Forrest Hall,, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rhea Hall, is home on honorable discharge, after six years' service in the U. S. Army.

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News From MILLER'S CHAPEL

Mr. and Mrs Lloyd Parks, formerly of Jonesville, have moved into the Millers Chapel community. We are glad to have them.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hall, their son, Forrest, and daughter, Roberta, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Shackleford, of Benedict, Sunday

Mr and Mrs. Rhea Hall and Melba Shelton attended the revival services at St Charles Friday night

Mrs. Claude Hounshell, of Indiana, is visiting her father, Bill Garrett, who is ill.

Mr and Mrs. Richard Shelton are expecting their son, James, home from overseas very soon.

Jack Skiles, of Benedict, visited here Thursday with Forrest Hall.

Miss Ella Hurt, of Big Sandy, was visiting her sister, Mrs. Katherine Hall, familiarly known as "Mama Kate", Tuesday.

Miss Pearl Garrett was in Pennington on business last Thursday.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 17th day of October, 1945

J. Frank Dean Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Juanita (Dean) Wheeler Defendant

The object of this suit is to attach the one-half undivided fee simple interest in two tracts or parcels of land containing in the aggregate about 32 acres located 3/4 of a mile northeast of Ocoontia in the Jonesville Magisterial District of Lee County, Virginia, being the same interest in the same lands which were conveyed on August 1, 1939 by J Frank Dean to Juanita Dean (now Wheeler) by deed recorded in the Clerk's Office of Lee County, in Deed Book 99, at page 547, to which reference is made

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Juanita (Dean) Wheeler is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address is in 200 or 300 block of Taylor Street, Bristol, Tenn., it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D. C.
p. q Walter R. Pennington
Adv. No. 43-4t

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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

Factory versus Farm: A Draw

Mel Bates and Jud Polk were arguing the other day about the factory versus the farm. Jud has a job in the tool works and Mel grows the best corn in the county.

"Where would you farmers be," Jud says, "if it weren't for the factories that make your plows and tractors?"

"And where would you factory workers be," says Mel, "unless we farmers grew the food that keeps you going?"

Well, they called it a draw, and made peace over a glass of beer, "brewed from golden farmer's grain," allows Jud, ". . . and bottled and kept wholesome by the ingenuity of industry," Mel adds politely.

From where I sit, we may have different occupations, different standards, different opinions . . . but we're all necessary to one another. And the more we skip the differences, and stress the bigger issues of co-operation, tolerance, and understanding . . . the closer we are to a better world.

Joe Marsh

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Fred Thompson and family last week.

James Holman was called to Middlesboro Saturday on account of the death of his mother.

Time was when never a sea gull appeared around Las Vegas, Nev. ,but with the creation of Lake Mead by the water Boulder Dam backed up, there now are plenty of gulls.

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FARM NEWS

By: Jim Bales, Secretary

Farmers Asked To Report AAA Practices

The week of November 12-17 has been designated Performance Week in Lee County. Throughout the State farmers are being asked to report during that week the conservation practices performed under the 1945 AAA Program. If farmers will cooperate fully in this special period, it will result in a definite saving of time and money by the county office.

In Lee County it is estimated that 1800 farmers are participating in the AAA Program this year by carrying out one or more of the approved practices, such as liming, application of phosphate and potash to grasses, legumes, and pastures; borox on alfalfa; seeding winter legumes or annual ryegrass; establishing winter cover with extra acres of small grain; and harvesting clover seed.

Uuder the 1945 AAA Conservation Program, farmers in Lee County can earn as much as $133,772.33. Last year 60 percent of the allowance was earned, but it is estimated that with improved supplies this fall a greater percentage of the allowance will be earned.

Many farmers have purchased and used materials directly for which application for payment may be made at the time of reporting performance. By promptly filing their reports farmers can be assured of early payments and early delivery of materials under the 1946 Program. The AAA has furnished directly and by purchase orders approximately 8600 tons of ground limestone and 7,042,500 pounds of superphosphate. Under the 1945 Program, the farmer pays about 20 percent of the cost of materials used or other practices carried out. Regulations require that material furnished must be used by December 31 in order to receive credit under the 1945 Program.

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Trade and Industrial Education On Increase

B. H. Oot, Director of Trade and Industrial Education of the State Department of Education, reports a total of 42,288 persons enrolled in trade courses during the past school year, with every indication that this number will be greatly increased during the present school term.

In releasing his reports for the year Dr. Van Oot also announced that O. L. Heath, Assistant State Supervisor of Trade and Industrial Education, in charge of job training and safety for all the Rural Electrification Cooperatives of the State, has been elected chairman of the educational activities of the Rural Electrification Cooperatives of the United States. In this capacity he will establish policies and programs covering job procedures, training of veterans, teaching methods and safety problems relative to construction and maintenance of cooperative electric systems and the distribution of electricity to rural communities.

Mr. Heath works in close cooperation with the twelve Rural Electrification Cooperative Associations with headquarters at Millboro, Lovingston, Bowling Green, Warsaw, Culpepper, Crewe, Suffolk, Parksley, Jonesville, Dayton, Dispuntanta and Manassas.

Of the total persons enrolled in trade courses last year, 18,484 general shop courses offered in junior and senior high schools, while 11,726 were employed persons, representing 148 different vocations who received instruction to increase their skill and knowledge and 6,226 were war workers who were taking extension courses to increase the technical knowledge or skill required on their job.

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Former Jonesville P. M. Now Touring Europe

Now that the war in Europe is over, Lt. Fred S. Cox, former Post Master at Jonesville, finds himself entering wholeheartedly into the beauty and thrills of touring this recently war-torn continent. In a recent letter to a friend here he writes:

"Recently I have done some more traveling about. I have been to Garmisch, Bavaria, where the 1936 Olympics were held, and went skiing on the Zugspitze, Germany's higheset peak. It is the most wonderful place there I have ever seen. One can see into four nations from the top of the peak which is high above the clouds Near there is Ober Ammagau where the Passion Play is put on every ten years. It is a very beautiful place; in fact, all of the Alpine part of Germany is very beautiful and scenic.

Also recently I flew down to Riviera and spent seven days on the Mediterranean at Nice and Cannes. That is the resort of the world. The weather was just right and I got a beautiful tan. While there I took a trip into Italy, and returned by Monte Carlo, the notorious gambling place. We flew back to Munich straight across Switzerland."

Lt. Cox is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cox, of Jonesville, Route 4.

School Lunch Programs In State Forge Ahead

In spite of wartime handicaps, local leaders have again chalked up a successful year in operating School Lunch Programs in Virginia, according to George M. Blake, State Officer for Marketing, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Richmond, Va.

Through the live interest and efforts of county and city school boards, division superintendents of schools, Parent Teacher Association groups, 695 school lunchrooms served approximately 12 million lunches last year. Only through initiative and hard work of local people has the school lunch program forged ahead despite the limitations of a wartime period, Mr. Blake said.

Lee County schools received $1,861.61 of last year's $933,000 appropriation, and Federal assistance was given to three local schools. The Federal aid enables schools to serve balanced lunches to all pupils in schools with a minimum cost for those who can afford to pay, Mr. Blake said. It is not given to those which which can do this without government help. Both public and parochial schools and child care centers may apply for reimbursement from the U. S. Department of Agriculture for a part of the cost of agricultural commodities used in serving school lunches.

Chief among postwar changes in retailing will be the increase in competition as we settle back into normal peacetime living. This will offer a challenge to the retailer who has enjoyed a "seller's market".

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 12th day of October, 1945.

Jesse L. Gibson.....Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Bertha Lee Gibson....Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce A Vinculo Matrimonii on grounds of Desertion. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Bertha Lee Gibson, is nonresident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address is 1914 West Griffith Avenue, Louisville 3, Kentucky, it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste
VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D. C.
p. q. W. L. Davidson.
Adv. No 42-4t.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 30th day of October, 1945.

H. E. Hyatt, Executor & c.,
..... Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Kate Hall, et al, ...Defendant

The object of this suit is to recover purchase money debt due complainant by estate of Kemp Hall and to enforce vendor's lien against a 4 acre tract of land granted by J. A. G. Hyatt to Kemp Hall. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendants, Ola Fleenor, whose last known address was Buchanan, Mich., and Gladys Garrett, whose last known address was Loyall, Kentucky, are not residents of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that they appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendants at their last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

TESTE:
VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D. C.
p. q. Geo. P. Cridlin.
Adv. No. 44-4t.

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Social and Personal

Birthday surprise

Jackson Reasor did his usual days' work last Wednesday, attended prayer meeting, then went home to rest and relax. But when he got there he found himself in the midst of a birthday party planned as a surprise for him by his wife, Mrs. Hope Arnold Reasor, and her sisters, Mrs. Trula Alsup and Mrs. Georgia Tomaszewski.

After a pleasant evening of games and other entertainment, these three served refreshments to the following guests:

Mr. Reasor, the honoree; Misses Lucy Adams, Ernestine Crowell, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Shelburne, Mr. and Mrs. Letcher Baker, Earl Minnix, Frank White, Burder VanDeventer, Warren Musick, Billy Arnold, R. B. Pennington, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Leonard and Marvin Cox, the three latter being from Big Stone Gap.

Wedding shower

Mrs. Cowles Kelly, Mrs. Woodrow Kelly and Miss Helen Fry were hostesses Monday evening to the Wesleyan Service Guild and to a miscellaneous wedding shower for Mrs. Paul Rhea, of Clinton, Tenn. These affairs were held jointly in the Assembly Hall of the Methodist Church.

Following the Service Guild program the guests enjoyed a series of games and contests furnished by the hostesses. After refreshments came the opening and display of the many gifts presented Mrs. Rhea.

Mrs. Rhea was formerly Miss Pearl Cornett, teacher in the public schools of Lee County.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Richards and daughters of Leatherwood, spent last week end with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tipton and other relatives.

Mrs. A. D. Johnson and son, Jimmy, returned from Ft. Riley, Kansas, where they have been with Lt. A. D. Johnson the past few weeks. Mrs. Johnson and Jim are now at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pennington.

Ruby Hyden spent last week end with Jenelle Howard.

Billy King of the U. S. Navy, is home on leave with his mother, Mrs. Frank Smalley.

Mrs. Lillian Laningham Rowe left Wednesday for Nashville, Tenn., to visit with her husband, Cpl. Richard Y. Rowe, Jr.

Harold Kelly of Knoxville, is visiting his family this week.

The following Lee Countians attended the 9th District Republican meeting held at Norton last Friday: Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Ball of St. Charles; Mrs. J. B. Cox and Meda Parsons of Dryden; Mrs. R. F. Musick and Mrs. Jake Howard Pennington Gap; Mrs. Milford Martin of Jonesville. Congressman Jennings of Tennessee was the guest speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Cline Yoakum have received word that their son, Don has recently been promoted to Corporal; and also that he had been awarded the Good Conduct Medal. Cpl. Yoakum, a student of P. H. S., has been in service one year and two months.

Mr. and Mrs. Yoakum have another son, Pvt. Cecil Yoakum, who is in the Army of Occupation in Japan. Cecil has one Campaign Star and two ribbons.

Don't fail to see "Where Do We Go From Here," coming to Lee Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, November 26—27.

1st. Lt. Lois Anderson Spears, ANC who has spent 45-days' leave with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Anderson, of Duffield, left Saturday for Camp Grant, Ill., and later will report to Camp Sibert, Ala., for duty

Mrs. Kate Duff Stover returned Saturday to Detroit, Mich., after spending two weeks with friends and relatives here.

Clifton Hall, son of Mr and Mrs. W. E. Hall, of Orleans, Ind., who has been recently discharged from U. S. Army service overseas, is visiting relatives and friends in Lee County, with headquarters at Pennington Ho

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Woodard of Stone Creek received a telegram from their son, Arthur Woodard, stating that he had arrived in the States.

Mrs. Faye Vanhuss, of Ravenna, Ky., is visiting relatives and friends here this week.

Rev Thomas Kidd and Rev. Thackston, of Cincinnati, Ohio, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Harber last week.

Mrs. Martha Barron, Mrs. M. H. Robbins, Mrs. Maggie Smalley, Mrs. Sara W. Black, of St. Charles, Misses Cora Lewis and Ida Stacy attended a District Meeting of the Virginia Federation of Music Clubs, at Blacksburg, Va., Saturday.

Don't fail to see "Where Do We Go From Here," coming to Lee Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, November 26—27.

Homecoming

Mrs. Martha E. Holmes, of Dryden, R. 1, was made very happy recently by the family reunion at her home. Mrs. Holmes is the mother of ten living children, all present at the reunion except one, a son living in Hammond, Ind. Her husband, F. R. Holmes died recently.

Two of her sons have just been discharged from Army service. They are F. R. Jr., who served five years, two months with more than four years overseas. He brought home with him the Purple Heart, for wounds received at St. Lo, France, on July 30, 1944. He was married Sept. 30, 1945, to Miss Juanita Smyth, of Hamilton, Ohio.

The other son, Melvin L. Holmes, served two years, nine months in the army, and eighteen months of this time was was overseas, where he was a Radio Operator. He was in battle at the time of the German surrender.

Spaghetti supper

Missses Helen and Weegie Rogers entertained with a spaghetti supper at their home Friday evening, for their brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rogers, here from Sacramento, Calif.

The guests, in addition to the honorees, were: Jimmy Joe Bright, Wallace Stewart, Homer Levre, Marguerite Hargraves, Aileen Emmette, Imogene Burgan, Phyllis Quinley, Mrs. Lawrence Dean. After supper the crowd went to the Niggerhead Club

Visit old acquaintances

S. F Smalley, Boss Wolfver, Sam Haynes, Carl Wolfver, motored to Dandridge, Tenn., Sunday, and had dinner with Mr and Mrs. C P Crumley, former residents of Pennington Gap.

The Crumleys were parents of two children when they lived here, Jack and Virginia. Virginia married sometime ago, and Jack was getting married Sunday, Mr. Smalley said.

Ardath Jo Green, SK (D) 1-C, U. S. Navy, and James Reed, SC. 2-C, U. S. Navy, were here from Bainbridge, Md., over the week end

Mrs. O. R. Parsons, of Nashville, Tenn., and daughters, Jane Anne and Davene, are visiting Mrs. Parsons' parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Rogers.

Mrs. Alice Wilkerson returned to her home in Stanford, Ky., yesterday, after a several weeks' visit here with her daughter, Mrs Earl C. Laningham and family

Mrs. Joy Peel and husband, of Los Angeles, Calif., are visiting her grandfather, G. W. Zion. Mrs. Peel was formerly Miss Hazel Zion. She graduated from Pennington High School, class of '33 under Prof. W. D. Bradbury.

Don't fail to see "Where Do We Go From Here," coming to Lee Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, November 26—27.

Mrs. E. E. Skaggs, Lt. and Mrs. James D. Haburn were 6.00 o'clock dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Roller, of Rose Hill, Wednesday night.

Mrs. A. D. Rogers is back home from Lee General Hospital where she has been confined for several weeks. She is reported improving satisfactorily.

Miss Betty Jean Keel, student of Radford College, and Miss Mary Sam Keel, who is employed as Laboratory Assistant with the Tennessee Eastman at Oak Ridge, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs Sam Keel, of Jonesville, last week end

Edgar Harris and Hubert Anderson have returned to their homes in Glendale, Calif., after a visit with relatives in Jonesville.

NOTICE

I will not be responsible for any debts made other than by myself.

H. J. Peters,
Dryden, Va.
Adv. No. 45-4t.-pd.

Richards—Pence

The First Lutheran Church at Richmond, Va., was the scene of a very impressive wedding on Friday, October 26th at 8:00 p. m., when Miss Sue Richards, daughter of W. T. Richards, of Pennington Gap, Va., became the bride of David Milton Pence.

The Rev. J. J. Schearer, Pastor of the Lutheran Church officiated, using the single ring ceremony, before a candle lighted alter. Miss Virginia Tipton, niece of the bride, was bridesmaid, and Mr. Joe Hunt, of North Carolina, who is a dental student in the Medical College of Virginia, served as best man for the groom. Only a few close relatives and friends were present.

The bride wore a suit of powder gray wool with black accessories and a corsage of white chrysanthemums.

The bridesmaid wore a black suit with a corsage of pink chrysanthemums.

The groom's mother was attired in a black crepe dress, and also wore pink chrysanthemums.

The bride is a graduate of Pennington High School and for some time has held a responsible position in the Pennington Gap Post Office.

The groom is the son of Mrs. Verner Milton Pence and the late Dr. Pence of Pennington Gap. He is a graduate of Pennington High School and of Emory and Henry College, and at present is a dental student in the Medical College of Virginia. He is a member of the Psi Omega Fraternity.

The couple expects to make their home in Richmond, Va., in a few months.

Mr. Laningham improving

J. E. Laningham, in the University Hospital at Charlottesville, is getting along fine now, according to reports, and hopes to be coming home in the near future

In the meantime, Mrs. Laningham, who has been with him during both his confinement to the Hospital in Richmond and at Charlottesville, is home for a few days to be with Jimmy Tom, on his return home after being honorably discharged from the Navy, and will return to Charlottesville to stay with Mr. Laningham until he is able to come home

Hiram Orr, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., visited his sister, Miss Cornie Orr this week

Mr. and Mrs. Earl C. Laningham attended the football game between the University of Chattanooga and the University of Georgia at Chattanooga last Saturday.

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TOWN TALK

About This, That, And The Other

Thanksgiving, like ambassadors, cabinet officers and others smeared with political ointment.

Depend for its existance on Presidential appointment.

Partial horse!

W. T. Kirk, father of losing candidate to the House of Delegates in the recent election, tells us this one of his uncle, Richard Kirk, who was quite a horse trader as well as a preacher.

Richard got hold of a young horse and put him in a cane mill, but the horse kicked out of gear. Kirk tried again and again but with the same result. Finally he decided he couldn't use the horse and would trade him off. Accordingly he got on the horse and started riding down Crank's Creek. He met a man by the name of Leander Farmer, of Harlan, and bantered him for a trade. Farmer happened to be making molasses, so he asked, "Will he work in a cane mill, preacher?"

"Right out of a cane mill, brother, right out of a cane mil!!" the preacher replied. Farmer bought the horse, hitched him in the cane mill, and strangely enough the horse worked right off, without a bit of trouble.

Takes third job

W. H. Creech says he is (?) years old and has only held two jobs in his life. For thirteen and one half years he was employed as Rural Mail Carrier in the Ornborchard community, and for the past twenty-one years has worked for J. E. Laningham in the Oil business, first representing the Standard, then the Continental, and finally the Texas Company.

Mr. Creech has now accepted a partnership with his son in the Creech Tire and Supply Company store.

Obeyed orders

J. V. Graham relates one of his early recollections of the L. and N. Railroad when it was being built through this section.

He said that he and some other boys were attending school at Jonesville at the time the construction had reached Ocoonita; so they took a notion to ride down on horseback and see the new railroad track. They hitched up their horses and climbed upon some box cars to see what was going on.

About that time somebody called out, "Hey, you boys, come down from there!"

Jim says they lost no time in coming down at once

A purty good sign

The late Henry Hoover, a citizen of the Robbins Chapel community, claimed to be 104 years old when he died. Early in the spring before his death a neighbor, seeing him riding down the road, said, "Mr Hoover, we heard you have been very sick and almost died."

"No, no," replied Hoover, "I lack a lot of being dead. I've noticed invariably that if I survive the month of March, I'll make it all right another year.

Faithful to the polls

W. A. Hinkle, 87, resident of Stickleyville, registered and cast his first vote 66 years ago, and has voted every year since, at the same place.

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Capt. Sherman F. Andis Now Home On Leave

Captain Sherman F. Andis has traveled the many miles from North Africa to spend a 30-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Andis, of Jonesville.

Capt. Andis has to his credit twelve years of service in the U. S. Army. He entered as a private, making his way up by degrees to his present rank. He plans to continue in the service.

"It's great to be home," he said, "Nobody can imagine my delight at being again with homefolk and friends, but I feel that the Army is my life work. I expect to continue in it until time for my retirement."

Capt. Andis will report to Ft. Meade, Maryland, about the 11th of December for re-assignment. His brother, Robert, is still with the Army in Manila.

Lt. Bill Goins, Jr., Is Killed In Plane Crash

Former Pennington Gap Boy Died On Iwo Jima

LT. BILL GOINS, JR.

An anxious fear that held the Goins family in it's grip for around two weeks or more ended in grim reality Thursday, November 8, when the message came from the War Department that Lt. Bill Goins, Jr., had been killed in an airplane crash on Iwo Jima October 13.

Soon after that date his wife received cards of sympathy from some of her husband's friends who stated they had attended the funeral. However, as she had not been notified by the War Department, she hoped against hope that they had her husband mixed up with someone else, and that he was still living. She contacted the War Department until the tragic truth was learned.

Lt. Goins was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Goins, Sr., of Pennington Gap. He graduated from Pennington High School in 1940 and for a time was employed as Coal Inspector by the Stonega Coal and Coke Company at Dunbar.

He enlisted in the Army Air Cadet Corps October 12, 1942; received his wings with rank of Lieutenant with the AAF at Marianna, Florida, in March, 1944.

Besides his parents Lt. Goins is survived by his widow, Mrs. Mildred Reasor Goins; one daughter, Sharon Kay; one brother, S. 1-C. Denver Goins, serving somewhere in the Pacific Area.

Niggerhead Plans Big Thanksgiving Program

Leo Hagy, Jr., and Cowles Arnold, promoters of the Niggerhead Club, have planned a mammoth dance program for Thanksgiving week. The Club will present Johnny Eads and his famous orchestra under the direction of Eddie Robinson, Thanksgiving eve, November 21, and will follow through on Thanksgiving night, Friday, Saturday and Sunday with Smith "Spike" Carson and his orchestra, with a special tap dance routine as an added attraction.

The Niggerhead Club has discussed the possible organization of a teen age Club on Thursday nights following Thanksgiving week.

Farm Bureau Meetings To Be Held In County

J. O. Woodward, President, Charles G. Baker, Secretary-Treasurer, announce meetings of the Lee County Farm Bureau as follows:

November 20, at Midway School House; November 23, at Flatwood High School; November 27, at Thomas Walker High School; December 15, at Dryden High School; December 20, at Seminary.

Each of the meetings will begin at 7:00 p. m., E. S. T.

Music will be furnished by the Livesay Brothers String Band.

The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings and hear the discussions on the problems confronting the farmers of today.

Major Guy B. Darst, Eng., ETO, at home on terminal leave in Knoxville, Tenn., spent Monday night at Hotel Pennington with his father, Guy Darst, President Benedict Coal Corporation.

Many From Lee On Annual Hunting Trip

Left First Of Week For Elk And Deer Regions

Early in the week Lee Countians began assembling together in groups for their annual trips to the famous hunting grounds in Bedford and Bath Counties.

Reports were circulated that at least fifty men from over the county would be joining the different caravans. It was impossible to learn all their names, but after much research, questioning and quizzing, the following information was gathered:

Earl P. Smyth, who brought down a big elk on his hunting trip both last year and the year before; J. A. Pennington and Claude Redwine, preceded the others by a few days. They left last week to hunt elk in Bedford County, and Monday, November 12, were to move on into Bath County to chase the deer, Mrs. Smyth said. They plan on coming home about the 22nd

Dr. Robbins told us Monday that he and five others would leave via auto early Tuesday morning and make straightway for Bath County The others were R. S Banner, W R. Fletcher, M. E. Flanary, S. J. Shelburne, P B. Robbins. They will return about the 21st, Dr Robbins said

Roy King named a large delegation of hunters who would be leaving Tuesday morning, some by truck and some by auto. He said they too would go first to the deer infested regions of Bath, and would be away eight or ten days. The names Roy mentioned were

Pennington Gap: Roy iKng, Oscar Kerns, Chauncey Rhea, Cornis Smith, Martin Parsons, Luther Smith, Charlie Dennison (now of East Stone); Orville Rhea, Dillard Kinzer, Claude Stapleton, Howard Pennington.

Woodway: Dan Driscoll, Martin Driscoll, John Brannon, Bill Johnson, Ralph Lambert.

Calvin: Palmer Holmes, Chess Robbins, Ralph Parsons, Fred Pennington, Howard Pennington, Mitchell Moore, Truman Stewart.

Ewing: Three Crumley brothers and a Mr. Chadwell.

Keokee: Bristow Gilbert.

Robbins Chapel: Les Pennington.

Of course there were other whose names were not learned but here's wishing one and al a pleasant trip and the bag limit of game

Lee 4-H Club Winners Of Chicago Trip To Be Announced at Jon. Sat.

Lee County's 4-H Club members from entire farming area will hold their annual Achievement Day program at Jonesville Saturday, November 17th, at Jonesville High School auditorium.

Many prizes and awards will be announced, among which will be two winners of a free trip to attend the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago, December 1st, and the winners in the contests sponsored by the M. D. Collier Furniture Corp., announced early this year, will also be announced.

The committee will select a top 4-H Club boy and a top 4-H Club girl from the county 4-H membership who will receive the national journey with all expenses paid to Chicago.

Both movies for the feature, "Lee Has Everything" and news pictures for the big dailies and the Associated Press will be filmed of the event. Motion pictures will also be shown on the screen.

County Agent R. C. Carter, will be in charge.

Card of Thanks

If it could be possible that it could be done in words, we wish to thank every one for everything they did in the sickness and death of our beloved wife and mother.

Mr. Bradley Mullins
and Family.

TO HOLD REVIVAL

REV. JOHN A. LELAND

The Rev. John A. Leland will be the guest evangelist in a revival beginning at Calvary Baptist Church Monday, November 19th, and continuing through Sunday night, November 25th.

Everybody is invited to come and hear this well known evangelist.

Rev. Kester Greene, Pastor.

Special Union Service Thanksgiving Day

The local churches will unite in a special Thanksgiving service at the Methodist Church on Thursday morning, November 22, at 10 30

Rev P. R Stubbs will deliver the sermon, and all the churches will participate in the worship Members of the Masonic Order will be guests of honor

The public is cordially invited

Evangelistic Rally

A cordial invitation is extended members of the local churches to attend the Evangelistic Rally at Trinity Methodist Church, Big Stone Gap, on Friday, November 23

The program will be from 3:00 to 5:00 p. m., and again at 7:00 p. m. Lunch and fellowship 5:30 to 6:30 p. m.

Speakers on the program include Bishop J. C. Broomfield, Bishop Paul B. Kern, Layleader A. S. Pennington, and Mrs. H. A. W. Skeen.

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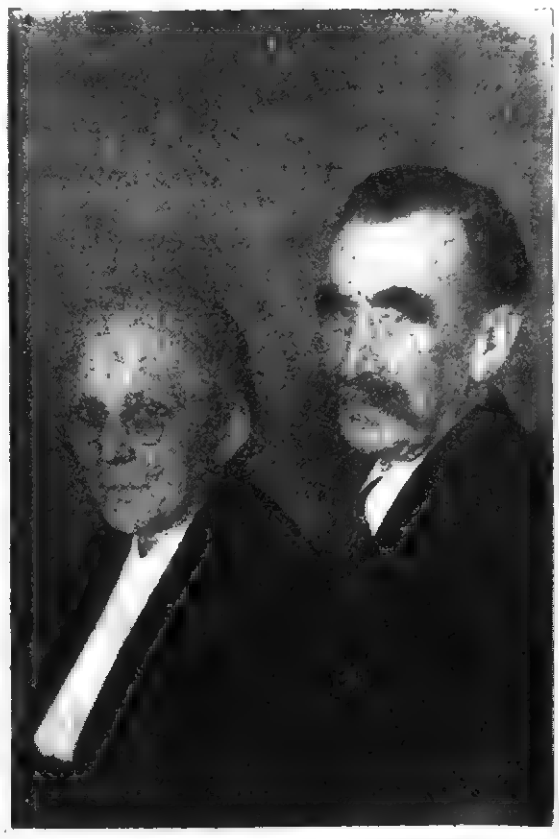

MR. AND MRS. W. C. FANNON

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Fannon, progressive farmers of the Woodway community, had been married fifty years the 21st day of October, 1945.

They celebrated the day with a special anniversary dinner, at which many of their friends and relatives were present. Others called at the home throughout the day to extend congratulations and to present the couple anniversary gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Fannon have lived in Lee County practically all their life. They are the parents of ten living children. A daughter, Mrs. H. P. Billings, lives in Pennington Gap.

Top Price Of $18.00 Paid At Feeder Calf Sale At Ewing, Nov. 9

A top of $18.00 per cwt. was established at the Lee County Feeder Calf Sale at Ewing, Va., November 9, as Tyler Owens and Charles Brown, both of Ewing, paid this figure for two lots of choice steer calves. Other good and choice steer calves sold at prices from $15.25 to $17.00, the heavier calves selling at the lower figures.

Medium steers sold at about $1.00 per cwt. discount under the good prices ranging from $14.25 to $15.50 A total of 391 calves were sold. Top price on heifers was $15.50, paid by M. O. Ramsey, Richmond, Ky., for a lot of 427 lb. choice heifers. Mr. Ramsey purchased most of the choice heifers at prices from $14.50 to $15.50. The good heifers sold mostly at $14.00, with Marcum Bros. of Richmond, Ky., buying the bulk of them at this price with a few at $14.50 Ernest Wolfe,, of Gate City, took 32 good heifers weighing 329 lbs., at $13.90. The medium heifers sold at prices ranging from $12.25 to $13.25. Most of this grade being taken by packers or speculators.

The East Tennessee Packing Company purchased a number of heavy heifers and plain fleshy steers for slaughter. In addition to these buyers, the following purchased a number of calves each.

W. W Chambers, Sneedville, Tenn.; Robert Shipley, Ewing; M B. Hobbs, Rose Hill; Crockett and Stickley, Rose Hill; R T Flanary, Norton; Smith Riley, Tazewell, Tenn.; H. E. Bales, Rose Hill; M O Estep, Gibson Station, W. K Fugate, Ewing; Omer Yeary, Ewing, H M. Hobbs, Rose Hill, Blunschi and Williams, London, Ky.; Dave Willis, Ewing

American Legion To Hold Meeting Monday

Elmo David, Post Adjutant, announces a meeting of Chester Haburn Post No. 33, American Legion, to be held at Pennington High School at 7:00 o'clock p. m., (EST) Monday, November 19

All members are urged to be present, also all discharged veterans who are interested in the Legion.

Sale Of E Bonds Less Than Sixth Of Quota

Died In Jap Prison Camp

S. SGT. CHAS. E. BURGAN

S. Sgt. Charles E. Burgan, son of John S. Burgan, of Pennington Gap, died on Nov. 20, 1944, in a war prison camp at Omori, Japan, according to a message from the War Department to the father, dated October 29, 1945.

The letter which followed, signed by Major General Edward F. Witsell, did not explain the delay in notifying of his death, other than today he had first been reported prisoner of war

Sgt. Burgan served with the Engineer Corps in Manila when he was taken prisoner by the Japanese. He served two terms previous to the war.

Surviving members of the family include the father, four brothers and two sisters.

Spelling Bee At First Christian Church, Nov. 20

The Senior class of girls, First Christian Church Bible School, with Mrs. John Fleenor, teacher, will sponsor an old-fashioned Spelling Bee at the First Christian Church, Tuesday night, November 20, beginning at 6:30.

No admission charges, but a voluntary offering will be taken for the benefit of China's Children Fund, Inc. Mrs. Fleenor and her class have assumed the expense of one Chinese child.

Come and try your skill in spelling.

First Taste Of Winter

The hazy atmosphere of Indian Summer made a brief retreat yesterday to give way to a typical cold, November rain. Sometime during the night folk were awakened by a wind blustering about, and the air grew chill.

This morning there was thin ice in the places where the rain had lingered, and here and there were light sprinkles of snow. Although the sun again came out clear, and the wind had piped down, the atmosphere was cold and biting It was just our first taste of 1945 winter.

Feathers To Coach Eastern All-Stars

Beattie Feathers, former All-American football star of U. T., Knoxville, will help coach the Eastern squad in the 21st annual East-West all-star game to be played New Year's Day for the Crippled Children's Hospital, at San Francisco, Calif.

Feathers, who is now with North Carolina State College, played in the 1934 Rose Bowl football game.

He is well known in Pennington Gap, having married Miss Inez Williams, daughter of Mrs. Iva Williams, and for awhile made his home here.

Card of Thanks

We wish to take this method of expressing our appreciation for the kindness and sympathy shown us in the death of our beloved father, with special thanks for the many floral offerings.

In a time like this we learn how much our friends mean to us. Your expression of sympathy will always be treasured.

J. A. Treadway
and Family.

Drive Disappointing To Date, But Quota Can Be Met By Extra Effort

The sale of E Bonds in the Victory Loan Campaign, the 8th and final National Campaign for the sale of Bonds to finance the War and the demobilization of the powerful War machine built up by this country to win the most gigantic War in all history, has been very disappointing to date, according to County Finance Chairman T. B. Fugate.

E Bond sales reported to date are less than $30,000.00 against the quota of $180,000.00 assigned the County, which is considered a very reasonable quota by those who know the financial condition of the people of the County.

The County Finance Chairman and his committee feel that the slowness in the purchase of Bonds during this campaign is an after-the-War let down in the Bond purchasers who have oversubscribed all previous drives, a feeling that with the end of the War their responsibility to buy Bonds ceased; which is far from the right conception.

The County is divided into four areas, as has been the plan in all previous drives, with each area assigned a quota as follows:

The St. Charles Coalfield area, Dr. Charles H. Henderson, Chairman, quota, $50,000.00; Pennington Gap area, W. D. Harr, Chairman, quota, $50,000.00; Jonesville area, Browning Wynn, Chairman, quota, $50,000.00; Ewing-Rose Hill area, H. T. Ritchie, Chairman, quota, $50,000,00.

County Finance Chairman T. B. Fugate, his area chairmen and their committees wish at this time to make an appeal to the people of the County to fully realize their individual responsibility to see that the County's quota of E Bonds be met or exceeded before the campaign ends on December 8.

THEY HAVE FINISHED THEIR JOB--LET'S FINISH OURS!

W. R. Pennington Named Director In March Of Dimes 1946 Campaign

Mr. Walter R. Pennington, of Pennington Gap, has accepted the Directorship for Lee County for the 1946 "March of Dimes" campaign for funds to fight infantile paralysis, W Ludwell Baldwin, of Norfolk, State Chairman of the drive announced today.

The Campaign is scheduled as in previous years for January 15-31. It will reach its climax once more on the birthday of the late President Franklin D Roosevelt, who devoted much of his time and interest during the past 15 years to the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

In announcing Mr Pennington's appointment, Mr. Baldwin called attention to the "serious need" for heavy contributions during the 1946 campaign. In the past 16 months, more than 1,000 cases of infantile paralysis have been reported in Virginia. The Old Dominion has suffered through two consecutive epidemic years, and the treasuries of the Virginia Chapters of the National Foundation have been exhausted in caring for the Virginia patients.

Over this past 16-month period, the National Foundation has sent into Virginia upwards of $$300,000 to provide hospitalization and medical attention for the young victims. This sum is in addition to more than $100,000 paid out by the local Chapters.

The 1944 epidemic saw 754 infantile paralysis cases in Virginia and 321 had been reported through November 1 of this year. Of these 3, were in Lee County. Other Southwest Virginia counties suffered heavily--Scott, 6; Wise, 29; Washington, 11; Russell, 8; and Dickenson, 17.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hines attended the Kingsport and Elizabethton football game at Elizabethton, Tenn., last Friday night and the Bristol Hi and Tennessee Hi game at Bristol Saturday night.

Youth Mass Meeting Is Interesting Affair

The Mass, or Rally meeting held by upper Lee County Methodist Youth in the Assembly Hall of the local Methodist Church Sunday evening was a most helpful and interesting affair. The youth and older folk came in groups from the various churches in the County and enjoyed fellowship, discussions and supper together.

At 7:00 o'clock, Rev. James Wilder, Holston Conference Director of Young People, delivered a very helpful sermon to a large congregation in the main auditorium on the theme of "Christ's Call To Service."

Rev. Wilder made some very appealing and deep-thinking statements in his sermon, depicting the conditions and perils of the present-day world, and the need of better living.

"The atomic bombs, as powerful as they might be, cannot save a world tottering on the brink of destruction," he said; "Today mankind is groping for a way out, we stand before a great new world. Our Democracy will last only so long as they are founded upon the principles of Jesus Christ. Our greatest temptation is to sit idly by while a world goes merrily to hell." He stressed the great need of America turning about to face the new day in a deeper spiritual way.

Mrs. S. G. Hill and her girls' music club of St. Charles sang special numbers. District officers elected for the year 1945-'46 were: Councellor, Rev. Charlie D Mehaffey, Pennington Gap; assistant, Mrs. Carl Evans, St. Charles; President, Evelyn Kirk, Pennington Gap; vice-president, Anna Laura Shuler, Bonny Blue; Secretary, Howard Steele, Bonny Blue; Treasurer, Juanita Richardson, St. Charles.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, in vacation, on the 30th day of October, 1945.

Emmett Price Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Viola Johnson Price Defendant

The object of the above styled suit is to obtain a divorce on behalf of the complainant, Emmett Price, from the defendant, Viola Johnson Price, on ground of willful and voluntary desertion of the complainant by the defendant for a period of more than two years. And it appearing by affidavit filed according to law that Viola Johnson Price, the above named defendant, is not a resident of this State, and that her last known address is Livesplint, Kentucky, it is therefore ordered that the said Viola Johnson Price do appear within ten days after due publication of this order, in the Clerk's Office of our said Circuit Court, and do what is necessary to protect her interests. It is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a newspaper published in Lee County, Virginia, and it is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the courthouse of said County on or before the next succeeding rule day, and that another copy hereof be mailed to the defendant at the Post Office address given in the affidavit.

Given under my hand the 30th day of October, 1945.

ATTEST
VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk
Robt. B. Ely, p.q.
Adv. No. 44-4t

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 17th day of October, 1945.

J. Frank Dean Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Juanita (Dean) Wheeler Defendant

The object of this suit is to attach the one half undivided fee simple interest in two tracts or parcels of land containing in the aggregate about 43 acres located 3-4 of a mile northeast of Ocoee in the Jonesville Magisterial District of Lee County, Virginia, being the same interest in the same lands which were conveyed on August 1, 1939 by J. Frank Dean to Juanita Dean (now Wheeler) by deed recorded in the Clerk's Office of Lee County, in Deed Book 99, at page 547, to which reference is made.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Juanita (Dean) Wheeler is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address is in 200 or 300 block of Taylor Street, Bristol, Tenn., it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk.
By. CHARLES N. HAWS, D. C.
p. q. Walter R. Pennington
Adv. No. 43-4t.

First Christian Church

Sunday, November 18: Bible School at 10:00 a. m., Harry O. Hines, Superintendent.

Worship with communion at 10:45. Sermon, or report of State Convention.

Christian Endeavors meet at 6.15 p. m., Mrs. Ruth Keith, President.

Worship with sermon by the Pastor at 7:00.

Choir rehearsal Wednesday at 6:30 p. m. Prayer and praise service at 7:00.

Union Thanksgiving service at the Methodist Church November 22, Rev Perry R. Stubbs preaching. The Masonic Lodge will attend this service in a body.

W. B. Moore, Minister.

First Baptist Church

Sunday morning, November 18: Sunday School at 9:30, A. T. Burchette, Superintendent.

Morning worship at 10:45, Sermon topic, "What Jesus Sees In A Gift."

Evening: Training Unions meet at 6:30.

Evening worship at 7:30. Sermon topic, "What Jesus Gives."

NOTICE

Persons having claims against the estate of D. C. Sewell, Jr., deceased, are hereby notified to present same to Mrs. Vesta E. Sewell, Administratrix of the estate of said D. C. Sewell, Jr., and all persons indebted to said estate are required to settle said indebtedness at once.

Mrs. Vesta E. Sewell,
Administratrix of the
Estate of said D. C.
Sewell, Jr., deceased.
Jonesville, Virginia.
Adv. No. 44-4t.

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H. J. Peter
Dryden, Va.
Adv. No 45-4t pd

Midweek prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

P. R. Stubbs, Pastor.

News From KEOKEE

Many folk from here attended the religious services held at St. Charles, Monday night.

Pfc. Rudy Arnette is here visiting his family and relatives after returning from Europe with an honorable discharge fom the U. S. Army.

Misses Thelma Jean, Anna Lee and Ferril Mullins and little Miss Charlotte Wolfe were in Big Stone Gap, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Witt recently returned from W. Va., where they visited their son, Polk Witt, who has been very ill.

Mrs. Kate Gates and baby visited relatives in Darnell Town, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Gardner, of Calvin, visited here with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maggard, Sunday.

Miss Katherine Townsend made a business trip to Roanoke last week.

Juanita Shuler, Nell Knight, Vergia Maggard and Katherine Townsend enjoyed the beauties of nature and the fine weather by going on a hike Sunday.

Ottawa, Ontario, is the seat of the federal government of Canada.

Only three ivory-billed woodpeckers are known to be alive.

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Lee County . . . Farm Bureau Meetings

There will be meetings held at the following places and dates for the farmers of Lee County, for the purpose of discussing problems in which the farmers of Lee County will be interested.

There are many problems confronting the farmers of America today, and the object of these meetings is to bring the farmers together for the purpose of discussing ways and means of solving these problems, and to form a more perfect union among the farmers, in order that by working together for the common good, the farmer can derive a better income from the work he is doing.

Place and Date Of Each Meeting

November 20th, at Midway School House
November 23rd, at Flatwood High School
November 27th, at Thomas Walker High School
December 15th, at Dryden High School
December 20th, at Seminary

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Lee County Farm Bureau

Charles G. Baker, Secretary and Treasurer — J. O. Woodward, President

FARM NEWS

Statewide Meetings Planned

A series of eight meetings have been scheduled throughout the State for the purpose of bringing together county Triple-A office clerks, county committeemen, and representatives from the State AAA Office to discuss the 1946 conservation program. The following places have been designated for meetings:

November 19, Farmville; November 20, Roanoke; November 21, Abingdon; November 26, Front Royal; November 27, Orange; November 28, Tappahannock; November 29, Richmond; November 30, Suffolk.

The highlight of each meeting will be a discussion of the new phases of the 1946 conservation program. Importance of full attendance at these meetings has been stressed since county and community committeemen next year will have more authority with increased responsibility in obtaining maximum conservation in each county and each particular community. The main objective for 1946 is to obtain maximum conservation within the funds available.

Part of the day at each meeting will be devoted to arriving at ways and means of completing the 1945 program and increasing participation. A special session of the treasurers will receive instructions on new procedures.

The following representatives from Lee County will attend the meeting at Abingdon, Va., on November 21: Jim Bales, Chief Clerk; Gladys Hines, Treasurer; F. K. Hyatt, Chairman; County Committee; C. P. Thompson and Frank Litton, County Committeemen.

Retonga Ended Long Search Says Roberts

He Felt Miserable All The Time From Indigestion, And Pains In Muscles Robbed Him Of Sleep, He States. Hard To Praise Retonga Enough.

"Retonga brought me relief from the terrible distress of indigestion after I had been tortured by it for several years" happily declares Mr L. I. Roberts, well known resident of 7116 Eastland St., Jacksonville Fla. Mr. Roberts, now retired, has three sons in the armed services. Discussing Retonga he gratefully continued.

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PULP INDUSTRY HIRING SPEEDED

Washington—Job opportunities created by the curent pulp and paper industry expansion program took on added importance this week following a warning by Mr. Maury Maverick, chairman of the Smaller War Plants Corp., that the slack in unemployment, due to reach its peak next spring, will have to be taken up by the small business firms of the nation.

"Our huge industries, which expanded so greatly in the war years, naturally must contract," according to Mr. Maverick. "Many already have. Their future demands for labor to make automobiles, airplanes, radios, farm machinery and other consumer goods will not employ the armies of workers they needed in war production."

Mr. Maverick declared that unemployment will reach 6,000,000 to 8,000,000 persons early next year, adding that both industry and labor agreed that unemployment could easily double the estimated figures if the problem got out of hand.

In the face of Mr. Maverick's statement, pulp and paper industry spokesmen stated that their industry was going to step up the recruitment program it had jointly undertaken with the U. S. Employment Service to provide 100,000 new jobs in woods and mill work in both skilled and unskilled classifications.

"Jobs are available now to men in this community who apply to the nearest U. S. E. S. office," the Lee County Victory Pulpwood Committee pointed out, adding that "expanding demands for pulpwood products are reflected in the urgent need by mills in this area for more top quality pulpwood NOW."

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 8th day of November, 1945

Phoeba Cridlin Archer Complainant

vs. Order of Publication

Ralph W. Archer Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a Divorce a Mensa et thoro on grounds of desertion. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Ralph W. Archer, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address was In Care of General Delivery, Cumberland, Maryland, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk.
By Louise McNiel, D. C.
p. q. Guy A. Kauffman
Adv. No. 45-4t.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, Virginia, on the 7th day of November, 1945

William J. Sweeney, Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Peggy Franklin Sweeney Defendant

The object of the above styled suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on behalf of the complainant, William J. Sweeney, from the defendant Peggy Franklin Sweeney, on grounds that the said defendant, subsequent to her marriage to the complainant, has been sentenced to confinement in a prison and penitentiary of the United States, cohabitation having not been resumed thereafter. And it appearing by affidavit filed according to law that Peggy Franklin Sweeney, the above named defendant is not a resident of this State; it is, therefore ordered that the said Peggy Franklin Sweeney do appear within ten days after due publication of this order, in the Clerk's Office of our said Circuit Court, and do what is necessary to protect her interests. It is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a newspaper published in Lee County, Virginia; and it is further ordered that a copy hereof be posted at the front door of the courthouse in Lee County, Virginia, on or before the next succeeding rule day, and another copy hereof be mailed to the said defendant to the Post Office address given in the affidavit.

Teste:
VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk.
Robt. B. Ely, p. q.
Adv. No. 45-4t.

News From DRY BRANCH

By Edith Astrop

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Livingston are having their home redecorated for the coming holidays.

Miss Merble Early was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fayette Ely of Poor Valley, Thursday.

Friends and relatives regret to hear of the death of Mr. Lee Grace. Mr. Grace resided several years in this section but had moved to the home of his daughter, Mrs. Cleo Disney, near Ben Hur, shortly before his death.

Word has been received here that Charles and J. C. Moore, of the U. S. Army, are on their way home.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Parsons and children, of Woodway, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Shufflebarger and Mrs. Sarah Parsons Sunday.

Mr. E. A. Davis, Agriculture Teacher at Dryden High School, was a supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Holly Astrop Tuesday night.

Mr and Mrs. Wm. Shufflebarger were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Parsons, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Merchant, of Big Hill, have gone to Ottumwa, Iowa, to make their home.

Most of the boys of this community are making preparations for the hunting season. A nice meal of wild meat, such as coon, would be delicious, and just think, girls, a few pelts would make that fur coat you've long wished for.

LADY'S STOMACH WAS LIKE A GAS FACTORY; MEALS TURNED TO GAS

One lady said recently that her stomach used to be like a "gas factory!" That is, when she ate a meal it seemed to turn right into gas. She was always bloated, had awful stomach gas pains, daily headaches and constant irregular bowel action. Now, however, this lady says she is FREE of STOMACH GAS and she says the change is due to taking ERB-HELP. Her meals agree with her. No gas or bloat after eating. Headaches and constipation are gone. "Oh! what relief!" states this lady. "Why don't other gas and constipation sufferers get ERB HELP?"

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There used to be a phrase "from the wrong side of the tracks." It meant what you think . . . but you don't hear it any more. Not since Charlie Jenkins came home with the Purple Heart, and Willie Wells got the Silver Star. There isn't any "wrong side" of the railroad tracks now!

And that change is going on all over America . . . where our heroes have come from obscure homes . . . and greatness has overshadowed wealth and shallow social definitions.

From where I sit, it all comes down to *tolerance* . . . tolerance for what a man is and does . . . tolerance for his freedom and opinions, whether he's rich or poor, likes beer or cider, Shakespeare or the comic section. It's a great thing—tolerance!

Joe Marsh

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St. Charles PERSONALS

Dillard Ball, John Slover and Bill Miracle are spending the week in Bath County, deer hunting.

Miss Pearl Gilliam has returned home and is employed at the Railway Express Office here.

Carl Green, who recently returned from four years' service in the Pacific, and who witnessed the bombing of Pearl Harbor returned to his old job this week at Pennington Hardware and Furniture Company in Pennington Gap.

Robert Hagy, of the U. S. Navy, is home on a ten-day leave.

Fred Ledford, formerly of the U. S. Army, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Lillie Ledford, and relatives, Mr and Mrs. Jake Smith.

Jack Price, of V. M. I. Cadet School, was visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Price, last week.

Ed Duncan, recently discharged from the U. S. Army, has taken his old job back at the St. Charles Pharmacy.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorcey Kelly, of Knoxville, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Arnold and daughter, Janice, have returned to St. Charles to make their home.

Mrs. Leo B. Hagy, Jr., has returned from a trip to Indiana, due to the illness of her mother.

Recently discharged veterans returning to their homes here are: Tolbert Howe, Ed Kirk, Carl Evans, Clay Hall, Kyle Wright, Ed Duncan, Roy Greene, Toy Haynes, Carl Greene, Virgil Burgan, Herbert Turner, Clint Burgan, T. Grayson, L. C. Parks, Luke and Lonnie Jones, James McKinney, Harry McKenzie, and many others arriving daily.

Louise Baird, formerly of the U. S. Wave Corps, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Baird.

Lillian McKinney is absent from her work this week, due to illness.

Woman's Club holds meeting

The Woman's Club of St. Charles met Thursday night, November 8th, in the Home Ec Cottage. Nineteen members were present. Mesdames W. F. Frazier, Willard Barker and Miss Hazel Peters were hostesses.

Various subjects of interest were discussed. The Club will sponsor a Bazaar and Rummage Sale which is scheduled for November 30 and Dec. 1, at the Photo Shop in the Whipple Building. Also sponsored by the Club is a drive for canned food for the U. N. R. A. The next meeting will be the second Thursday in December, at the home of Mrs. Ed Mink. All members are urged to attend.

Those interested in becoming members of this Club may contact Mrs. Neil Wood.

News From WOODWAY

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Young, of Oak Ridge, and Mrs. Riley Cook were visiting friends here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Brice Litton and Mrs. E. M. Litton motored to Dayton, Ohio, Saturday for a few days' visit with their brother and son, Paul.

Bernard Grable is working for the A. & P. Tea Company, after being discharged from the Army last week.

Mrs. Bill Johnson and Mrs. Ralph Turner were joint hostesses to a miscellaneous shower for Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lambert. They received many nice gifts.

Foster Haynes and children, Mrs. J. A Bellamy and Marguerite, visited Mrs. Opal Haynes at Catawba last Sunday. Mrs. Haynes is very much improved and expects to be home soon.

Miss Ural Hall, of Baltimore, Md., was visiting her grandparents, Mr and Mrs George Patten, Sunday

Miss Imogene Fleenor has returned from Cincinnati, Ohio, after spending a few days with her sister, Mrs Opal Manning

Mrs. Millard Johnson, of Dayton, Ohio, is here for a few days' visit with her brother who has just been discharged from the Army.

Back home to stay

Ray O. Brown, ship's cook, first class, of R. 1, Rose Hill, Va., has been honorably discharged from the U. S. Navy at the Navy Personnel Separation Center, Bremerton, Wash.

J. P. Noe

John Pennington Noe, Sr., died at his home near Jonesville, Va., on Friday, November 9, after an illness of about a week. He was 78 years old, and had been blind for about 50 years.

Mr. Noe was a member of Bethel Church, near Hubbard Springs, where funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. Burial followed in Bethel Cemetery near the church.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Lavina Noe; six sons, Dewey, of Mooresville, Ind.; Olen, Indianapolis, Ind.; John, Jr., Huntsville, Ala.; Garvie, Santa Monica, Calif.; James H., Jonesville, Va.; Elmer, Richmond, Ky. Six daughters, Mrs. Dora Neal, Freeland, Md.; Mrs. Rose Quinley, Baltimore, Md.; Mrs. Emma Carroll, Jonesville, Va.; Mrs. Laura Wynn, Jonesville, Va.; Mrs. Glenn Russell, Jonesville, Va.; Mrs Grace Ledford, Jonesville, Va One brother, Charlie Noe; Thirty-six grandchildren and nine great grandchildren.

News From JONESVILLE

Mrs. G. W. Ball

Route 4

Mr. Davis, of Rose Hill, was in our community last week in the interest of the Silver Leaf Nursery.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Keel are the proud parents of a second son born recently

Miss Nathetta Davis visited relatives and friends in Big Stone Gap over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry (Pete) Williams and family have moved back to their former home here, having been living in Portsmouth, Va., for the past year, where Mr. Williams has been employed.

Little Miss Judith Harris was calling on her friends and school mates on Route 4 Sunday afternoon.

W. J. Roberts informs us that his son, Joe, is now on his way to the United States, but that he re-inlisted in the services before leaving the Philippines.

Lt. Eddie Wampler spent the week end with his sister, Mrs. Roy Ball and family. Eddie is well known here.

Lynvil Roberts is now in China.

Quite a number of persons are on the sick list here this week.

Armistice Day Program Presented By J. H. S.

On Friday, November 9, the Dramatics Class of Jonesville High School in collaboration with various other members of the faculty and student body, presented an Armistice Day Program in the High School auditorium.

After the entire school sang "America," Rev. J. C. Jackson led the devotional. Then there was a declamation by Robert Ely, Jr., entitled "More Terrible Than All the Words," followed by a duet, Barbara Orr and Reba Rosenbaum singing "My Buddy," accompanied on the violin by Mr. Perkins, and on the piano by Mrs. Carter.

Then came a one-act play entitled "The Boy Comes Home," by A. A. Milne. The cast included Eula Hines, Mary Harvell, Charleen Ramsey, Ben Davidson and Warren Wood. The play was a fictional picturization of what might occur when a soldier returns. As the final part of the program, Nedra Harris gave a recitation concerning "When Does A War End?"

By: Warren Wood, Reporter

With Our Servicemen

Home on leave

Francis L. Lesnau, MM., U. S. Navy, is spending his leave with his wife and son. He was a member of the crew of Air Craft Carrier USS HANCOCK, commissioned in Boston, Mass., in April, 1944, and has served on the HANCOCK until his recent transfer back to the United States for leave. He is expecting his discharge in February, at which time he will have completed eight years active duty in the U. S. and abroad.

His wife was formerly Miss Pearl Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Moore, Pennington Gap.

On his way home

T-5 Charles T. Johnson, Ewing, Va., is on his way home He is one of more than 400 Army combat veterans who left Pearl Harbor Tuesday, October 30, for SanFrancisco aboard the Navy's LST 30. The run to the west coast will take approximately ten days.

Upon arrival passengers will go directly to the Separation Centers nearest their home to complete the formalities of obtaining their discharges and returning to civilian life.

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5 ROOM HOME and 1 1-2 Acres of bottom land. Lights and water; 100 feet from Main State Road, between Pennington Gap and Dryden, Va., on Dry Branch. Pearl Cox, Owner. PRICE $1,500, cash or terms.

4 ROOM HOME and large lot in center of St. Charles, near High School. PRICE $1,400, cash or terms.

GOOD LOT in St. Charles, Va. $250. Close in. Key to all unmined coal in Lone Mountain, just south of St. Charles. Grace Thomas, Owner.

45 ACRE FARM and 4 Room House. Good Spring; Orchard; 20 acres cleared. Located in Belgium Hollow. Owner, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Miles. PRICE $1,600, cash or terms. Go Look! If wanted see me.

Looks like someone would buy the Perle Stewart 17 Acres and Log Cabin. PRICE $1,800, cash or terms.

Some of you people who have looked at my 14 Acres located 2 miles South of Pennington Gap, with $1,000, Barn and 1 Acre Tobacco Allotment; Orchard worth $1,000; Plenty other outhouses, not figuring the land worth $1,500. All for $2,500, cash or terms. Some of these days when your money has all slipped away from you, you will wish then you had listened to me.

BACK TO THE WOODS, Here it is! 160 Acres back in the woods but in sight of the Main State Road near Hagan, Va. 90 Acres cleared, balance in the prettiest timber I ever saw; 40 Acres Pulpwood, and balance Saw Timber. Roads all around it. Good Barn and Tobacco Allotment; Good old Orchard and Home. Timber will nearly pay for whole place. PRICE $7,000, cash or terms.

Former Pennington Gap Couple Observed 48th Wedding Anniversary

Ordinarily Big Stone Gap claims the citizenship of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Barlow, proprietors of Monte Vista Hotel, but officially the Barlows and Pennington Gap have a long-standing claim upon each other.

Mr. Barlow dropped in our office Saturday morning, November 10, to tell us that it was his and Mrs. Barlow's 48th wedding anniversary, and to relate a bit of their experiences over the years as early citizens of Pennington Gap.

"We came to Pennington Gap in 1903," Mr. Barlow said, "When the town was young, and not many houses here. At that times people walked on plank walks and carrieed lanterns to guide them at night. I. have engaged in practically every kind of business industry that goes to make up a town.

I, in partnership with Harve Barton, operated the first white barber shop ever to be opened in Pennington Gap. I conducted a livery stable, furninsing people horses and buggies for travel, for at that time cars were few and buses unknown. I conducted a general store, Hardware and Furniture business, was superintendent of a coal mine at Maness and also operated a mine of my own. I have been in the hotel business for 23 years, most of this time in Pennington Gap."

Mr. Barlow did not say this, but while in the Hotel business here he and Mrs. Barlow were known far and wide for the excellent meals they served and for their genuine Southern hospitality. He bears the same distinction at Big Stone Gap where he conducts a real estate business along with his proprietorship of the Monte Vista.

The Barlows were married at Ocoonita, Va., Nov. 10, 1897, and lived there for six years before coming to Pennington Gap.

Mrs. Barlow was formerly Miss Susie Burgan, daughter of the late Epham and Martha Burgan of Ocoonita. She is a sister of the late J. B. Burgan of Pennington Gap.

Mr. Barlow's father, G. W. Barlow, was ninety years old in September, and is unusually active and strong for one his age. His mother was the late Virginia Bays Barlow.

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Weekly Price Control And Rationing News

Meats and Fats

Red Stamps P1, G1, H1, J1, K1, now valid, expire November 30; L1, M1, N1, P1, Q1 now valid, expire December 31; R1, S1, T1, U1, V1 now valid, expire January 31; W1, X1, Y1, Z1, and GREEN N-8 expire February 28, 1946.

Sugar

Sugar Stamp No. 38 now valid, expires December 31.

Shoe Repair Prices

Dollar and cent ceiling prices on the most common shoe repair services became effective November 10. Representative members of the shoe repair trade in Virginia were consulted before flat prices for these services were set.

From now on, every customer may see the top legal price he may be charged for any of these services listed on a poster which the shoe repairman is required to place in plain view in his shop.

Restaurant, Hotel Rations

Institutional users, such as restaurants, hotels and similar establishments will now get their bi-monthy allotments of rationed food from the Roanoke District Office rather than from the local War Price and Rationing Board.

Applications for November and December allotments should be filed by November 15, in order to avoid penalty, which is a reduction in allotment. All such applications must be filed on Form R-1309, Revised.

Education, Price Control

The future of education for America's children and youth is directly related to our nation's success in holding prices steady in the months just ahead," Chester Bowles, Price Administrator said in commenting on American Education Week, November 11-17, sponsored by the National Education Association.

TOWN TALK

(Continued from page one)

Mountains in winter

Robert L. Kincaid has written some lovely articles in the Middlesboro Daily News about autumn. Mr. Kincaid has the poetic mind and command of words to make you see the beauty of the earth fairly dancing before your eyes as he describes the scenes of autumn in all it's gorgeous colors

But now these have faded in to the bleakness of winter. The highly-colored leaves on the trees that is, the few that remain, are seared and brown, and every gust of wind sends them to the ground or flying through the air

Mrs. Shelton, of Benedict, says this is, to her the season when the mountains are the most beautiful. "We can really see them as they are," Mrs Shelton says; "The sloping hills, interspersed with ravines and low places, the rugged and lofty peaks now standing out in full view, dark and sombre-looking trees embedded in the irregular surfaces, reveal the real grandeur and beauty of our mountains."

Mrs Shelton says the most beautiful scene that can be imagined is when the mountain's crest is white with snow and the tree tops are fringed with little strands of clinging icicles resembling a huge pearl necklace

News From POOR VALLEY

By Edith Astrop

Mrs. Edith Ely has returned home and is getting along nicely after undergoing a major operation at Lee General Hospital.

Mrs. Armina Gilbert and daughter, Myrna, and Mrs. Gladys Huff wre shopping in Pennington Friday.

Mrs. Ollie Brown has returned home after spending several weeks in Lee General Hospital suffering from a broken hip.

Mrs. Duskie Greene and daughters, Geraldine and Janice, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Bailey, of Big Hill, and Mr. and Mrs. Holly Astrop, of Dry Branch, Friday.

Misses Jean and Ferne Parsons, of Bristol, were visiting homefolk during the week end.

A. J. Ely, Jr., was visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ely, Sr., last week.

Mrs. Sally Howard was visiting Mrs. Edith Astrop recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Leffer Belcher and son, were visiting Mrs. Mary Parsons, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bailey and children, attended the funeral of Mrs. Bailey's sister, Mrs. Molly Arrington, of Miami, Fla. Mrs. Arrington was interred in a cemetery near St. Paul, Va.

After three years of service with the U. S. Army overseas, Junior Huff has received a honorable discharge and is now back home.

Maybe farmers of this section can quit stretching those red points for meat as butchering time draws near. Several have already butchered and making preparations to "sugar cure" and home can their pork.

Methodist Church

Sunday morning, November 18: Church School at 9:30, Clyde L. Kirk, Superintendent

Morning worship at 10:45 Sermon theme, "Our Deepest Gratitude"

Special music: Anthem, "Praise the Lord, O Jerusalem"—Choir.

Evening: Youth Fellowship Groups meet at 6:15. Sermon at 7:00. Sermon theme, "The Contagiousness of Life"

Monday evening: Meeting of the Board of Christian Education

Midweek prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock

Charlie D. Mehaffey, Pastor.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 13th day of November, 1945.

Lewis Chandler, et als, Complainants

vs. Order of Publication

Rufus Russell, et als, Defendants

The object of this suit is for partition of the real estate of Julia Chandler, deceased, in Lee County, Virginia, and to set aside deed made by Sam Russell to Rufus Russell, et als as to Julia Chandler's interest therein. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, James Russell, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address is Kingsport, Tennessee, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste

VESTA E SEWELL, Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C
p. q. W. L. Davidson
Adv. No. 46-4t.

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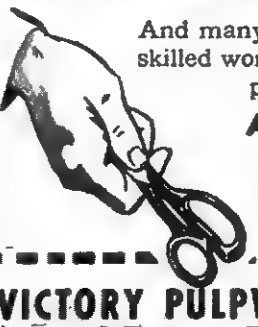
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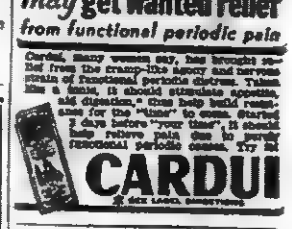
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With
Lee Patrick—Jeff Donnell

Tuesday, November 20—Bargain Day
JAMES CRAIG—DONNA REED
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Something to remember when you say "Welcome Home!"

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What they've endured for the sake of hearing them is more than we like to dwell upon.

But those two words, "Welcome Home!" can become just an empty phrase if you forget, for one minute, your responsibility to the man you say them to . . . and to the several million men overseas who are still yearning to come home.

What we're talking about, of course, is your responsibility to continue buying Bonds—and holding on to the ones you already have.

Your purchase of Victory Bonds helps the man who's just come home, helps him in a very real way. For your money, in Victory Bonds, helps prevent inflation—and that, in turn, means security for him, and a better chance to get a job.

And remember this: It will cost plenty of money to maintain and supply our forces of occupation . . . to bring home the men whose period of service so richly entitles them to return . . . and to care for the sick and wounded in our Navy and Army hospitals.

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OBITUARY

George Washington Russell, son of Alfred K. and Mary Litton Russell, two prominent Virginia families, descendants of the Russell and Litton families in England's history, was born near Pennington Gap, Virginia, March 13, 1850.

After his marriage to Rebecca Zion in 1872, they lived at the place for many years known as the Catron home and were owners of the land on which much of Pennington Gap now stands. To this union four children were born. One son died in infancy and another, R. L., died in Los Angeles in 1928. Mrs. Russell died in 1884.

The L. and N. Railroad through this section of country brought many changes and after his marriage to M. Elizabeth Brown, in the early nineties, he purchased a farm near Jonesville where he lived nearly twenty-five years. During this period of his life he was not only one of Lee County's most progressive farmers, being one of the first to use diversified farming, but took a prominent part in civic and church affairs. He became a member of the Jonesville Baptist Church, during the pastorate of Chas. E. Stuart. Here he served as Deacon as long as he lived in the vicinity and was church treasurer for a number of years.

Under the leadership of Rev. Stuart, Lee Baptist Institute was founded early in 1900. Mr. Russell was one of the largest contributors to the financing of this institution and served as a Trustee during the entire existence of the school He was an initial promoter of the Lee County Fair and many years served as Superintendent of the horse department

He was a lover of the beautiful in nature, using only the best seed for his crops and owning the best livestock money could buy. Many times he attended the Blue Grass Fair at Lexington, Ky., and has the distinction of bringing the first purebred cattle to Lee County, having purchased them in Kentucky. All through the years he owned many fine animals. Among them were Regal, a fine Shorthorn, and Indicator and Black Diamond, gaited horses, which were winners of many blue ribbons.

In 1919 he disposed of the farm and returned to Pennington Gap where he lived quietly until his death October 22, 1945.

Few men have his privilege of living nearly a hundred years. Since his boyhood was during Civil War days, his opportunities for an education were very limited, but Mr. Russell had acquired, by reading, a use of the English language that was the envy of many college graduates. Until a short time before his death he recounted in an interesting manner stories of slaves, the Civil War and the Gay Nineties.

Mr. Russell was jovial and kind, loved young people and they admired him. When the children were home and much intertaining at home was in vogue he was truly a gracious host. Many strangers also, and less fortunate folk were given food and shelter under his roof.

Those who survive are his widow, also sons, E. H., of Jonesville; H. A., of Dayton, Ohio; K. G., of Chicago, Ill.; and daughters, Mrs. Ida Painter, Tazewell, Va.; Mrs. Ruby Myers, Greeneville, Tenn.; and Mrs. O. V. Cooper, Phoenix, Ariz.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 30th day of October, 1945.

H. E. Hyatt, Executor & c.,
. . . . . Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Kate Hall, et al, Defendant

The object of this suit is to recover purchase money debt due complainant by estate of Kemp Hall and to enforce vendor's lien against a 4 acre tract of land granted by J. A. G. Hyatt to Kemp Hall. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendants, Ola Fleenor, whose last known address was Buchanan, Mich., and Gladys Garrett, whose last known address was Loyall, Kentucky, are not residents of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that they appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect their interest in this suit

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendants at their last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia

TESTE
VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk.
By CHARLES N HAWS, D C
p. q. Geo. P. Cridlin
Adv No. 44-4t.

News From BENEDICT

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Birge and children, spent last week end with relatives at Harriman, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Blevins and family were visiting friends in Wise County last Sunday.

Mr. Simon Estep, of Calvin, was visiting relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Baltimore and children were guests of relatives at Keokee last week end.

Mrs. Charlie Catern, of Bonny Blue, was visiting relatives here Monday

Mrs. Frances McPherson and little daughter of St. Charles, were visiting her parents, Mr and Mrs. Dewey Estep, here Tuesday

Mr. Pearl Sturgill, of Jonesville, was the guest of relatives here Monday.

Ora Sturgill, S. 1-C, of the U. S. Navy, and Mrs. Sturgill and children, of Duffield, were visiting here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fortner and family were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Olen Johnson of Jonesville, last week end.

Mrs. Carnell Smith, of Jonesville, was a guest of relatives Wednesday.

Edward Bryson, of the U. S. Army, was visiting friends here Sunday

Miss Alma Sturgill and Miss Jeanette Weston were visiting in Monarch, Sunday.

Mrs. Irene Scarborough and little daughter, Gloria Jean, of Monach, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sturgill Saturday night.

Miss Inez Ewing was visiting friends at Stickleyville, Friday night and Saturday.

Clarence Lawson, recently discharged from the U. S. Navy, is now at home.

Rudolph Shuler

T-5 Rudolph Shuler, whose home is at Keokee, has been reported for a separation center quota, and is experted to be released from the armed service very soon.

Sgt. Shuler was inducted in service at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., and has been with the 841st Ordnance Depot Company since November, 1943. During his 34 months in service he has won the Good Conduct Medal, the European Theatre Ribbon and the American Theatre Ribbon, and wears four battle stars.

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Social and Personal

E. J. Hughes, S. 1-C, USN, had a few days' liberty last week, and spent 24 hours of the time with his mother, Mrs. Hazel Hughes, at Stickleyville.

Mrs. John R. Bailey, employee of Service Grocery, is a patient in Dr. Botts' Hospital at Norton, where she underwent a dental operation Wednesday morning.

Miss Nicks, Cara Nome Beauty Specialist will give Free Demonstration at our store all next week. Call us for your appointment.
PENNINGTON PHARMACY.

Mr. and Mrs. Lemar Brooks, of Kingsport, Tenn., visited Mrs. Brooks' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hyden, last week end.

Miss Boots Richards, a teacher in Pruden School, spent last week end with her father, Mr. W. T. Richards, and other relatives.

Jetta Rogers was in Bristol shopping last Thursday.

Don't fail to see "Where Do We Go From Here," coming to Lee Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, November 26—27.

Seaman Eugene Corbin returned to duty Tuesday, after a 30-day leave with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tipton and daughter, Virginia, Mrs. Kate Hall and Miss Mary Louise Smith went to Knoxville last Thursday.

Richard Payne Napier (Coxswain) who is stationed at U. S. Naval Base, Earle, N. J., was the week end guest of Jenelle Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hinkle are happy to have their son, George Louie at home after many months in the South Pacific Theatre of War.

Attend wedding

Dr. and Mrs. C. B Hines attended the wedding of Dr. Hines' sister, Margaret Page Hines, to Wm. T. Kemp, at Bristol, Friday, November 9. The wedding took place at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. G. W. Hines, 617 Piedmont Ave., Bristol.

Another brother of the bride, Captain Herman H. Hines, M. D., was formerly employed as practicing physician for Benedict Coal Corporation.

Class social

Mrs. Cam J. Lewis and Mrs. Marie Smyth were joint hostesses Tuesday evening to the Ladies' Bible Class and teacher, W. H. Creech, including some specially invited guests. A devotional program was given, which was followed by a recreational program and refreshments, all carrying out the Thanksgiving motif.

Don't fail to see "Where Do We Go From Here," coming to Lee Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, November 26—27.

Homeward bound

C. W. Adams, S. 1-C, sailed from Guam on the fifth of November, on the USS "LEWIS," DE 535, and is steering his course toward home. He expects to arrive around the 21st or 25th of November, and to be here for the Christmas season.

C. W. is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Adams, Sr.

Cara Nome Beauty Week, November 19 to 24. Miss Nicks is a specialist on care of the complexion. Be sure to get your appointment.
PENNINGTON PHARMACY.

The family of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Kelly, long separated by far distances, have been home on visits recently. They are: Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kelly, of Alexandria, Va., still here. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kelly and two children, of Amonate, Va., and Cpl. Ben Pierce Kelly here on short furlough visit from Salina, Kan. Ben returned to duty Tuesday morning.

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ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

BECKY ANN FRY

Mr and Mrs. C. B. Fry of Pennington Gap, announce the engagement of their daughter, Becky Ann Fry, to Capt. Carl A. Arnold, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Arnold, of Pennington Gap. Date for the wedding has not been set.

Miss Fry, a graduate of Pennington Gap High School, has been employed at Oak Ridge, Tenn., for some time, preceding which she worked in Johnson City, Tenn., several months.

Captain Arnold, recently returned to the States from the European Theatre of Operations, is now stationed at Fort McClellan, Ala.

Capt. Herman H Hines was visiting his brother, Carl B and Mrs. Hines Saturday.

Laningham back home

After a long period of confinement to hospitals, J E. (Jim) Laningham is back at his home here

Mr Laningham spent several weeks in the Tucker Hospital at Richmond, followed by another stay of seven days in the University Hospital at Charlottesville

Although not entirely well, his condition is reported improved, and above all his friends are mighty glad to know he is back home

Will Be Bridesmaid At Friend's Wedding

Mrs Betty R Laningham, daughter of Mr and Mrs R. L Rosenbaum of Jonesville, Virginia, went to Radford, Virginia, today to be a bridesmaid at the wedding of Miss Elizabeth de Lancey Gilbert, daughter of Mr and Mrs. William E. Gilbert of Radford College, Radford, Virginia, and Lt James Duncan Kinnaird, U. S. Naval Reserve, lately of the European War Theater

The wedding will be on Saturday, November 17th at 8 00 p m, in the Tyler Memorial Presbyterian Church in Radford Several former school friends of Mrs Laningham, including Miss Roberta Ingles, Mrs Lester Books, and Miss Jane Kelly Grant, will entertain with teas and dinners for Miss Gilbert and her attendant preceding the wedding.

Mr and Mrs E J Laningham and daughter, Pauline, and little grandson, Sonny, of Baltimore, are visiting this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs Sam Gilbert

Attend Scout meeting

Claude Grace, E S Vaughan and Leonard Hays attended a week-end Training Course at Camp Arrow Head, for Scout Masters and Committeemen, near Pikeville, Ky

Mrs Noah J. Newman, of Philadelphia, Pa, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary P Kelly and other relatives here this week

Vernon Pellman and Wilbert Tueting, of Cincinnati, spent the week end here and took back with them Mrs Mary Adams Tueting and infant daughter, Mary Jane The baby was christened at the morning service, Methodist Church

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Anthony, Jr., of Pittsburg, Pa., announce the birth of a son, Michael Harlan, on November 7. Mrs. Anthony will be remembered by friends as Miss Thelma Cooper, formerly of Pennington Gap.

G. W. Young and family, of Knoxville, were here over the week end visiting with his mother, Mrs. G. W. Young, and his sister, Margueritte.

Mrs. Christine Bowman came up from Knoxville this week end to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Adams and family.

Misses Irene Williams and Marcellene Laws, nurses at Harlan Hospital, Harlan, Ky., were visiting here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Orben Orr, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., announce the birth of a son, Orben Lee.

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TOWN TALK

About This, That, And The Other

"The future is a world limited by ourselves. In it we discover only what concerns us, and sometimes, by chance, what interests those whom we love the most."
Maeterlinck.

Visit from old-timer

J. M. Howard, of Loyall, Kentucky, while visiting here last week with his niece, Mrs. Bradley Litton, dropped in our office to talk a bit about his early recollections of the town.

Mr. Howard said he was born in Pennington Gap in 1880, in a log house on the site where Mrs. Elizabeth Noel's house now stands. He said the family's closest neighbors and friends were the late G. W. Russell, the John M. Burke family and Mrs. Mary P. (Grandma) Kelly.

Mr. Howard's brother-in-law, the late J. F. Skaggs, was the leading property owner here at the time, and owned the only store in the community. He said the town was incorporated about the year 1892, and that the late George Sprinkle and Charlie Blackburn were the first two policemen

Home on honorable discharge

John F. Farley, who makes his home at Hotel Pennington, has been honorably discharged from the U S Army Service This is facts, not fiction

Mr. Farley, who is a native of Harlan, Kentucky, states that he enlisted in the regular army on the 3rd day of November, 1892, at the age of 21 years and six months. He fought in the Indian War, and after a five-year service was given honorable discharge at Ft. D. A. Russell, Wyoming, on the 2nd day of November, 1897.

Mr. Farley re-enlisted in the Army at Ft. Keo, Indiana, on January 20, 1898, and again it fell to his lot to help guide our country through a war. He fought through the Spanish-American War, was in heavy combat at Santiago, De Cuba, and again received honorable discharge, with the rank of Corporal, in 1901.

Mr. Farley is a retired farmer.

Chicken thieves

About the lowest speciman of humanity that exist, chicken thieves, have been molesting flocks in our community, according to reports. Mrs. Rhea Hyden, of Woodway, is reported to have lost from 40 to 50 fine Rhode Island Red fryers, and Mrs. Cam J. Lewis says she had about half a dozen nice hens taken

"Just waitin' to go"

A few days ago an aged gentleman came in the PVN office and asked if we would copy the words of a song for him. The title of the song was "Just Wait in' To Go"

It echoed the sentiment of a person "Growin' old and slow Nothin' to live for--just waitin' to go--" etc

Well, after all, that sums up life's philosophy all right, for both old and young. The greatest and the least thing we can do with life is to live it as best we can, then wait our turn "to go."

Horse Fall Killed B. Stone Gap Pastor

Rev. L. M. Hopkins, of Big Stone Gap, pastor of the Baptist Churches at Oreton and Jasper, Va., died at his home Sunday, Nov. 18, from injuries incurred on Oct. 23, when a horse he had just bought fell on him.

Rev. Hopkins had quite a few relatives in Lee County. Among them two brothers, Taylor and Bill Hopkins, of Blackwater, and a sister, Mrs. Ada Livesay, also of Blackwater

Roll Call Service At First Baptist Church

Rev. P. R. Stubbs, Pastor of the First Baptist Church, announces that Sunday, November 25, will be observed as "Loyalty Sunday" at his church.

A special roll call service will be held at the morning hour, and every member is urged to be present to answer to their name as the roll is called.

H S Basketball Loop Opens Season Next Fri.

Republican Nominating Convention Set For Feb. 16th In Bristol

The Republican Executive Committee of the Ninth Congressional District in a meeting held at Bristol Saturday, November 17, decided on February 16, 1946, in Bristol, as the time and place for a Congressional Nominating Convention, and also decided to employ a full-time Executive Secretary.

Robert H. Woods, of Pearisburg, Committee Chairman, was empowered to appoint a committee of five members with power to name the first full-time Secretary for the Republican Party of the Ninth District, decide what his duties shall be and select his headquarters. Mr Woods said that a committee to arrange for the Nominating Convention, with the program to include a speaker of prominence from outside the District, would be appointed within the next 30 days

Mrs. M. S. Martin, of Jonesville, was among the speakers at the meeting in Bristol

Navy Enlistees Given Option On Service

Chief John Baden, Officer in Charge of the Bristol U. S. Navy Recruiting Station, announced today that men now volunteering for service in the Regular Navy will have the option of selecting either two, three, four or six year terms of enlistment Regular Navy term of service previously has been four years.

Men volunteering for a first enlistment or reenlistment in the Regular Navy are now given an option on the length of time they wish to serve. Applicants 17 years of age may now be enlisted for two years, three years, or not to exceed minority. Men enlisting for minority are automatically discharged when they reach the age of 21.

Applicants in the age group 18 to 30 inclusive may now be enlisted for either two, three, four or six years. The Navy also announced that men over 30 will be eligible for enlistment in the Regular Navy if their total previous military or naval service or active service in the Naval Reserve deducted from their present age place them in the 18-30 group

Offering men the option of electing two, three, four or six year terms of service is expected to accelerate still further the current brisk rate of voluntary enlistments in the Regular Navy

Apart from USNR, the Regular Navy's need is estimated at 24,000 a month for the next ten months

"The Navy offers training in 50 skilled trades", Chief Baden said, "and with the added benefits of this new legislation the advantages of an enlistment in the Navy should command the attention of every wide awake young man of today."

D H. Rhoades, Yeoman 2-C., Traveling Recruiter, will be at the Courthouse in Jonesville every Monday morning, and at Collier Furniture Store in Pennington Gap, every Monday afternoon. For further information please contact the Traveling Recruiter at either of the above mentioned places.

New Books For P. H. S. And County Libraries

Pennington High School Library and the County Library have recently been improved by the addition of a new collection of books. They began arriving during National Education Week, November 11-16, and are now practically ready for circulation.

These books include some of the most outstanding works of literature, covering practically every subject suited to the reading and study of young people, as well as older.

These two libraries have improved and developed by leaps and bounds within the last few years, and have become assets for which not only the school, but the public are justly proud.

Miss Julia Slemp is Libtarian of Pennington High School Library, Mrs. Ruth Shelburne Keith of the County Library.

St. Chas., Pennington Win Exhibition Tilts

The Lee County Conference basketball season will open next Friday, November 30th, with all teams in full swing. The 1945-46 slate is expected to attract a far larger attendance than did the record breaking season of last year.

All eight of Lee's High Schools will play double bills in all schedules, the girls game preceding the boys games in usual form.

In order to speed up the basketball season so that all schools may play baseball next spring, the schedules have been moved up a month, which requires two schedules a week before Christmas, instead of one to shorten the season and still get in the required 14 games, which permits all schools to visit on the opponent's court.

Trophies will be given the top winners at the end of the season. The Powell Valley News will award a beautiful silver trophy to the top girls' team and the Lee Block Co., of Pennington Gap, will award a silver trophy to the top boys' team. Heretofore, winning top slot at the end of the season meant nothing This season the presentation of the trophies with names of players inscribed thereon, will add considerable prestige

The opening Conference schedule on Nov 30, is as follows. Jonesville at Dryden, Thomas Walker at St Charles Blackwater at Flatwood, and Keokee at Pennington Gap

St Charles High School played the fast Sneedville, Tennessee boys' and girls' teams at St. Charles, Monday night, with the lads and lassies from the coal fields trampling the visitors from the farm country in both contests

Theda Parsons, noted St. Charles forward on the girls' team resumed her starring role as she looped 40 points in portions of three quarters of play Miss Parsons was the scoring queen of the county and the southwestern section of Virginia last year by looping 280 points in 14 conference games. This season, she already has 90 points in three games for an average of 30 per game. "Salty" Foster, visiting coach from Pennington Gap, said there was only one defense for Miss Parsons, and that was, "Not to ever let her get hold of the ball" else it was gone for 2 points.

The St Charles girls defeated the Sneedville lassies 55 to 25 with Parsons looping 40 points to lead St. Charles, with Willis following with 10 Setsor led for Sneedville with 12 points, followed by Cody with 7.

The St. Charles boys won 36 to 21 with Boone leading the St Charles scoring with 13 points, Jarvis and Cody led the visitors with 6 each

Foster's Pennington High Quintet defeated Appalachia High School's members of the Wise Conference 42 to 18, at Pennington gym, Tuesday night

Victory Loan Message

By Dr Francis P Gaines

The Victory Loan offers Virginians an opportunity to express their gratitude for the many blessings which the end of the War and the new era of peace have brought to America, Dr. Francis P. Gaines, Chairman War Finance Committee for Virginia, declared in a Thanksgiving Day Victory Loan message.

"There has never been a Thanksgiving Day in American History when Americans had more for which to be thankful than Thanksgiving Day, 1945," Dr. Gaines stated.

"We are thankful that the War is over, that the killing has at last stopped and there will be no more of our young men and women exposed to the wounds of War. We are grateful that throughout the entire struggle, America escaped the bombing and other horrors which unfortunately befell other nations.

"Despite the many different problems still to be solved, we are encouraged as never before that we are making progress toward a just and lasting peace.

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Lee Co. Izaak Walton League Growing Fast

Interest in the newly formed Lee County Chapter of the Izaak Walton League is mounting daily, and many new members are joining. Sportsmen and all those interested in game and fish conservation in our county have expressed the opinion that the formation of the Chapter has been a step badly needed here for some time and are giving it their active support

Thursday, November 8th, Ernest T. Barker, of Bonny Blue, President of the Chapter, spoke to the Pennington Gap Lions Club. He told them of the Chapter's objectives and how through cooperation among all sportsmen, farmers and residents, Lee County can in time take it's rightful place in being the best fish and game county in the State. The Lions Club heartily agreed to support this movement to the limit.

A meeting of the Chapter has been called on Monday, December 3rd, at 7:30 p. m., at the Pennington Gap High School. Plans for charter night and the election of permanent officers will be discussed.

The following are members of the Chapter at this time

L. G. Cress, F M. Sturgill, M. E. Flanary, C. Richard Pate, J T. Watson, Dr. C. H. Henderson, Robert E. Beeler, Jr., M H. VanDeventer, Dillard Ball, Dr. Charles C Carr, Sam C. Blackwell, A. J. Stacy, Claude M. Grace, W R Fletcher, Dr G. B. Setzler, Allan Jones, F N Gibson, Dan V Richmond, Claude E Redwine, O M Hyatt, M. H. Robbins, T B Fugate, Will Copeland, Wheeler Kesterson, W. A Miracle

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Three In Hospital From Minor Injuries

The following patients were admitted to Lee General Hospital recently suffering injuries from minor accidents: Berry Harvel, 66, of Wallens Creek, slipped on a rock and broke his right hip Johnnie McPherson, of Benedict, incurred a broken ankle by a piece of falling slate in a coal mine.

Roman Jones, also of Benedict, is being treated for an eye infection caused by a piece of cinder.

Free Show For Victory Bond Purchasers At Lee, Keithley Theatres

Perle Stewart, manager of of Lee Theatre at Pennington Gap, and Keithley Theatre at Jonesville, announced today that any Victory Bond purchaser between now and December 7 will be admitted free to the Friday, December 7th shows at either of the above theatres, on presenting receipt at the ticket office showing purchase of Bonds Receipt showing purchase of Bond to be obtained from Bond issuing agent

Oscar P. Orr, who is working on his Master's Degree at the University of Tennessee, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Orr, during the past week end

Cridlin Disposes Of Heavy Docket Monday

Trial Justice George P. Cridlin spent a busy morning in the Court room at Jonesville, Monday, November 19, disposing of his heavy docket of misdemeanor cases. Most of them involved violations of the ABC Board regarding the sale of alcoholic beverages. In each case A. L. Fulcher and other ABC agents were principal witnesses.

One man and woman were tried jointly on a charge of posing alcoholic beverages and fire arms. This case was waived to the Grand Jury. One case was against a taxi driver charged with transporting beverages, and several for illegal selling. In the latter eight persons were found guilty and each given sixty days in jail and $50.00 fine. Two of these were women. All appealed their case, Commonwealth's Attorney R. B. Ely, said.

Four men from Ben Hur were thied jointly on a charge of possessing illegal whiskey. The evidence was insufficient to convict them and the case was dismissed.

Two young women of Rose Hill were tried on a charge of assault. Each confessed to considerable "hair pulling," and after some sound council, and reprimands for their bringing themselves and families into such unwonted publicity, Judge Cridlin dismissed the case with the promise that upon further provocation on the part of either he would place them under a peace bond.

Other cases involving ABC violations will be tried next Monday, Attorney Ely said.

Lee County District BSA To Hold Annual Dinner Meeting November 29

P. Gap Lions Club Will Meet With The Scouters

The annual Dinner Meeting of the Lee County District, Lonesome Pine Council, Boy Scouts of America, will be held Thursday, November 29, at 7:00 p. m., at the Methodist Church, Pennington Gap, as announced by District Chairman Sam C. Blackwell.

An excellent program has been arranged for this meeting. The local Boy Scout Troop and Cub Pack will have part in the program. All citizens of the County interested in Scouting, are urged to attend and bring their wives, that they may enjoy the Scouting fellowship with them on this occasion.

Scouting is going ahead in Lee County, and Chairman Blackwell urges that we keep it that way. We can do this by being good Scouters and enjoying the Scouting fellowship

The Pennington Gap Lions Club, sponsor of the local troop, have changed their regular meeting night from Thursday, November 22, to Thursday, November 29, and will hold their regular meeting with the Lee County District Scouters as a part of the program

Notices have already gone out to the Scouters of the District and to members of the Pennington Gap Lions Club announcing the meeting It is urged that the postal cards enclosed with the announcements of the meeting be returned to Rev Perry R. Stubbs, chairman of the arrangement committee, advising whether or not you will attend the meeting and the number of guests you will bring with you.

This is very necessary in order that the local Cub mothers who will serve the dinner may know in advance the number of guests that expect to attend.

Ex-Soldier Drowned In Powell River, Sat.

Paul S. Boggs Had Good Army Service Record

After an all night search the body of Paul S. Boggs, 27, was recovered from Powell River, near his home at Olinger, Sunday afternoon about five o'clock

According to reports, Boggs had bought some groceries at the Service Grocery here last Saturday evening, and started back home with some men in a truck. He got out of the truck, it is said, near the place where he was to cross the river in a boat. When he failed to come home the family became alarmed and started search. His body was found in the river near where the boat was.

Boggs had recently been discharged from the U S. Army, with the rank of Pfc., after a service of about four years. He was a member of the gun crewmen, Coast Artillery, and held several medals, it is said.

Burial was held Tuesday in the Crawford Cemetery at Olinger. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Virginia Burton Boggs, some step children and his parents.

4-H'ers Send Gilbert, Wilder To Chicago

Good Luck Reported By Returning Hunters

Approximattely 100 Lee Countians who took off a few days ago to the hunting areas in Bath and Bedford Counties, are returning, a few at a time. Many report the good luck of bagging the one deer allotted each hunter by the State game law.

Earl Smyth, who was among one of the first groups to leave, didn't get his deer as in his hunt of last year and the year before, but left this for his brother-in law, Claude Redwine, while he compromised with a nice sized black bear. A Mr. Hobbe from Ben Hur, did his hunting closer home, it is said, and bagged a deer on High Knob.

R. S. Banner, of Jonesville, brought down a fine buck Saturday morning, and that afternoon M. E. Flanary, member of the same hunting group, followed suit, his victim being an 8 point buck. Bill Miracle, with the St. Charles group, killed an 8 pointer, as did Rhea Hayes and Ralph Lambert, of Woodway, it is reported.

This is by no means complete returns, but enough to let the folk know that the "boys" have been having good times and good luck, and by next week we hope to have a report of the whole shootin' bunch.

St. Charles Soldier Is Awarded Purple Heart

Cpl. Richard Ridings, of St. Charles, was awarded the Purple Heart Medal Wednesday afternoon, November 14, at a formal ceremony on the parade grounds of Borden General Hospital, Chicasha, Oklahoma, for wounds received in action against the enemy in March, 1945, while serving with the "Middle West" Infantry Division.

The award was made by Col. E. R. Gentry, Commanding Officer of Borden General Hospital, where Cpl. Ridings is undergoing medical treatment. His wife, Nell, resides at St. Charles.

Proclamation

GRAND LODGE, A.F. & A.M.
Of Virginia

With praise on his lips, and with gratitude in his heart, let each member of the Craft in Virginia give thanks to Almighty God, our Supreme Grand Master, for the long-prayed-for end of "wild War's desolation," and the return of Peace

For many of our brethern and their families there will not soon be an end of the heart-ache and sorrow which this last War (we earnestly pray it will be the last) has brought in it's train. Yet, we have suffered the least of the Nations engaged in the conflict. True, our lives have been disrupted, our businesses have been dislocated, and in many instances our home ties have been severed; but our fair countryside, and our cities great and small, have escaped the devastations of mechanized Warfare which have all but wrecked for all time the achievements of centuries of toil and sacrifice. How humble and grateful we should be!

I DO NOW, Therefore, as Grand Master of Masons in Virginia, hereby direct the members of all Masonic Lodges in Virginia to assemble in their respective Lodge rooms, or in other suitable places, as they desire, during the week ending Thanksgiving Day, Thursday, November 22, 1945, for the purpose of returning thanks to God for Victory and Peace. Lodges may hold joint meetings if they desire. These meetings may be open to the public.

Other bodies in any way associated with Masonry may be invited to attend.

Given under my hand and Seal, this, the 30th day of October, A. D. 1945, A. L. 5945.

Earl C. Laningham,
Grand Master

Members of Miles Lodge No. 165 will meet for worship at the Methodist Church Thursday morning, November 22, at 10:30, in a union service.

Rev. Perry R. Stubbs will be the principal speaker.

Forty Awards Presented Saturday On Program

Forty energetic boys and girls from "down on the farm" throughout Lee County's agricultural and live stock belt are very much overjoyed today with having become prize winners of 1945 in the final contests of the Lee County 4-H Club.

A large number of the winners were recipients of cash awards, others received gold and silver medals, while certificates of merit were also awarded.

Most of all however, were the two grand prizes included among the forty. A free trip to the Chicago National 4-H Club Convention which convenes December 1, was awarded the top 4-H winners. The trip to Chicago and all the twenty cash awards were presented by Mr. A. S. Pennington, in behalf of Collier Furniture Corporation, of Pennington Gap, Appalachia and Neon, Ky., of which he is General Manager.

Winners of the trip to Chicago were Mack Gilbert, 20, of Elk Knob, and Miss Opal Wilder, 16, of Flatwood. Mr. Gilbert also was top winner in the cash award in the hybrid corn contest. This prize, however, was awarded to Bobby Baker, of Blackwater, since Gilbert was winner of the major prize

Miss Wilder was third cash winner in the pig project, but likewise gave away to Paul Rouse of Flatwood, for the same reason.

In the home beautification contest, Miss Onalee Marcum of Rose Hill was awarded a gold medal. Owen Hall of Elk Knob, received a gold medal for tops in the field crops contest. Jim Tom Wheeler of Ewing, received the gold medal for first prize in the meat animal contest. In the dairy product contest, Kenneth Long of Rose Hill won the gold medal and Dick Hyatt of Flatwood, won the silver medal.

Top contest cash award winners in the pig breeding project was David Fletcher of Stickleyville; Hybrid corn, Mack Gilbert, award going to Bobby Baker of Blackwater; Garden project, Margaret Ann Sumpter, Rose Hill; Poultry, Mary K. Panley, Rose Hill.

The interesting part of the 1945 achievement day contests was the fact that the girls almost surpassed the boys in top farm production. Many top prizes went to girl winners.

The Lee 4-H Club is under the supervision of County Agent R. C. Carter. It's staff of officers are: David Fletcher, Stickleyville, President; Clara Rasnic, Stickleyville, Vice-president; Opal Wilder, Flatwood, Secretary Treasurer; Mack Gilbert, Elk Knob, Reporter; and Morris F Fannon, Club Agent

Personal interviews of Lee County's two winners who will represent the extreme portion of Southwest Virginia in Chicago, next week, reveal indications of two very worthy and experienced young people.

Opal Wilder is a senior at Flatwood High School, is sweet sixteen and has been deeply engaged in 4-H work since she was twelve; was a member of the Burton 4-H Club of Kentucky for a year. She is present Secretary and Treasurer of the Lee 4-H Club and has perfected nine projects since becoming a member.

Mack Gilbert, a graduate of Pennington High School, started in 4-H work ten years ago. Has been president, reporter and noted leader of the Club. Attended short 4-H farm courses for four years at V. P. I., served on the county judging team for four years and was top judge in the State in 1940.

St. Charles Dramatic Club Presents Comedy

The St. Charles Dramatics Club will present "PECK'S BAD BOY," a three act comedy, in the High School auditorium, Thursday, November 29, 7:30 p. m., E. S. T. Admission: Students, 25 cents; adults, 40 cents.

Mrs. Elizabeth Noel spent last week in Middlesboro with her daughter, Mrs. Guy Sasong.

Copy Of Late Book Sent Supt. Shelburne

S. J. Shelburne, of Pennington Gap, and superintendent of schools for Lee County, has announced the receipt of a copy of Hildegarde Hawthorne's latest book for children "Give Me Liberty" based upon the life and achievements of Patrick Henry.

The volume, by the well known author of historical stories for young Americans and a granddaughter of the beloved New England novelist, Nathaniel Hawthorne, is a gift from the Patrick Henry Memorial Foundation through James S. Easley, president of the organization. The Foundation is creating a national memorial and shrine to the memory of the Virginian who kindled the fires of the American Revolution with his famous Stamp Act resolutions and speech supporting them, and by his speech at the Richmond convention in 1775 which ended with the immortal phrase, a portion of which Miss Hawthorne has chosen as the title of her book.

When transmitting the volume to Mr. Shelburne, Mr. Easley wrote in part as follows: "I trust that it will prove of value to you in the school work in your county. The Foundation also hopes that you will use your influence with the local school board to get one of your future school buildings named in honor of the great Virginian. There has been no memorial to Henry in Virginia and his outstanding place in American history has been little emphasized in the past. The Foundation hopes that it can bring about a realization of Henry's place in history and that you will aid us in this effort."

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Hunter's Fires

State Forester Urges Sportsmen To Observe Fire Prevention Rules

Calling on hunters to be most careful not to start forest fires this fall, State Forester, George W. Dean, said, "A hazardous fire situation exists and there is danger that many forest fires will occur unless hunters watch their smokes and warming fires."

Mr. Dean said it appeared that ammunition would be plentiful and many more people would be hunting than during the war. This steps up the human fire risk when hazardous fire conditions exist in the woods. "The woods are drying out rapidly," he stated, "and the ground is covered with leaves and dead grass."

The State Forester urges smokers to break or pinch the match to be sure it's out; to crush out the cigarette; to dump pipe ashes in damp earth and step on them; to use the ash tray in the car, rather than throw lighted matches and cigarettes out of the car windows. It's the mark of a good woodsman to stop to smoke in safe places.

Those who use camp or warming fires are requested to observe these rules: Before building fire, clear a wide space, free from grass, leaves and all other inflammable material. Before leaving fire, drown with water or cover with dirt.

Mr. Dean said that many Friends of Wildlife had volunteered to assist in the campaign to Prevent Wildfire and Protect Wildlife, and that more hunters seem to realize that fire destroys the nests and eggs of game birds, kill young birds and game animals and destroy food and shelter essential to wildlife.

The Japs may be converted, but they act like sinners who will backslide when the evangelist leaves town.

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Phoeba Cridlin Archer.... Complainant

vs. Order of Publication

Ralph W. Archer .. Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a Divorce a Mensa et thoro on grounds of desertion. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Ralph W. Archer, is nonresident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address was In Care of General Delivery, Cumberland, Maryland, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:

VESTA E SEWELL Clerk

By Louise McNeer D. C.

p. q. Guy A. Kauffman

Adv. Nov. 15 4t

First Baptist Church

Sunday morning, November 25: Sunday School at 9:30, A. T. Burchette, Superintendent.

Morning worship at 10:45. Roll Call service, followed by sermon by the pastor. Topic, "The Stewardship Of The Gospel."

Evening: Training Unions meet at 6:30.

Evening worship at 7:30. Sermon topic, "What The Holy Spirit Gives."

Midweek prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

P. R. Stubbs, Pastor.

Methodist Church

Sunday morning, November 25: Church School at 9:30, Clyde L. Kirk, Superintendent. Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon topic, "Living Realities."

Special music.

Evening: Youth Fellowship Groups meet at 6:15. Evening worship at 7:00 o'clock. Sermon topic, "Knock."

Monday evening, at 7:00 o'clock the Youth Council will meet at the parsonage.

Midweek prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

Charlie D. Mehaffey, Pastor.

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Engagement announced

Mr. and Mrs. McKinley Lewis announce the engagement of their daughter, Shirley, to Woodrow Harless, of the U. S. Navy.

The groom-to-be expects his discharge soon. The couple will be married Christmas Eve.

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News From MILLER'S CHAPEL

Week of November 15

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Allen Sunday were Mrs. R. C. Terry and children, Carson, Peggy and Brinda Lucille Sexton, Sally Bea Johnson, Zulla Bernice and Reeda Crusenberry.

A. J. Crusenberry has received his discharge from the U. S. Army.

Rev. Bill Blevins, of Benedict, filled his regular appointment at the Plain View Baptist Church here Sunday.

Curtis Witt, of Benedict, was visiting here last week with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Sexton. He has just received a discharge from the Army after serving 23 years in the European Countries.

Born to Seaman and Mrs. Ellis Van Nastrand, on Nov. 3, at Lee General Hospital, a daughter to whom has been given the name Carolyn Sue. Mrs. Van Nastrand was formerly Alice Marie Terry. Seaman Van Nastrand is serving with the U. S. Navy in the South Pacific.

F. S. Garrett continues ill at his home here.

Mrs. M. B. Johnson, of Ben Hur, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chaffman and daughter, of Bristol, are making their home here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Terry.

Miss Ruth Moore, of Alabama, spent a few days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Fannon, also her three brothers, Lloyd, Oren and Bruce, who have just received a discharge from the Army.

Bruce Fannon, who has been discharged after a six year' service, spent the last two weeks visiting friends near Nashville, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ely moved to their new home in Kentucky last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Rogers spent a few days with relatives on Stone Creek last week.

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Keokee High School

Alberta Roberts, Reporter

The pupils of Keokee High School assembled together Friday, November 9, for their second meeting of the Students' Cooperative Association.

The house was called to order by the President, James Hensley, Jr. The Secretary read the minutes of the last meeting.

The following program was given.

Biblical Alphabet, Betty Lark; Prayer, Leslie Nichols; Song, "Old Folks At Home," led by Beulah Estep; Reading, Lorraine Robbins; Poem, Ellen Ruth Barker.

Mock Faculty: Miss Kilgore, Virginia Mason; Miss Rutherford, Tootsie Morris; Miss Bailey, Faye King; Miss Clarkson, Vilma Clark; Miss Howard, Betty Lark; Miss Burton, Sue Legge; Mrs. Wolfe, Reita Bush; Miss Jones, Betty Rutherford; Miss Bledsoe, Wilma Ruth Bailey; Miss Sorah, Leslie Nichols; Mr. Wolfe, Jerry Stewart.

Disease and Cures, James Nichols; and Betty Lou Sheperd; Story, Wayne Smith; Jokes, Darriell Moore; Song, "America the Beautiful," led by Beulah Estep; Talk, Mr. Wolfe.

SCHOOL NEWS:

The Basketball girls played a game with the Champions of '44-45, Thursday night, November 8th, with Coach Howard playing with the Champs. The School took the game by a score of 34-39.

The boys played the "outsiders" and won the game by a score of 42-10. We are looking forward to having a fair ball club this year. The basketball girls elected Geneva Stewart and Anna Lee Shuler as score and time keepers.

The School elected Cheerleaders last week whom they hope will do their part.

They are Shirley Brown and Virginia Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben S. Richmond, of Jonesville, announce the birth of a son, to whom has been given the name Samuel.

A Spooky Welcome

By Mrs. G. W. Ball

Of all the funny sights I ever saw
in my life
Was a crazy gentleman spook
and his wife
Spooks and goblins never knock
any more,
But walk right in at one's front
door.

"Would you care for an apple?"
one might ask,
They'll stuff their pockets but
won't unmask.
"Get them to talk did you
ask?—Oh, no no—
They'll bow their thanks and
away they'll go.

They'll get their money's worth
and more
When they bounce right in at
another's front door;
You may bet they're having
the time of their life—
This crazy gentleman spook and
his wife

Now dear old spooks, in all good
cheer,
We'll be watching for you to
—come next year!

Who of us wouldn't enjoy the innocent fun produced by a bunch of sport-loving youngsters at Hallowe'en? They have given us the best laugh of the season, and we're hoping to see another Hallowe'en just as fine

Former P. G. Girl To Wed

Sunday's issue of The Bristol Herald Courier announces the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Marion Ellison, of Abingdon, to Mr. Richard Porter Ham, of Pulaski, Va. The wedding will take place on December 15, at the Abingdon Methodist Church.

The bride elect is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles K. Ellison, Sr., of Abingdon. The family resided here several years ago. She is a niece of Mrs. Etta Green, of The PVN staff.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, Virginia, on the 7th day of November, 1945.

William J. Sweeney, Complainant
vs. Order of Publication ....
Peggy Franklin Sweeney ....Defendant

The object of the above styled suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on behalf of the complainant, William J. Sweeney, from the defendant, Peggy Franklin Sweeney, on grounds that the said defendant, subsequent to her marriage to the complainant, has been sentenced to confinement in a prison and penitentiary of the United States, cohabitation having not been resumed threafter. And it appearing by affidavit filed according to law that Peggy Franklin Sweeney, the above named defendant is not a resident of this State; it is, therefore ordered that the said Peggy Franklin Sweeney do appear within ten days after due publication of this order, in the Clerk's Office of our said Circuit Court, and do what is necessary to protect her interests. It is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a newspaper published in Lee County, Virginia; and it is further ordered that a copy hereof be posted at the front door of the courthouse in Lee County, Virginia, on or before the next succeeding rule day, and another copy hereof be mailed to the said defendant to the Post Office address given in the affidavit.

Teste:

VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk.

Robt. B. Ely, p. q.

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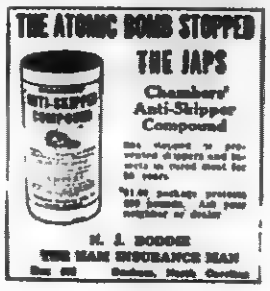

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Looking Backward

By E. E. Parsons

"Backward, turn backward, O time in your flight,
Make me a child again just for tonight."

Away back when I was only a boy, I remember well the first time I ever went to Sunday School. It was some three miles from home to the little log chapel where they carried on. I had often wondered what it was like to be at Sunday School. I had been told that Sunday School was a place where boys and girls met to have a good time, but was no place for the older people There was only a one church school in the entire neighborhood, and it was only a warm weather school. With winter it went into winter quarters, or hibernated during the winter months. It was customary then for this particular school to have one or more big days during the school season, or, rather what they called booster days, and it was on one of these occasions that I had the pleasure of attending my first Sunday School. When I arrived at the place that morning, I found the little cabin well filled, and a little man with a bushy beard was doing the talking. I crowded into the house and climbed onto an old-fashioned bench in the corner. From here I had a very good view of the whole situation. The audience was composed largely of older folks, men with gray whiskers, and women with bonnets and in calico dresses, and several babies, some of which were so loud at times you could hardly hear what the speaker was saying, but no matter, I was not interested anyway.

Some of those near me stared up at me with wide open eyes, and an old woman with a wrinkled face, pushed back her bonnet and said, "Honey, you come to Sunday School, too." There was a gentle kindness in her old face as she said it. I didn't know what to say in reply, so I nodded and smiled back at her as meaningful as I could.

Well, after some time the old man got through speaking and I followed the rest out into the yard in front of the little chapel. Presently things began to happen. The older men and women began to couple off in pairs and form in a line, then the youths, and last the children. Youths and we children with girls. I was not a party to the celebration, only a spectator, and stood a little aside watching the proceedings. when all at once, a man approached, and with a big hairy hand laid hold on me and said, "Come on, Buddy, git in there an' do your stuff, too." "Nope, not me," I said, "I don't belong to this business, anyway." But he insisted and said that he would bring me a partner in a minute, and bring me a partner he did.

I was terribly embarrassed and wanted to get away, but before I could hardly get my breath, here he come with the prettiest little girl, I thought I ever saw. I was really pannicky by this time, but he stood me right up beside her in line with the rest. She didn't seem to mind, and at a nice little time when nobody seemed to be looking, I glanced around at her, and I thought that she was as sweet as the violets of springtime and as fair as the lilies of the valley. It was like a song of joy in the morning. I was in a bad predicament, but now I didn't care much anyway. I stood there and sweated and squirmed, but in spite of it all I couldn't help liking the girl. She had such beautiful brown eyes and rosy cheeks, but she had big feet and wore yarn stockings. Every time she looked at me she smiled sweetly, and I couldn't keep from smiling back at her to save my life. I wanted to say something, but couldn't think of a thing to say, but it wasn't long until the monotony was broken. I was glad when a song rose from up near the head of the column, and I saw a large banner rise above the heads of the leaders and we all began to move along behind the banner.

A Sunday School parade was part of the program that day but I had never seen anything like it before. Neither of us had spoken till now, but when we started she looked up at me still smiling and said, "Gee, ain't this wonderful?" "Yes," I said weakly, "I believe it is, an' I'd like to march around the world like this." Then she laughed outright, and said something that I didn't understand. After that we talked and laughed and jested, and had a good time with the rest. Then after we had marched around for some time we had dinner on the lawn under the trees in front of the church.

Everybody was so kind and friendly they made you feel at home there. After we had eaten lunch, we children got together and played all kinds of little games while some of the older men whittled and chatted and laughed joyously. We had a swell time that day, but unfortunately I never learned the girl's name, and since then I have never seen the little maid with the big brown eyes and big feet, but wherever she may be, we hope no evil has befallen her.

I am glad I went to Sunday School that day. I have gone ever since and am still going. I like to go because I think, somehow it helps me to get over the rough places along the way

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Jackie Lynn Lewis, little son of Mr and Mrs. Neal Lewis, spent Sunday with his grandparents, Mr and Mrs. L. J Orr

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Several cases of whooping cough are reported in this community.

People in this community are busy butchering hogs, grading corn and grading tobacco.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Hobbs and daughter, Sarah Marie, of Jonesville; Rue Thomas and Jean Owens were visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hopkins Sunday

Mrs. Thomas, who has been confined to her home for some few years has not been feeling so well for the past few weeks.

Campbell Hopkins, of Jonesville, who has been on the sick list for a few weeks, is improving.

Billy and J. C. Hopkins were in Rose Hill Saturday.

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News From BLACKWATER

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Willis, of Kingsport, Tenn., are moving back to their former home on Blackwater.

James Bledsoe has returned to his job at Oak Ridge.

Mrs. Roy Richardson has returned home from a short visit with her sister, Mrs. K. J. Miller, of Kingsport, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Herms Couk and family spent the week end with Mrs. Couk's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hickam.

War correspondents are brave. They are the only people who will admit not taking a bath for two months.

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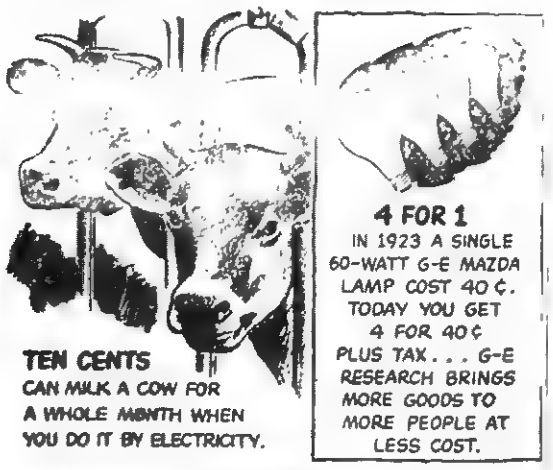

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In the name of the living—we thank Thee, Lord,
For deliverance from flame and sword;
For loved ones spared; for the task well done;
For the battle fought—and the victory won.

In the name of the dead—locked deep in sleep
Under alien earth—give us strength to keep
Untarnished their dear-bought legacy,
The brave, bright armor of liberty.

And for the unborn—Lord, we lift a prayer
For a wiser world where we all may share
A lasting amity with men.
We thank Thee, Lord, for peace. *Amen.*

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Victory Loan Message

Continued from page 1

"We express our gratitude that we are the victors and that we are thus able to maintain our Democratic Institutions, through which the blessings of liberty and freedom are available to even the humblest of our citizens.

"We are thankful that millions of our fighting men and women who have not yet been demobilized are on the way toward civilian life again and that industrial reconversion, through which job opportunities will be avail- to them and others, is progressing.

"We are grateful that America is still a land of relative abundance, with plenty of food and a sufficient quantity of most of the other necessities of life available, despite the heavy drains made on our resources by war.

"We express our thanks, too, that throughout the long hard and costly struggle, we were wise enough to avert inflation and as a result, our people have been able to preserve their material possessions, with many able to improve their economic positions.

"Because we are grateful this these and other things, we be- Thanksgiving Day, 1945, for that all Virginians will want a way through which they may tangibly express their gratitude for these blessings.

"The Victory Loan is in fact a loan of gratitude, for the proceeds from this drive, now in progress, will be used in the main to help our fighting forces who brought us the victory we now enjoy.

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Rev. J. C. Murcer, who has held a very successful revival at Smyth's Chapel, has taken over McClure's Circuit for the rest of the year, and will also preach at Smyth's Chapel every third Saturday night. Everyone is invited to come and hear him.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 21st day of November, 1945.

Commonwealth of Virginia, Complainant

vs. Order of Publication

Leslie Ledford, Defendant

The object of this suit is to condemn and sell Chevrolet automobile of said defendant, Motor Number M-84099 said defendant having unlawfully transported more than one gallon of alcoholic beverages in said automobile in said county. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Leslie Ledford, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address in Unknown, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

TESTE:

VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk.

By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D. C.

p. q. Robt. B. Ely.

Adv. No. 47-4t.

News From FRIENDSHIP

The Missionary Society gave Mrs. E. C. Knicely a surprise birthday party Friday afternoon on November 16th. The honoree was indeed surprised. She was busy in the kitchen washing, and did not know anyone was near until her front door opened and about twenty ladies began approaching her singing "Happy Birthday."

Some contests were enjoyed in which Mrs. Morris Snodgrass Mrs. Herman Quinley and Mrs. Walter Spangler were the prize winners.

A delightful refreshment was served by the members of the Missionary Society.

The honoree received many nice and useful gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. McClure visited his daughter, Mrs. Jimmy Shipe and family, of Greenville, last week.

Rev. E. C. Knicely, who has been ill for the past few days, is able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Gregory and daughter, Jean, of Bristol, spent Friday night with his sister, Mrs. Walter Spangler and family.

Pfc. Ralph Gibson, who has been overseas for the past 39 months, is at home now. He has his discharge.

Mrs. Gay Matlock and daughter have returned home after visiting her parents and other relatives in the Eastern part of the State, for the past two or three months. Mr. Matlock and his sister, Irene, accompanied her home.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 16 day of November, 1945.

John C. Holmes, ...Complainant

vs. Order of Publication

Orville Lee Mathews Holmes Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a Divorce a Vinculo Matrimonii. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Orville Lee Mathews Holmes is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address was c-o Union Station, Pennsylvania Railroad Company, Washington, D. C., it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper publihed at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:

VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk.

By: LOUISE McNIEL, D. C.

p. q. Guy A. Kauffman

Adv. No. 47-4t.

Order Of Publication

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, Virginia, on the 17th day of November, 1945.

Lilly Taylor Stapleton, Complainant

vs. Order of Publication

Clyde O. Stapleton . .. Defendant

The object of the above styled suit is to obtain a divorce on behalf of the complainant, Lilly Taylor Stapleton, from the defendant, Clyde O. Stapleton, upon grounds of cruelty and for voluntary desertion for more than two years of the said complainant by the defendant. And it appearing by affidavit filed according to law that Clyde O. Stapleton, the above named defendant, is not a resident of the State; it is therefore ordered that the said Clyde O. Stapleton do appear within ten days after due publication of this order, in the Clerk's Office of our said Circuit Court, and do what is necessary to protect his interests. And it is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a newspaper published in Lee County, Virginia. And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of said County on or before the next succeeding rule day, and another copy be mailed to said defendant, Clyde O. Stapleton, to the Post Office address given in the affidavit.

Attest:

LOUISE McNIEL, D. C.

Robt. B. Ely, p. q.

Adv. No. 47-4t.

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Discharged

Howard W. Moore, Fire Controlman, 3-C., USNR, has arrived home after receiving his honorable discharge from the Navy service. Moore has been in active duty for the past three years on board the USS HUNDSON, SS 475. His younger brother, Everette L. Moore, S. 2-C, is serving on the heavy cruiser USS QUINCY somewhere in the Pacific. They are sons of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Moore of Pennington Gap.

Awarded Purple Heart

Pfc. John M. Oaks, son of Mrs. J. M. Oaks, Ocoonita, Va., a supply clerk with the 321st Combat Engineer Battalion, was recently awarded the Purple Heart by Maj. Gen. J. L. Bradly, Commanding General of the 96th "Deadeye" Division, in a special award ceremony on Mindore Island. Oaks was wounded during the battle of Okinawa.

A veteran of the Leyte and Okinawa campaigns, Oaks has been overseas since July, 1944. He was stationed in the Hawaiian Islands a short time before participating in the original assault on the Philippines.

Pfc. Oaks' battalion was recently awarded the Meritorious Unit Service Plaque for outstanding service during the Leyte and Okinawa operations. Before entering the Army, Oaks was a miner for the Blackwood Fuel Company, Blackwood, Va.

Awarded Silver Star

T. Sgt. James E. McNiel, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. McNiel, Jonesville, RFD, has been awarded the Silver Star for gallantry in action in the U. S. Army. The citation reads:

"By direction of the President and under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, dated 22 September 1943, as amended, a Silver Star is awarded to Technical Sergeant James E. McNiel, 13018804, Company C, 61st Armored Infantry Battalion, United States Army, for gallantry in action at Weller, Germany, on 2 April, 1945.

When his platoon became disorganized as a result of enemy action, Technical Sergeant McNiel, platoon leader, although wounded, braved fierce hostile fire to reorganize his men and aggressively led them to disperse the enemy forces. His gallent achievement reflects great credit upon himself and the military forces of the United States. He entered the military service from Virginia."

Wm. W. Kelly

William W. Kelly, MAM 1-C, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Kelly of Pennington Gap, has spent a total of 37 months in the U. S. Navy service, with 30 months of sea duty in the Pacific area.

Capt. Jack W. Smith

Captain Jack W. Smith, of Pennington Gap, has been separated from the Army Air Forces at the San Antonio, Texas, District AAF Personel Distribution Command.

Captain Smith, a pilot, served as an instructor in the Central Flying Training Command.

Tony Goes Aboard U. S. S. Destroyer

Tony Young, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Young, is not quite ten years old, but has already found out what a U. S. Destroyer is like.

Tony went aboard the "ANKLER" at Norfolk recently while in company with his parents and grandmother visiting his uncle, MM. 2-C. W. R. Jordon, who is expecting his discharge within the next few days.

On the Destroyer "ANKLER", which has five Jap planes to her credit, Tony was much impressed with the depth charges, and wanted to know if they were empty. Of course they were not. The officers of the ship were very courteous in showing them about, Mr. Young said. They also visited the Navy Hospital, and state that the mothers need have no fear about their sons who are sick or wounded being well cared for; they are that and more, furnished with the very best recreation and environment, Mr. Young said.

The party rode the Chesapeake Ferry from Portsmouth to Norfolk and from Norfolk to Newport News, had supper at the Winston Cafe, one of the nicest eating places in Eastern Virginia.

Mr. Young was employed for ten years with the Blue Diamond Coal Co., and moved to Oak Ridge, Tenn., in June. His mother, Mrs. Jordon, lives at Woodway.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 13th day of November, 1945.

Lewis Chandler, et als, Complainants

vs. Order of Publication

Rufus Russell, et als, Defendants

The object of this suit is for partition of the real estate of Julia Chandler, deceased, in Lee County, Virginia, and to set aside deed made by Sam Russell to Rufus Russell, et als as to Julia Chandler's interest therein. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, James Russell, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address is Kingsport, Tennessee, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p. q. W. L. Davidson,
Adv No 46-4t.

News From HAGAN

Week of November 15

Mr. and Mrs. Gill Hensley and family spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Sanders Grabeel and family at Rose Hill.

Misses Mable, Dorothy and Irene Engle, of Hubbard Springs, were visiting their sister, Mrs. Jess Burgan and family, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Langley and Mr. and Mrs. Emory Langley spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Langley.

Mrs. Jack Ball and son, and Miss Martha Oaks, of Kingsport, Tenn., visited Mr. and Mrs. Allen Oaks and family last week.

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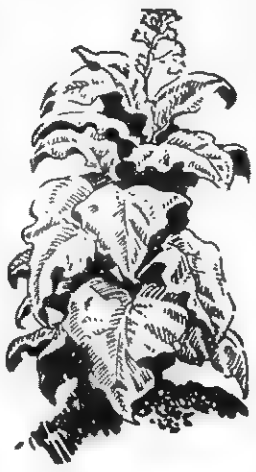

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Lee County Men Who Have Been Discharged From Armed Forces

We list below the names of Lee County men and women who have served in the armed forces in World War II, and who have now been honorably discharged from service. This list is furnished us each week from the two Selective Service Boards of the County, Board No. 1, located at Jonesville, and Board No. 2, located at Pennington Gap.

Bob A. Sutton, R. 1, Ewing; Clarence B. Fee, R. 2, Jonesville; Blaine H. Hall, R. 2, Orleans, Ind.; Ray Poore, Rose Hill; Robert L. Martin, R. 2, Rose Hill; Charlie N. Walton, Kingsport, Tenn.; Fred Livesay, Blackwater; Richard M. Johnson, R. 2, Jonesville; Gus F. Greer, Blackwater; Dolfus Wilson, R.1, Rose Hill; Clarence C. Parsons, Knoxville, Tenn.; Charles E. Doyle, Rose Hill; Everette S. McPherson, R. 1, Blackwater; Louis Speck, R. 4, Jonesville; Thomas A. Sword, Jonesville; Walter L. Pochodzay, R. 2, Jonesville; Otis C. Arnold, Gibson Station; Lawrence E. Hensley, R. 2, Jonesville; James R. Sulfridge, Ewing; Doyle Conner, Gibson Station; Oren Fannon, Jonesville; Harmon Daniel, Rose Hill; David D. Arnett, Rose Hill.

Wilburn Collins, R. 2, Rose Hill; Marion Pochodzay, New York, N. Y.; Ralph S. Hobbs, Norfolk; Andrew E. Edens, Springfield, Ohio; Grover M. James, R. 2, Jonesville; John O. Miles, Jonesville; William R. Richards, Jonesville; Roy S Conner, R. 1. Gibson Station; Allen J. Cochran, Jr., Ewing; James H. Campbell, Rose Hill; Shultz R. Bailey, Ewing; James T. Davis, Ewing; Leonard D. Langley, R. 2, Jonesville; Dave Marlar, Hubbard Springs; Auburn E. Wynn, R. 4, Jonesville; Guy C. Bush, R. 1, Jonesville; Henry S. Spencer, R. 1, Jonesville; Price D. Thomas, Rose Hill; Roy P. Rutledge, R. 1, Jonesville; William C. Rasnic, Bristol, Tenn.; Hubert B. Cox, Mendota; William V. Browning, R. 2, Jonesville.

Emory A. Langley, Jonesville; Eugene Warner, Jonesville; Lon F. Eldridge, Ben Hur; N. W. Walters, Albany, Ga., John L. Clifton, R. 2, Jonesville; Sam Combs, Ewing; Hagan F. Sewell, Jr., Jonesville; Thomas H. Irvin, Hagan; Fred E. Mullins, Rose Hill; Noah A. Smith, Gibson Station; William R. Cawan, Ewing; George Seabolt, Jonesville; James O. Weston, R. 1, Jonesville; Graham Eagle, Jonesville; Morison H. Brooks, Ewing; Carl W. Carroll, Jonesville; Victor King, R 3, Jonesville; James M. Couk, Jonesville; Arthur L. Caylor, Pennington Gap; Fred C Chadwell, Ewing; Claude Skidmore, Ben Hur; William D. Clarkson, Ewing; George L. Sprinkle, Ben Hur.

Paul Dewitt Seals, Rose Hill; Grover S. Tyler, Jonesville; Nat Rowland, R. 1, Ewing; Robert L. Spurlock, R. 2, Jonesville; Arvin M. Wainscott, Jonesville; Morrison A. Robinson, Ewing; Garrett T. Hobbs, Rose Hill; Austin D. Bays, Ewing; Walter P. Ingle, R. 2, Jonesville; Chester Yeary, R. F. D., Ewing; William B. Wilder, Rose Hill; Curtis J. Witt, St. Charles; Granville T. Dean, Ewing; Hoy C. Ray, R. 1, Rose Hill; Alonzo Clawson, R. 4, Jonesville; Lee J. Kinder, R. 1, Jonesville; Claude S. Wilder, R. 3, Jonesville; Fred F. Stickley, Rose Hill; Thomas R. Edds, Jonesville; Lyle F. Johnson, Jonesville; Glenn A. Davis, Rose Hill.

Junior L. Rash, R. 1, Jonesville; James Daniel Cody, R. 2, Jonesville; Homer W. Marcum, R. 3, Jonesville; Luther Q. Johnson, R. 2, Jonesville; Joe A. Hensley, R. 1, Ewing; Garland Y Hudson, R. 1, Jonesville; Estel L. Clifton, Hubbard Springs; Browning Wynn, Jonesville; William P. Combs, Ewing; Herman Hall, R. 2, Jonesville; Lawrence F. Osborne, R. 2, Rose Hill; Earl B. Flanary, Rose Hill; Echol Bledsoe, Blackwater; Charles L. Britt, R. 1, Ewing; Junior Mile, R. 2, Jonesville; John Hounshell, R. 2, Rose Hill; Nathaniel E. Blessing, Ewing; Mitchell Hurst, R. 1, Rose Hill; Wayland M Alder, R 2, Blackwater; Noah C. Joyner, Kingsport, Tenn; Hershel Jones, Gibson Station.

Eual Gene Buchanan, Ewing; Allen B. Cody, R. 2, Jonesville; Baylor Orick, Jonesville; William Catron, Rose Hill; Charles D. Wyatt, Jonesville; Leon C. Manning, Ewing; Willard A. Estep, R. 1, Ewing; Carl F. Davis, Ewing; Jack King, R. 2, Jonesville; Wiley Bruce Wilder, R. 4, Center, Tex.; Olin Collins, Rose Hill; Sewell F. Johnson, Gibson Station; Herman W. Horton, R. 2, Jonesville; Clyde E. Thompson, R. 2, Rose Hill; Samuel L. Wolfver, R. 4, Jonesville; Thomas E. Russell, Gibson Station; Earnest H. Glass, R. 4, Jonesville; Doris H. Price, Jonesville; Wilbur H. Cooney, Dayton, Ohio; Joe B. Morley, Ewing; Robert K. Jones, R. 2, Rose Hill; Robert L. Bledsoe, R. 1, Blackwater; Glen N. Bonham, Jonesville.

Francis D. Hobbs, Jr., Oak Ridge, Tenn.; John R. Eagle, Jonesville; Lonnie Barnes, Gibson Station; James E. Diffenderfer, R. 2, Jonesville; Charlie Daniel, Coldiron, Ky.; Ray Otis Brown, R. 2, Rose Hill; Ross Snodgrass, R. 2, Jonesville; Dewitt Martin, Rose Hill; Short Osborne, Ben Hur; William D. Dean, R. 7, So. Charleston, W. Va.; Oscar Robert Ingle, Jonesville

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5 ROOM HOME and 4 1-2 Acres of bottom land. Lights and water; 100 feet from Main State Road, between Pennington Gap and Dryden, Va., on Dry Branch. Pearl Cox, Owner. PRICE $4,500, cash or terms.

4 ROOM HOME and large lot in center of St. Charles, near High School. PRICE $1,400, cash or terms.

GOOD LOT in St. Charles, Va. $250. Close in. Key to all unmined coal in Lone Mountain, just south of St. Charles. Grace Thomas, Owner.

45 ACRE FARM and 4 Room House. Good Spring; Orchard; 20 acres cleared. Located in Belgium Hollow. Owner, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Miles. PRICE $1,600, cash or terms. Go Look! If wanted see me.

Looks like someone would buy the Perle Stewart 17 Acres and Log Cabin. PRICE $1,800, cash or terms.

Some of you people who have looked at my 14 Acres located 2 miles South of Pennington Gap, with $1,000, Barn and 1 Acre Tobacco Allotment; Orchard worth $1,000; Plenty other outhouses, not figuring the land worth $1,500. All for $2,500, cash or terms. Some of these days when your money has all slipped away from you, you will wish then you had listened to me.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, in vacation, on the 30th day of October, 1945.

Emmett Price ... Complainant

vs. Order of Publication

Viola Johnson Price Defendant

The object of the above styled suit is to obtain a divorce on behalf of the complainant, Emmett Price, from the defendant, Viola Johnson Price, on ground of willful and voluntary desertion of the complainant by the defendant for a period of more than two years. And it appearing by affidavit filed according to law that Viola Johnson Price, the above named defendant, is not a resident of this State, and that her last known address is Clovesplint, Kentucky, it is, therefore, ordered that the said Viola Johnson Price do appear within ten days after due publication of this order, in the Clerk's Office of our said Circuit Court, and do what is necessary to protect her interests. It is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a newspaper published in Lee County, Virginia; and it is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the courthouse of said County on or before the next succeeding rule day, and that another copy hereof be mailed to the defendant at the Post Office address given in the affidavit.

Given under my hand the 30th day of October, 1945.

ATTEST:

VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk.

Robt. B. Ely, p.q.

Adv No. 44-4t.

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News From HUNTER'S GAP

Week of November 15

W. M. Bellamy has recently sold his store to a merchant in Baltimore. Mr. Bellamy expects to go into business again

Seaman John B Russell, brother of H. P Russell, of Jonesville, has recently returned from twenty-one months overseas service. He married the former Grace Eldridge, of Blackwater. They have two children, Thomas Wayne and Carmenia Barnell.

Rev. L. D. Perkins filled his regular appointment at Glass Memorial Church, Sunday, November 11. He expects to start a singing school December 2, and continue each Sunday throughout December.

NOTICE

Persons having claims against the estate of D. C Sewell, Jr., deceased, are hereby notified to present same to Mrs Vesta E Sewell, Administratrix of the estate of said D. C. Sewell, Jr., and all persons indebted to said estate are required to settle said indebtedness at once

Mrs. Vesta E. Sewell,
Administratrix of the
Estate of said D C
Sewell, Jr., deceased.
Jonesville, Virginia.

Adv No. 44-4t.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 30th day of October, 1945.

H. E. Hyatt, Executor & c., ... Complainant

vs. Order of Publication

Kate Hall, et al, ... Defendant

The object of this suit is to recover purchase money debt due complainant by estate of Kemp Hall and to enforce vendor's lien against a 4 acre tract of land granted by J. A. G. Hyatt to Kemp Hall. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendants, Ola Fleenor, whose last known address was Buchanan, Mich., and Gladys Garrett, whose last known address was Loyall, Kentucky, are not residents of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that they appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendants at their last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

TESTE:

VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk.

By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D. C.

p. q. Geo. P. Cridlin.

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Saturday, Dec. 8

10:00 A. M.

The following property will be sold at the Sarah C. Garrett Farm near Silverleaf Nursery, Rose Hill, Virginia.

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Kettles, 40 Gal. Iron	1 Car
Brass	1 Horse
Lawn Mower	1 Mare
Farm Machinery	Blacksmith Tools
Corn Drill	Carpenter Tools
Wheat Drill	Store Equipment
Binder	Counter Scales
Disk	Show Cases
Section Harrow	Counters
Tractor	Heater, etc.
Wagon	Hay
Plows	Corn
Mowing Machine	Hay Fork & Fixtures

Floor Scales

OTHER ARTICLES NOT LISTED

TERMS CASH

Pearle G. McNiel, Admx.

Social and Personal

Mrs. Maxie Cox, of Dryden, is visiting her daughter in New York

Mrs Bill Chatman, wife of Sgt. Bill Chatman, who was discharged from the armed forces, last week, has gone to Bristol to make their home

Mrs. Chatman is the former Miss Amy Flanary. She has made her home with her parents, Mr and Mrs Z. C. Flanary, while her husband was in service

Bill Smallwood, a student of Emory and Henry College, spent last week end with his parents.

You'll be sorry if you don't see "Nob Hill" coming to Lee Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, December 10-11.

Miss Boots Richards, of Pruden, Tenn., visited home folk last week end.

Mrs. Belle Bunch, of Clinton, Tenn., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jim Stewart and family, and son, English Bunch and family

Mrs. Murphy King received a letter from her son, Fred Gray King, who has been stationed in Italy most of the two years he has been in foreign service, saying he had visited Switzerland and enjoyed the visit very much.

Bob McCullough visited friends at Radford last week

Margaret Rasnic, of L. M. U., spent last week end with her mother. She had as her guests three friends from college. Misses Mary Cullough and Mary Ralston.

Mothers-Teachers Club

The Mothers and Teachers Club, of Leona Mines School, met last Friday night with Mrs. Ross Collier and Mrs. Frank McKnight as hostesses.

After the business was disposed of, a social hour and delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses. Members present were: Mesdames Homer H. Stuttler, Earl Ringley, Junior Lamberth, George Fleenor, Paul Morefield, Hugh Morefield, W. M. Crawford, D F. Audia, L. L Robbins, Minnie Sutton, John Robbins, N B Stapleton, Jim Chambers, Everette Copeland, Jake Howard and Imogene Burgan.

Mrs. George Fleenor and Mrs. Paul Morefield were welcomed into the Club as new members. Two visitors, Mrs. Roby Morefield and Mrs. Doris Morefield, were present.

Mrs. Everette Copeland, President of the Club, presided over the meeting.

Flatwood 4-H Club Officers

The Flatwood 4-H Club elected Dick Hyatt president, Dale Hyatt vice-president, Mariella Jones secretary-treasurer, and Opal Wilder reporter at the October meeting.

You'll be sorry if you don't see "Nob Hill" coming to Lee Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, December 10-11.

Hubert Collier, former PHS student and employee of the A. and P. Store, was seen in town today wearing civilian clothes. Yes, he said, he's honorably discharged. Hubert entered service about four years ago. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Collier, of Pennington Gap. His wife is a member of the St. Charles High School faculty.

Honorably discharged

Paul Rogers Clarkson, from the Rose Hill area, has been honorably discharged from the United States Navy at the Naval Personnel Separation Center in Shoemaker, California.

Observes 91st birthday

Friday, November 16, ushered in a new birthday anniversary for Mrs. Letitia (Grandma) Larmer, which was her 91st. Mrs. Larmer spent the day in her usual happy manner, enjoying the friends who called to extend congratulations or to bring gifts Mrs. Mattie Daugherty served each guest a slice of the birthday cake. Mrs Larmer's sister, Mrs James Fitzpatrick (Aunt Florrie) of Cumberland, Ky., is visiting with her. They are the two last surviving members of their family

Senator and Mrs. E. C Moore, of Liberty Ky, visited here last week with their niece, Mrs. Earl C Lanningham and family.

Lee Choral Club shower

Thursday night, November 15, Mrs. J. R. Barron and Mrs. M. H. Robbins were joint hostesses to the Lee Choral Club, at Mrs. Barron's home.

The occasion was the regular meeting of the Club, in connection with a shower for one of their members, Mrs. Cowles Kelly. After the regular business session, the hostesses presented a social hour of entertainment, including games, contests and songs. This was followed by refreshments, then the presentation of many gifts to Mrs. Kelly. The following guests enjoyed the affair:

Mesdames Cowles Kelly, J. R. Barron, M. H. Robbins, Sara W. Black, A. T. Burchette, Ray Banner, R. C. Carter, Maggie Smalley. Herman Grigsby, Carl Evans, Ed Carter, Roy King, S. G. Hill, W. J. Richards; Misses Mary Davidson, Helen Fry, Ida Stacy, Cora Lewis, Mary Margaret Smalley.

The Club will sing at the morning service, First Christian Church, December 16.

Shower for recent bride

Miss Edith Quinley entertained at her home last Friday evening with a bridal shower for Mrs. David Pence, who until her recent marriage was Miss Sue Richards. Hearts was the leading feature of entertainment.

Following the serving of refreshments Mrs. Pence was presented many beautiful and useful gifts.

Make gifts for Orphanage

A Mother-Teacher meeting of the Children's Division, Methodist Church School, met Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Cress. At this meeting the group made stuffed animals to send the Holston Orphanage at Greenville, and also formulated plans for the Christmas observance of the local Methodist Church. The meeting was followed with a shower of gifts for Mrs. O. E Willis

You'll be sorry if you don't see "Nob Hill" coming to Lee Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, December 10-11.

Mrs Roby Morefield and children, spent last week with her parents, Mr and Mrs. L. L Robbins, of Leona Mines

Mrs Lillian Lanningham Rowe returned last week end from Nashville, Tenn, where she had been visiting with her husband, Cpl Richard Y Rowe, Jr

Lee County Progress, Places And People

By Mrs. Etta Green

Lee County, like most of Southwest Virginia, is a land which comprises lofty and picturesque mountains, fertile valleys, vast industrial areas, great natural resources, and some of as interesting people as can be found anywhere.

The history of Lee County covers a period of 153 years, and over these years have come leaders in all walks and vocations of life. On the annals of Lee County history are engraven the names of high ranking officers who fought and helped to still the tempest of civil war in our nation; politicians who have had their seat in Congressional Halls and other places of political responsibility; Deans, Professors and Teachers in leading colleges and universities; riders who blazed the trail for the religious and spiritual life of future generations, and many, many other outstanding personalities, including the many honored heroes of World War II.

Lee County had it's beginning in the year 1792, and was named for General Henry Lee, of Westmoreland County, who had just become Governor of Virginia. General Lee had rendered valuable service during the Revolution with his daring legion of cavalry. He was a member of the Congress that adopted the Constitution of the United States, and he later worked for it's ratification by Virginia in 1788 He was the father of Robert E. Lee.

The eastern boundry of Lee County, as formed in 1792, is as follows:

BEGINNING: At a point on Clinch Mountain, one mile east of Moccasin Gap, now in Scott County; thence in a straight line with the mouth of Stock Creek to the source of same at the foot of Powell Mountain; thence due north to the Kentucky line, eastern line of Lee County."

Scott County was formed in 1815 out of Russell and Lee. Lee lost part of it's territory to Scott County. The present eastern line of Lee County is at a point about five and three-fourths miles west of Big Stone Gap, and three and one-fourth miles east of Olinger It extends northward to the Kentucky line as far west and south as the State extends

A point on top of Cumberland Mountain marks the place where Virginia, Tennessee and Kentucky meet

(Continued next week)

New Phone Directories Delivered This Week

The distribution of 650 telephone directories in Lee County has just been completed, according to a statement made by Frank B. Parr, Jr., Manager of the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company of Virginia.

Telephone users are asked to consult the new directory before making calls because many telephone numbers have been changed. Personal telephone number lists should also be checked with the new directory and corrections made where numbers have been changed.

Mr. Parr emphasized that the proper use of the directory and of telephone service, always important, is particularly so at this time because, as a result of the Company's inability to expand its plant during the war, a larger number of party lines are in service. Subscriber cooperation on party lines makes service better for everyone. Good telephone neighbors make calls as brief as possible, do not make a number of calls in succession, avoid interrupting conversations, answer their telephone promptly and hang up the receiver carefully.

For prompt and more efficient service call by number. If you do not look up the number the operator must.

First Christian Church

Sunday, November 25. Bible School at 10:00 a. m., H. O Hines, Superintendent. Worship with communion at 10:45. Sermon by the pastor.

Evening: Christian Endeavors meet at 6:15, Mrs. Ruth Keith, President.

No preaching at night as the pastor goes to Union Christian Church for worship.

Choir rehearsal Wednesday evening at 6:30. Prayer and praise service at 7:00 o'clock, followed by a meeting of the Evangelistic Committee. Prayerful preparation and attendance to all these calls should be each Christian's desire.

W. B. Moore, Minister.

Quick Relief FROM SNIFFLY, STUFFY DISTRESS OF Head Colds!

Instantly, relief from sniffly, sneezy stuffy distress of head colds starts to come the moment you put a few drops of Va-tro-nol up each nostril. Soothes irritation, relieves congestion, makes breathing easier in a hurry. Also helps prevent many colds from developing if used in time. Just try it! Works fine! Follow directions in folder.

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We At All Times
Have A Complete Line Of
Vicks Products
LEE DRUG COMPANY
Phone 85
Pennington Gap, Virginia.

ONE OF A SERIES OF MESSAGES TO WAR VETERANS

YOUR HOME

Every veteran who wants to buy, build or repair a home, to borrow on a present home or to refinance a mortgage, is invited to see us.

We make mortgage and repair loans. But above and beyond the financial angle, we are in a position to help you make sound plans and sensible decisions.

Our experience in the home field is at your disposal.

We know how important it is to long-term happiness that home construction, design, location, price and financing plan all be "right." Let us help you see that they are.

If a loan is needed, we'll welcome your application. If in any particular case we are unable to be of direct aid, we'll try to put you in touch with those who can. The first step is yours—come in.

Peoples Bank Of Ewing
Ewing, Va.
T. B. FUGATE, President H. T. RITCHIE, Cashier

Free! Free!
Twenty Bags
Snow Goose Flour

We regret no letters were received that found fault with Snow Goose Flour. As this is true we have been forced to declare there is no contest winner.

As no faults have been found--We will have a contest for the good qualities

Send us your letter on "Why I Like To Bake With Snow Goose Flour."

We will give 20 bags of Snow Goose Flour to the person sending the best letter.

JUST THINK--20 TEN POUND BAGS OF SNOW GOOSE FLOUR

Get Your Letter in NOW

CONTEST CLOSES December 15th.

Ask for Our Products at Your Favorite Grocery!

Pennington Milling Co.

Phone 76-J Pennington Gap, Va.

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DARK BAY MARE, small white spot in forehead, slightly large left hind leg Gone for two weeks. $25.00 Reward
James Holmes, Disney, Ky
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FORD, Two-door Sedan, 1940 Model.
See Mrs Vance King
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Children, age 1 to 15 years, $500 policy, 70c per month. No extra weeks to pay.
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I will not be responsible for any debts made other than by myself
H J Peters,
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Adv. No. 45-4t.-pd.

WANTED

Housekeeper (White) for employed couple, 8 room Gentile home, $60.00 a month, live in.
Mrs. J. L. Brightwell
1656 Hobart Street, N. W.
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Beware Coughs from common colds That Hang On

Creomulsion relieves promptly because it goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlegm, and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. Tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough or you are to have your money back.

CREOMULSION for Coughs, Chest Colds, Bronchitis

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The Changes Of Time

Authentic tradition relates that in the gay nineties the bustle was the fad.

It was very immodest at that time for milady to display an ankle however neat the workmanship. Consequently the dresses dragged the ground except when held up by the wearers' dainty fingers.

The mustache cup for the gentlemen was a essential part of the tableware. The upper lip adornment of those times were most usually of the handlebar variety. Some there were that resembled a cross between a Fuller brush and an Airdale dog.

Those are snapshots of the past. Things are different today.

And there are differences in drug stores of today and those of the yesteryears. The modern drug store walks hand in hand with progress. Step by step with medical science we proudly march.

We believe in the changes of time----in changing for the better.

SERVICE FIRST

Lee Drug Company
"friend of the family"
Phone 85 Pennington Gap, Va.

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TOWN TALK

About This, That, And The Other

"As soon seek roses in December,
Ice in June;
Hope constancy in wind, or corn
In Chaff;
Believe a woman or an epitaph,
Or any other thing that's false
Before you trust in critics."

John Brown's Bible

"John Brown's body lies a mouldering in the dust—" but his family Bible is still in safe keeping with Mrs. Mary K. Travis, who makes her home with her son, Elbert Travis, about two miles from Pennington. She is more familiarly known as "Aunt Lucy" Travis, because, she said, her father did not like the name given her and he called her Lucy for his favorite slave.

Mrs. Travis was born October 13, 1864. Her father, Daniel S. Dickenson, was a Captain in the Southern Army and was said to be the first man to take a regiment out of Lee County. He lived just across Powell River from Dickenson Ford, on the road to Blackwater He was born December 28, 1813

The Bible

Mrs. Travis says her father secured the Bible by trading a sack of coffee for it, and that the man trading it had taken it from John Brown. It is an enormous book in size, weighing approximately 25 pounds; is 18 inches in length and nearly a foot thick It contains the Apocrypha and the Macabees

On the fly leaf are printed the words "HOLY BIBLE" in large letters, and in smaller type the words: "containing an extensive introduction, explanatory notes evangelistical reflections, etc.

Printed at New York, 1829.
Reverend John Brown."

Note: "The Reverend John Brown" is a historical character, born at Tarrington, Conn., of Mayflower ancestry, in 1800; convicted of treason against the U. S., and hanged in 1859.

Oh Deer!

The other morning very early Mr. and Mrs. Rader Snavely saw a full-grown deer tripping blithely over the corn field just above their home two miles west of town. They had no desire to molest the animal, they said, so they watched it across the L. & N. Railroad, make it's way down through the field and disappear into the woodland hills just beyond.

Also three deer were reported seen in the Hagan community and one at Ben Hur recently. It is believed that they have been scared out of the hunting areas in some of the upper counties, and found their way down here.

Strange but true

Cam J. Lewis made the following statement today, which was vouched for by Mrs. Lewis:

Mrs Lewis and the two girls, Cora and June, went to Princeton,, W. Va., to spend Thanksgiving, with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Logan, after first having Mr. Lewis' consent to do the housekeeping while they were away

When they returned, Mr. Lewis said, they found the house spic and span, just as they had left it, or if any difference more so. Mr. Lewis says he learned the knack of housekeeping while away at school in his young days and that it never has departed from him.

"Everything in it's season--"

In the restaurant this morning I overheard some farmers remarking about how fortunate we are to be having this damp weather just at the heighth of the tobacco season. Not being a farmer, my curiosity was somewhat aroused and I couldn't resist asking why. They told me: "When the weather is dry and cold we naturally can't handle the tobacco. The leaves become brittle, and crumble. But in damp weather the tobacco absorbs the dampness and can be handled and crated ready for the market."

They told of a widow at Dryden getting up at midnight and going to the barn to open the door so that the fog and dampness could penetrate her fine crop of Burley tobacco.

December Term Court Will Open Monday 3rd

Applications Accepted Now For U. S. Army

Charles C. Howard, 1st Lt. Infantry, Commanding, announces that the Bristol Recruiting Detachment will be at Pennington Gap Postoffice from 10:00 a. m., to 3:00 p. m., Monday, December 3, 1945, for the purpose of accepting applications of enlistments in the U. S. Regular Army. The Army is now accepting men 17 to 34 years of age, who are physically and mentally qualified and who are citizens of the United States.

The Recruiting Men from Bristol will be seeking to enlist men for periods of 1 year, 18 months, 2 years or three years Those enlisting for 3 years have their choice of branch of services and theaters, either United States or 5 overseas theaters

Some of the other Highlights of the Army as a career are: Men reenlisting retain their present grades, if they reenlist within 20 days after discharge and before Feb. 1, 1946 The best pay scale, medical care, food, quarters and clothing in the history of our Army. An increase in the Reenlistment bonus to Fifty ($50) for each year of active service since such bonus was last paid, or since last entry into service Up to 90 days' furlough, depending on length of service, with furlough travel paid to home and return, for men now in the Army who reenlist A 30-day furlough every year at full pay Mustering out pay (based upon length of service) to all men who are discharged to reenlist. Benefits under the GI bill of Rights. Family allowances for the term of enlistment of dependents of men who enlist or reenlist before July 1, 1946

Anyone interested in the Regular Army are urged to visit the Recruiting Office at the Post Office at Pennington Gap, Va., Monday

Two Penn. Gap Families Move To New Locations

Pennington Gap is losing two fine families, who are moving to distant communities to make their home.

E. L. Scroggs and family, who have made their home here for the past four years, are moving this week to Big Stone Gap.

Mr Scroggs, who is field worker for Dist. No. 28, UMWA, has been assigned additional territory, including the Appalachia area, and states that Big Stone Gap will be more convenient to his combined territories.

Mr. and Mrs. Deck Bailey, also residents of our town for four years or more, left Thanksgiving Day for Philadelphia, Tenn., RFD, where they will engage in farming. Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Stout and family have moved into the Bailey residence on River Road

Mrs. C. C. Ralston is reported seriously ill in Lee General Hospital. Mr. Ralston is Superintendent of Benedict Coal Corp.

Misdemeanor, Criminal Cases Are To Be Tried

The December term of Lee County Circuit Court will open Monday, December 3, and will continue throughout most of the month, Commonwealtr's Attorney Robert B. Ely, announced today.

The first day will be given to the empanneling of the Grand Jury, after which the misdemeanor cases will first be tried.

The case of the Commonwealth vs. Bert Buchanan is set for the 11th. Buchanan is charged with killing his neighbor, Clarence Crusenberry, on September 3, 1944, at Turner's Siding, just above St. Charles. On the 11th the case of Emery Head and others will be tried on the charge of killing Coy Bishop, a young man, and placing his body on the L. & N. Railroad track at the bridge crossing Powell River just east of Pennington Gap. Bishop's body was found on the track early Sunday morning, October 22, 1944. The case was first presented to the Grand Jury at the following December term of court, and has been discontinued since.

For the week of the 17th is set for trial the case of the Commonwealth vs. Rufus Schoffner charged with having broken into and robbed the Curio Shop at Cudjo's Cave sometime last spring Other cases to be tried are: Commonwealth vs D C Sheppard charged with malicious wounding. Commonwealth vs Katy Ball (colr) charged with maliciously wounding another colored woman; Commonwealth vs Denver Clark and others, charged with grand larceny

Lee County Chapter IWL Of A. To Hold Meet Dec. 3

E. T. Barker, of Bonny Blue, President of the recently-formed Lee County Chapter, Izaak Walton League of America, today announced a meeting of the Chapter to be held Monday, December 3, at 7:30 p. m., EST, in the Pennington High School Library.

Plans for organization and charter night will be discussed and formulated. This will be a very important meeting, and all members, sportsmen and interested citizens of the County are urged to attend.

Attend Music Club Convention At V. P. I.

Mrs S W Black, Counselor, and Jo Ann Fritz, President of Rachmaninoff Piano Club, and Edna Fugate, the latter a member of St. Charles Student Chorus, attended the Twentieth Annual Convention of Virginia Federation of Music Clubs at Blacksburg, Virginia, Saturday, November 3rd

The meeting was held at Faculty Centre, V. P. I.

Tobacco Warehouses Open For Sales Dec. 3

Poundage Reported In Excess Of 1944 Crop

Monday, December 3, is opening sales date for Southwest Virginia and East Tennessee Tobacco Warehouses, located at Rogersville, Tenn., New Tazewell, Tenn., Abingdon, Va., Morristown, Tenn., Johnson City, Tenn., Greeneville, Tenn., and Knoxville, Tenn.

Lee County has for many years a splendid record in the growing of high quality Burley tobacco, which has sold at fancy prices through the facilities of these Warehouses.

This year has been a good season for tobacco growing, and according to information from the County AAA office at Jonesville, Va., this year's crop will far exceed the poundage marketed from the County last season, 3,000 acres of tobacco having been grown in the County this year, which is estimated to average about 1,400 pounds per acre. The tobacco grown is expected to bring considerably more than $2,000,000. The 1944 crop sold for $1,901,388.49.

According to reports that have been given us from Warehousemen at Rogersville, Morristown, and Knoxville, the Warehouses have been open for several days now receiving tobacco, and everything is in readiness to give the tobacco grower the best in sales and service for the opening sales day, December 3.

Price ceilings for various grades of this year's crop of burley tobacco will be the same as those on the 1944 crop. The OPA has announced that the old price schedules would apply to sales on the warehouse floor, as well as to dealer sales.

OPA said last year's ceilings returned an average of 44 cents a pound to growers.

New 66,000 Volt Line To Connect K. U. - Old Dom.

Construction of a 45-mile line to carry 66,000 volts between the steam generating plant of Old Dominion Power Company at Pocket, Va., and that of Kentucky Utilities Company at Pineville, Ky., will begin early in December, it was announced today by Howard B. Asher, manager of the Mountain Division

A contract has been let to Shely Construction Company at Lexington for the construction work, with materials furnished by the electric companies. The job is expected to take about six months and the total cost will be approximately $450,000

The new line will supplement an existing 66,000-volt and two 33,000-volt lines between the two plants

"This additional line will offer further assurance of an adequate supply of firm power for expanded mining operations and industrial developement generally in the Virginia-East Kentucky coal field," Mr Asher said. "We have every reason to expect an increased demand in this area during the postwar period

Information received from F W Brown, vice president and chief engineer, is that another major construction project also will get under way in December, Mr Asher said A contract for the foundations and buildings for a new steam plant at Tyrone, near Lawrenceburg, Ky., has let to the Bates and Rogers Construction Company of Chicago

The estimated cost of the plant, including the first generating unit, and connecting transmission line is $4,250,000

Students Who Work During Holidays Need Social Security Cards

Every student who is planning to work during the holiday season will need a social security account number before he takes a job, that is, if the job is with a business, or industrial concern. If he is going to work for the post office or any other Government agency, he will not need an account number card If his work is for the church, public library, school, or other non-profit organization, on a farm or in domestic service or if he is under 21, and works for his parent, he will not need an account number card. None of these jobs are covered by the Social Security Act.

No student should apply for an account number card until he has the promise of a job, according to Mr. Ben Miller, manager of the Bristol, Virginia, office of the Social Security Board, who said that some boys and girls apply for account numbers, when they have no prospect of a job. This practice costs the Government money and often causes congestion in the office of the Social Security Board

Mr. Miller explained that a boy or girl who takes a job, even for a short while, in a shop, mill, store, or in any other business or industrial establishment should have a social security account number in order that he may receive credit on the books of the Social Security Board for every dollar he earns in a job covered by the law. "The Social Security Board has an extensive system of bookkeeping," he added "When a worker fills out an application for a social security account number, he receives a card, which certifies that an account has been established for him. The card contains the number of the worker's account, and it is in this account that the worker's wage record will be kept, until the time is reached for paying his benefits. This account number always remains the same. It is not affected if the worker changes jobs, if he works for more than one employer, or if he is out of work for a while.

In case a student who previously obtained a social security account card, has lost that card; he should not apply for another number but should ask for a duplicate. If he has a record of the number, it will be easier to obtain the duplicate. If he does not remember the number, it will take some time to get the duplicate card, but it can be done.

To apply for an account number card call at the Bristol, Virginia, office of the Social Security Board located at 601 W. State Street.

Promoted To Captain

CAPT. CHAS. SMITH

1st Lt. Charles Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Smith, of Pennington Gap, recently attained the rank of Captain at the Army Air Base in Memphis, Tennessee.

Captain Smith enlisted in World War II in the early stages of the war, while he was teaching in St. Charles High School. He was assigned to foreign duty following his commission to 2nd Lieutenant, at Spence Field, Moultrie, Ga., in July, 1943, and gained outstanding recognition for his many daring exploits in helping to win the war Later he was promoted to 1st Lieutenant, which rank he held until his promotion to Captain

He is a graduate of Pennington High School and of Hiwassee College.

Wilson Blair Is New Police Chief In P. G.

Mayor F L Parsons announced today that he had employed Wilson Blair, of Pennington Gap, Route 2, as Chief of Police of Pennington Gap, effective as of November 23, to succeed Lloyd Olinger, who has served in this capacity for the past two months.

Mr Blair is a middle age man; a native of Letcher County, Ky., who has lived in this community about 20 years. He owns and operates a farm on Stone Creek.

Local Boy Elected To College Club Office

Silas S. Stamper, Pennington Gap, Va., was elected treasurer of the newly organized Veterans Club at Teachers College, Columbia University in the City of New York, at a recent meeting.

The Veterans Club, open to all ex-service men and women enrolled at Teachers College, provides a program of social activities and a common meeting place for veterans

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Stamper, reside on R. 2, Pennington Gap.

Local Boy Recovering From Recent Operation

Mrs. Harve Doss (formerly Mrs. Ruby Burgin) is in receipt of a letter from the Crippled Children' Hospital at Richmond, Va., stating that her son, Harold, seven years old, is progressing nicely following his recent operation, but that in all probability it will be some little time before he will be able to come home.

Harold has suffered from an infection known as spinal bifida for several years, which infected his leg to the extent that an amputation was necessary, and he underwent this at the above hospital. His brother, Lynn Burgin, recently discharged from U. S. Army service, stopped at the hospital to see Harold on his way home about two weeks ago, and left him his Army decorations.

Lynn said he left Harold in his usual cheerful spirts, and looking forward to the time when he will be able to come home.

Ted Fry Seriously Ill

C. B Fry returned from Baltimore, Md., yesterday, where he was called on account of the serious illness of his son, Ted Fry, who is in the hospital at that place.

Mr. Fry reported Ted's condition slightly improved, but that he is still not out of danger.

Both Ted and his wife, formerly Miss Gertrude Parkey, resided in Pennington Gap until their going to Baltimore a few years ago.

Victory Loan Drive Is Disappointing To-Date

4-H Club Winners Leave Nov. 30th For Chicago

Opal Wilder and Mack Gilbert Represent Lee

Mack Gilbert, 20, and blonde Opal Wilder, 16, who, last week, won top honors in the Lee County 4-H Club contest at Jonesville which above other things, included a free trip with all expenses paid, to the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago, are today preparing for the most exciting adventure of their young lives. They will leave Friday to join twenty other winners throughout the State of Virginia at Christiansburg, Va., where special reservations await them Friday night to Chicago.

The National 4-H Congress convenes Saturday, December 1, at Chicago, and will continue with a steady schedule of programs and entertainment for one full week. Thomas E. Wilson, President of Wilson and Co., will head the entertainment committee which has been streamlined to entertain more than a thousand State 4-H winners from every state in the Nation.

County Agent of Lee, Robert C. Carter, said the Chicago program would consist of meetings, contests, entertainment, banquets, and tours of major points of interest throughout Chicago, including museums and galleries, stock yards, packing plants, the grain exchange and various other interesting and instructive places They will stay at the Stevens Hotel, the world's largest.

This is Lee County's first delegation to the National 4-H Congress since 1936. This trip was made possible and financed by Mr. A. S. Pennington, through the M. D. Collier Furniture Corporation.

The representatives, Mr. Gilbert is a graduate of Pennington High School, lives at Elk Knob, and has been in 4-H work for ten years.

Miss Wilder is a senior at Flatwood High School and has been in 4-H work four years. Both have fine past records.

Bazaar and Rummage Sale Friday, Nov. 30

The St. Charles Woman's Club will have a Bazaar and Rummage Sale in the Whipple Building on Friday, November 30, and Saturday, December 1.

The public is invited to come and buy

Card Of Thanks

I wish to express my many thanks and appreciation to friends and relatives for their kindness and sympathy, and for the beautiful flowers during the illness and death of my beloved husband.

Mrs. Price Ely,
Jonesville, Va

They've Finished Their Job--Let's Finish Ours' Buy Victory Bonds.

Less Than One-Third Quota Sold Last Report

An assigned quota of $180,000.00 to Lee County in the E Bond Victory Loan Campaign; less than 1-3 of this amount sold and only a little more than a week to go, is the situation to-date in the County, as reported by T. B. Fugate, Lee County War Finance Chairman.

This Victory Loan Campaign, which is scheduled to close December 8, is the Eighth and final National Campaign for the sale of Bonds to finance the War and the demobilization of the vast armies that have won for us the victory in the terrible conflict of World War II.

Mr. Fugate feels that this slowness in E Bond purchases is not due to a lack of patriotism on the part of the citizens, because they have over-subscribed all previous drives. He thinks that the people just fail to understand that even with the winning of the war our nation needs funds with which to complete the job, and our obligation in this victory Loan is just as great as that of any War-time Drive.

County Chairman Fugate, his area chairmen and their committees make a special appeal to the people to wake up and see to it that this Victory Loan quota is met or exceeded by December 8.

Lee Schools Raise $487. In Nat'l War Fund Drive

The following contributions were made by the different schools in the County, to the National War Fund Drive, according to a final report from John A. Richmond, Chairman of the Drive in the schools.

Beech Grove, $2.00; Oak Grove, $4.00; Benedict, $20.00; Rock Castle, $5.10; St. Charles High School, $78.75; Darbyville, $9.40;; Pleasant View, $11.82; Deans, $5.00; Mt. Davidson, $9.58; Hamblin, $5.00; Elk Knob, $7.35; Flatwood High School, $35.17; Keokee High School, $20.96; Larimer, $5.00.

Rose Hill, $40.85; Brooks Hall, $5.00; Dominion, $2.80; Pucketts Creek, $3.65; Long Hollow (White Shoals Dist.), $3.00; Thomas Walker High School, $16.46; Jonesville High School, $89.40; Stickleyville, $5.00; Monarch, $5.91; Pennington High School, $91.04; Dry Branch, $5.00.

Total, $487.24.

L. M. School Presents Thanksgiving Program

The students of Leona Mines School rendered an interesting Thanksgiving program at the school last Wednesday night. Many patrons and friends of the school attended. The highlight of the program was crowning of the two queens of the school. Alice Ringley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ringley, was voted queen of the beginners, and Wanda Woodard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Woodard, was voted queen of the primary room

Conference Cagers Open Schedules Fri.

Pennington, St. Charles, Flatwood and Dryden, Open Games At Home

Principals and Coaches of Lee County's eight major High Schools have voted to step up Lee County Conference basketball schedules this season in order to make way for a full slate of sports next spring, which above all other, will usher back in, the Lee High School baseball conference that has operated very successfully for the past twenty years until the war put it on the rationed shelf because of both restricted travel and a shortage of capable talent.

The Cage Conference will open Friday, November 30th with sixteen teams from the eight schools which include Thomas Walker, Flatwood, Blackwater, Jonesville, Pennington Gap, Dryden, St. Charles and Keokee, participating. Each will enter both a boys' team and a girls' team.

Teams will play two schedules each week instead of the usual Friday encounter. They will play on Tuesdays and Fridays, with doublebills on each occasion, both the boys' and girls' teams participating throughout the month of December, in order to pick up an extra month, thus shortening the season to Feb. 15 for the final game, with the Tournament scheduled for February 22, 23.

The Athletic Board of the County will award a pennant to the tournament winners with the Lee Cinder Block Co., of Pennington Gap, and The Powell Valey News presenting silver trophies to the top winners of both the boys and the girls conference at the end of the regular season

The opening schedules starting November 30, Jonesville at Dryden; Thomas Walker at St. Charles; Blackwater at Flatwood;

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News From BENEDICT

Andy Kinsler, who was recently discharged from U. S. Army service, spent last week end visiting relatives and friends here.

Junior Belcher, who has also been discharged from Army service, and Mrs. Belcher and little son, Bobby Gene, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Walter Weston and family here last week. Mr. Belcher will return to work at Benedict Store where he was employed before entering service.

Clarence Lawson has returned to work at Benedict Store after being discharged from the U. S. Navy.

Mrs. Garland Bryant and children, of Monarch, were visiting Mrs. Frank Sturgill here Sunday.

Roy Parks, who has recently been discharged from Army service, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Calvin Alters and family.

Mr. Pearl Sturgill, of Jonesville, spent the week end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Lands and Mr. Richard Long, of Rockwood, Tenn., were visiting relatives of Mr. Johnnie McPherson here last week.

Rev. S. F. Way, of Rose Hill, preached at the Benedict Church Sunday night.

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Rev. Hobert Martin and Rev. Beacom Dixon, of Wise County, will hold services here Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Baltimore and children were guests of relatives at Calvin Sunday.

Misses Artie and Beulah Estep, of Calvin, were visiting relatives here last week.

News From DRY BRANCH

By Edith Astrop

Mr. and Mrs. Merton Moore and children of Belgium Hollow, Mr. and Mrs. Edward McFarland and children of Poor Valley, Mr. and Mrs. John Martin of Dryden, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Stuart, Mrs. Ethel Hughes, Mr. John Stout and Mrs. Edith Astrop and daughter, Juanita, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Will Moore Sunday.

Ray Cox, of the U. S. Navy, has been given an honorable discharge and is back home. He and his mother, Mrs. F. F. Cox, were visiting friends on Dry Branch and in Pennington Sunday afternoon.

Misses Ruby Hyden and Pauline Shell of Woodway, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Corbitt Astrop and Mr. and Mrs. Holly Astrop, Sunday afternoon.

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Self-Rising or Plain

Mrs. J. B. Cox, of Dryden, and Mrs. Mabel Hill, of Seminary, are spending a few days in Atlanta, Ga., with Mrs. Cox's daughter, Myra, who is very ill at present.

Messrs. H. R. Shufflebarger, Ray, Olen and Gail Parsons were deer hunting near Mendota, Va., during the deer season, but were not lucky enough to bag one. They did enjoy a nice dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Steve Hobbs.

Tech. Sgt. Charles Moore, who has been overseas several months, has been given an honorable discharge and is back home.

Mrs. A. P. Cox and son, Danny, have been spending a few days taking care of Mrs. J. B. Cox's Store and home while she was visiting her daughter, Mrs. June Woolford, of New York City. Mrs. Cox returned home Wednesday.

Messrs. Billy and Kent Astrop and Norris Wayne Earley attended a movie at Lee Theatre Monday night.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 13th day of November, 1945.

Lewis Chandler, et als, Complainants

vs. Order of Publication

Rufus Russell, et als, Defendants

The object of this suit is for partition of the real estate of Julia Chandler, deceased, in Lee County, Virginia, and to set aside deed made by Sam Russell to Rufus Russell, et als as to Julia Chandler's interest therein. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, James Russell, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address is Kingsport, Tennessee, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia

Teste:

VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
p. q. W. L. Davidson.
Adv. No. 46-4t.

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News From WALLENS CREEK

Mary Lee Russell, Cor.

Those on the sick list this week are Gladys and Glen Watson. Gladys is improving, but Glen continues ill.

With meat rationing ended and farmers butchering hogs, those red points aren't stretched out of shape now.

Crockett and Claude Russell spent the past week end with their grandmother, Mrs. Mary Russell, of Blackwater.

Billy Russell, son of H. P. Russell, celebrated his twelvth birthday anniversary Nov. 19th, and Mr. Russell celebrated his 46th birthday Nov. 22.

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Fidelity is the companion of character, and character in a man is the product of hidden thoughts which prompt acts of justice, consideration and fair play.
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Every citizen of Lee is justifiably proud of her record in financing the war. In the Seven Bond Loan drives she exceeded her quota in each drive, several times almost doubled her assignment. We feel sure that you want to keep that good name unsullied; and so won't you go to your bank or postoffice today or at least by December 8th and put every dollar you can spare into E bonds. We are not going to make our quota unless you do, less than one-third of the quota has been made to date.

We as your fellow citizens appeal to you to come to the rescue of your county. We know you will want to say in the years ahead, we stood with our boys on the home front.

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St. Charles PERSONALS

Mrs. Ruby Short, of West Va., and Mrs. Mabel Lipps, of Ind., are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Rutherford.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Campbell were called to Tenn., due to illness of Mr. Campbell's father.

Mr. Earl Murphy, of Big Stone Gap, was visiting in St. Charles Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Omer D. Warf, of Baltimore, are visiting their parents and relatives in St. Charles.

CPO and Mrs. Damon Lyttle and small daughter, were the guests of CPO Lyttle's parents, and sister, Mrs. Dexter Rains, last week.

Second Class PO and Mrs. Spike Lyttle spent the week end with relatives in St. Charles.

Mrs. Dillard Ball was shopping in Harlan Saturday.

First Class PO and Mrs. Ben Brown are visiting relatives in St. Charles and PO Brown's parents.

AMM 2-C., Gene Parsons is home on leave visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harve Parsons.

M-Sgt. Harold Farmer, of the U. S. Army, is home on furlough visiting his parents and other relatives in St. Charles.

Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Gresham, of Johnson City, Tenn., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hagy, Sr., last week.

Mr. Virgil Wacks made a business trip to Knoxville Monday.

Clay Hale left Friday for a visit with his sister, Mrs. Jack Chance in Nashville, Tenn.

Bill Fritz will take his old position as police Friday, with Earl Poe as assistant.

Roy Rutherford made a trip to W. Va., Friday.

Mrs. Hal Winfrey, of Knoxville, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Lee Reece.

Mrs. Jake Smith was visiting her mother in Harlan this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Jones were visiting in Knoxville Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tucker and sons of Tenn., were visiting friends and relatives last week end.

Mr. Robert Watson spent last week end with his wife and sons in Dublin, Va.

Smith Williams, Jr., of Bluefield, Va., spent the week end with friends in St. Charles.

Miss Ann Watson of Radford College, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Watson.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 21st day of November, 1945.

Commonwealth of Virginia, Complainant

vs. Order of Publication

Leslie Ledford, Defendant

The object of this suit is to condemn and sell Chevrolet automobile of said defendant, Motor Number M-84099 said defendant having unlawfully transported more than one gallon of alcoholic beverages in said automobile in said county. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Leslie Ledford, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address in Unknown, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

TESTE:

VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk.
By CHARLES N. HAWS, D. C.
p. q. Robt. B. Ely,
Adv. No. 47-4t.

Conference Gagers Open Full Schedules Friday

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Keokee at Pennington.

Tuesday, December 4: Thomas Walker at Jonesville; St. Charles at Blackwater; Keokee at Flatwood; Pennington at Dryden.

Friday, December 7: Jonesville at Blackwater; St. Charles at Keokee; Flatwood at Pennington; Dryden at Thomas Walker.

Tuesday, December 11: Jonesville at Keokee; Pennington at St. Charles; Dryden at Flatwood; Thomas Walker at Blackwater.

Friday, December 14: Pennington at Jonesville; Flatwood at St. Charles; Keokee at Thomas Walker; Blackwater at Dryden.

Tuesday, December 18: Jonesville at Flatwood; St. Charles at Dryden; Blackwater at Keokee; Pennington at Thomas Walker.

Friday, December 21: St. Charles at Jonesville; Thomas Walker at Flatwood; Blackwater at Pennington; Dryden at Keokee.

Last Half Schedules

Friday, January 4: Dryden at Jonesville; St. Charles at Thomas Walker; Flatwood at Blackwater; Pennington at Keokee.

Friday, January 11: Jonesville at Thomas Walker; Blackwater at St. Charles; Flatwood at Keokee; Dryden at Pennington.

Friday, January 18: Blackwater at Jonesville; Keokee at St. Charles; Pennington at Flatwood; Thomas Walker at Dryden.

Friday, January 25: Keokee at Jonesville; St. Charles at Pennington; Flatwood at Dryden; Blackwater at Thomas Walker.

Friday, February 1: Jonesville at Pennington; St. Charles at Flatwood; Thomas Walker at Keokee; Dryden at Blackwater.

Friday, February 8: Flatwood at Jonesville; Dryden at St. Charles; Keokee at Blackwater; Thomas Walker at Pennington.

Friday, February 15: Jonesville at St. Charles; Flatwood at Thomas Walker; Pennington at Blackwater; Keokee at Dryden.

February 22, 23, Tournament.

Order Of Publication

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, Virginia, on the 17th day of November, 1945.

Lilly Taylor Stapleton, Complainant

vs. Order of Publication

Clyde O. Stapleton Defendant

The object of the above styled suit is to obtain a divorce on behalf of the complainant, Lilly Taylor Stapleton, from the defendant, Clyde O. Stapleton upon grounds of cruelty and for voluntary desertion for more than two years of the said complainant by the defendant. And it appearing by affidavit filed according to law that Clyde O. Stapleton, the above named defendant, is not a resident of the State; it is therefore ordered that the said Clyde O. Stapleton do appear within ten days after due publication of this order, in the Clerk's Office of our said Circuit Court, and do what is necessary to protect his interests. And it is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News a newspaper published in Lee County, Virginia. And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of said County on or before the next succeeding rule day, and another copy be mailed to said defendant, Clyde O. Stapleton, to the Post Office address given in the affidavit.

Attest:

LOUISE McNIEL, D. C.
Robt. B. Ely, p. q.
Adv. No. 47-4t.

LEE COUNTY PROGRESS

By Mrs. Etta Green

Lee County consists of 441 square miles of territory. It is V shaped in it's formation and is 75 miles long from Wise County on the east, reaching to Cumberland Gap on the west where the three states of Virginia, Tennessee and Kentucky meet.

The highest point in the County is two miles north of the town of Ewing, on top of Cumberland Mountain, being 3,451 feet above sea level.

The name Powell

The name Powell occurs frequently in the geographical history of Lee County. A dashing little river flows through the Gap of the mountains in the upper end of the County, and is called Powell River. The fertile acres of farm land traversing the County from east to west is Powell Valley. In the dim distance to the south, towering majestically above the valleys, is Powell Mountain, a part of the Appalachian Range. The only newspaper published in the County is The Powell Valley News, and at Jonesville, the County seat, is located The Powell Valley National Bank. Why this name "Powell?"

It came down to us from a family of pioneering blood. They originated in Wales and came to America long before the Revolutionary War. They settled in Eastern Virginia, then moved west as far as settlement permitted in those days, and settled near a river in Southwest Virginia.

There was a large family of them and they called the place Powell Valley and the river Powell River. Two of the old settlers were named Cader Powell and Joseph Powell. Both fought in the Revolutionary War and Joseph fought in the War of 1812. In 1815 Joseph moved to Ohio where he reared a large family. Cader's son, Allan, was born in Powell Valley, Virginia, and moved to Piketon, Ky., in 1823, where his son, John, was born. Several years later these Powells and their families moved to Indiana. There, in 1852, they formed a large wagon train of nothing but Powells, crossed the plains and pioneered into Oregon.

Upon arrival there they took up homesteads in a fertile farming district twelve miles east of Portland, near where the town of Gresham now stands. They called this new settlement Powell Valley, by which it is still known, and there they built a little log Methodist Church and called it Lee Chapel.

Powell Mountain was named by a group of hunters who saw the name Ambrose Powell inscribed on a tree near the mouth of Wallens Creek. One of the men in the group was Elisha Wallen, and for him Wallens Creek, Wallens Ridge and Wallens Station were named. Other men in the expedition were Scaggs, Cox, and about fifteen others.

Mrs. John R. Bailey is home from Dr. Botts' Hospital at Norton, where she was confined for several days from illness.

Incidentally, we had the first noticeable snowfall this year on the same date as last year, Nov. 23.

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Discharged

T. Sgt. John S. Pankow, residing at Woodway, Va., was honorably discharged from the Army Air Forces at Richmond, Va., Nov. 16.

Prior to receiving his discharge Sgt. Pankow was stationed at Mather Field, Calif. He entered the Army June 3, 1941, and served eight months overseas with the 7th Air Force in China and Okinawa, where he performed the duties of an aerial gunner with 22 missions. Pankow wears the Air Medal, Unit Citation, Asiatic-Pacific Theatre Ribbon, with three Bronze Stars, the Good Conduct Medal, the American Theatre Ribbon and the World War II Victory Medal.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alec Pankow of Woodway, Va.

Served on USS "KEOKUK"

Clarence Harold Wells, seaman second class, USNR, Keokee, Va., had the distinction of serving on the USS "Keokuk," a ship which Navy records have disclosed had probably a more varied career and a longer one than almost any ship of the fleet.

The "Keokuk" is a survivor of two world wars, with continuous service beginning in 1914 when she was built for peaceful commercial trade. During the recently ended Pacific conflict she went back to the war to see the capitulation of Japan after suffering her first damage due to enemy action, an aerial bomb hit at Iwo Jima. In that operation she became known affectionately as "struggle buggy" because she was the oldest auxiliary in the campaign, if not the very oldest vessel present.

During World War I the ship helped serve as a train ferry, transporting box cars to Europe.

"OK" for Sgt. Woodward

Sgt. Woodrow W. Woodward, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Woodward, of Pennington Gap, has just arrived for redeployment at Camp Ting Hao, China.

Ting-Hao, Chinese equivalent to "OK" is an efficiently planned tent city in the foothills of the Himalaya mountains, with athletic fields, movies and other post-victory recreational facilities, established by Major General H. S. Aurand, Commanding General, Services of Supply, China Theatre, as a means of processing troops about to return to the United States.

Sgt. Woodward took his basic training at Fort Slocum, N. Y. For his service in China he was awarded the Asiatic-Pacific Theatre Ribbon.

Newly enlisted

Harold Weston, of Thorpe, W. Va., formerly of Jonesville, is now in the army stationed at Camp Roberts, Calif. Before going to Camp Roberts he was stationed for two weeks at Camp Atterbury, Ind. He was formerly employed by the Service Dry Cleaners of Welch, W. Va. In case his friends may want to write him, they may address him as follows: Pvt. Richard H. Weston, Co. D, 95th S R. T. B. 19th Regt., Camp Roberts, Calif.

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Lee County Men Who Have Been Discharged From Armed Forces

We list below the names of Lee County men and women who have served in the armed forces in World War II, and who have now been honorably discharged from service. This list is furnished us each week from the two Selective Service Boards of Lee County, Board No. 1, located at Jonesville, and Board No. 2, located at Pennington Gap.

William Doris Daugherty, Dryden; Samuel Lee Henry, Bonny Blue; Allen James Bingham, Pennington Gap; Everette Wilson, St. Charles; Ralph Chauncy Smith, Pennington Gap; Roy Jackson Brown, Big Stone Gap; Walter Taylor, St. Charles; Randolph Sexton, Benedict; George Kimberling, Dryden, R. 1; Earl Edward Hobbs, Johnsons Mill; Murf Dean, Pennington Gap; Walter Homer Christian, Keokee; James Odell Stapleton, St. Charles; Roscoe L. Lundy, Pennington Gap; James Clarence Hale, Bonny Blue; Herbert Kane Carter, Dryden; Dave Pridemore, Pennington Gap; Howard Hubert Collier, Pennington Gap; Clifford Oliver, Pennington Gap; James Eli Hughes, Duffield.

Charles Murrell Young, Big Stone Gap; Sam Chester Pugh, Pennington Gap, R. 2; Clyde Jessie Woliver, Pennington Gap; Clarence Howard Lawson, Leona Mines; Virgil Lee Webb, St. Charles; Burley Franklin McElroy, Dryden; Stanley Ronza Kirk, St. Charles; Clarence Millard Everidge, Pennington Gap; Kyle Robert Wright, Leona Mines; Sidney Clay Hale, St. Charles; Theodore P. Scarborough, Jr., St. Charles; Charley M. Skidmore, Dryden; Woodrow Woodward, Pennington Gap; Robert E. Anderson, Pennington Gap; Earl Raymond Whited, Leona Mines; Creed Lambert, Keokee; Lester Clay Ashbury, Akoskie, N. C.; Arthur Bailey, Pennington Gap; Bee L. Gibson, Pennington Gap.

Ralph R. Reece, Woodway; Lonnie Emory Jones, St. Charles; Arthur Willard Barker, Keokee; Keith K. Pennington, Keokee; Elmer A. Eckles, St. Charles; Frank Gulley, Dryden; Thomas Rudy Arnette, Keokee; William Wynn Kelly, Pennington Gap; Frank Ely, Dryden; Charles Francis Hedgecoth, St. Charles; Paul Stapleton, St. Charles; Burpee Elbert Johnson, Pennington Gap; Ralph Artrip, Calvin; Thomas Oscar Craft, Pennington Gap; George Henry Coffman, Duffield; Judge W. Bledsoe, Leona Mines; Kyle Maness, Bonny Blue; Darrell Arthur Honeycutt, St. Charles; Loyd Pugh, Pennington Gap; Charles W. Bledsoe, Jr., Pennington Gap; R. 2.

Harry Eldon McKenzie, Bonny Blue; Royce Ellison, Bonny Blue; James Clarence Stewart, Keokee, R. 1; James Bascom Shuler, Keokee; Calvin B. Hurst, Calvin; Roger Lynn Gilbert, Dryden; Howard Wayne Moore, Pennington Gap; Robert Perle Crowell, Pennington Gap; Robert Glen Humbert, St. Charles; George L. Hinkle, Pennington Gap; Billy J. Arnold, Pennington Gap; R. 2; Herbert Miller Wheeler, Pennington Gap; Earl Douglas Robinette, Bonny Blue; William Everette Carroll, Dryden; Terry Clemont Adams, St. Charles; Edward Cassety Bryson, St. Charles.

PRICE W. ELY

Price W. Ely, 56, of Jonesville, Va., son of the late Melvin G. and Etta Flanary Ely, died at 3:00 a. m., Friday, in the War Veterans Hospital at Mountain City, Tenn.

Mr. Ely is survived by six sisters, Mrs. Corrinne Hines, Mrs. Vesta Sewell, Mrs. Arloween Tyler, Mrs. Pattie Poteet, all of Jonesville; Mrs. Audrey Williams, Kingsport, Tenn.; and Mrs. Mary Collier, Oak Hill, W. Va.; Three brothers, Gus Z. Ely, Fairview, Calif.; Arthur C. Ely, Knoxville, Tenn.; George N. Ely, Cumberland, Ky.

Funeral services were held Sunday, Nov. 25, at 2:00 p. m., at the Jonesville Methodist Church, with the Rev. L. D. Perkins officiating. Burial followed in the old Ely family plot west of Jonesville. Estes & Cecil, of Pennington Gap, in charge.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 16 day of November, 1945.

John C. Holmes, ...Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Orville Lee Mathews Holmes.... Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a Divorce a Vinculo Matrimonii. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Orville Lee Mathews Holmes is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address was c-o Union Station, Pennsylvania Railroad Company, Washington, D. C., it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk.
By: LOUISE McNIEL, D. C.
p. q. Guy A. Kauffman
Adv. No. 47-4t.

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News From
KEOKEE

Mrs. E. G. Wells and son, Larry, of Corbin, Ky., are visiting here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Clarkston.

Lillian Townsend, Oak Ridge, Tenn., spent the week end with relatives here.

George Wade, of the U. S. Navy, is spending a furlough with his wife and daughters, Sue and Brenda.

Cpl. Rudolph Shuler has returned to his home here, having received an honorable discharge from the U. S. Army.

Bobby Grace Stanley spent the past week end with her aunt, Mrs. J. H. Bledsoe, of Appalachia.

Mrs. George Stanley and girls were visiting Mrs. Stanley's mother, Elizabeth Sampson, Sunday.

Pvt. F. G. Orender is home now. He has been given an honorable discharge from the U. S. Army.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wolfe and daughter, Charlotte Helen, were visitors in Scott County the past week end.

Elese Morris, of Baltimore, Md., is home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Morris.

Misses Inez and Nadine Pennington spent Friday night in Imboden with their sister, Mrs. Edith Gibson.

Mrs. Otis Clark has as her guest this week her mother, Mrs. Sizemore, of Big Stone Gap.

Little Donnie King is improving at his home here after suffering a severe attack of diphtheria.

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News From
FRIENDSHIP

The Y. W. A. girls met Friday night with Mrs. E. C. Knicely. A nice program was rendered with Miss Lena Willis as leader.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Willis made a business trip to Knoxville, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ingle, of Jonesville, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Ingle.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmon Rosenbaum and family, of Radford, spent Thanksgiving with his brother, J. A. Rosenbaum, and family.

Mrs. Frank Willis is in receipt of a letter from her husband, Pvt. Frank Willis, stating that he had landed safely in Sandia, 200 miles from Tokyo, and will be stationed there as a mechanic.

The Missionary Society will meet Wednesday, December 5th, with Mrs. J. A. Rosenbaum and Mrs. Morris Snodgrass, at the home of Mrs. Rosenbaum.

Mrs. R. P. Andis left Tuesday for Kingsport, to visit her brother-in-law, Bill Good, who is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Kinser, of Norfolk, spent the week end with his father, Milford Kinser, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Gregory and daughter, Jean, of Bristol, Tenn., spent Thanksgiving with his sister, Mrs. Walter Spangler, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Couk and Sgt. and Mrs. Harold Couk spent the week end in Louisville, Ky.

Dorothy and Peggy Couk spent the week end with their grandmother Kirk, at Pennington Gap.

Walter Spangler made a business trip to Rogersville, Tenn.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 8th day of November, 1945.

Phoeba Cridlin Archer.... Complainant

vs. Order of Publication

Ralph W. Archer..... Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a Divorce a Mensa et thoro on grounds of desertion. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Ralph W. Archer, is nonresident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address was In Care of General Delivery, Cumberland, Maryland, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia

Teste

VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk.
By Louise McNeer, D. C.
p. q. Guy A. Kauffman
Adv. No. 45-4t.

News From
JONESVILLE
Mrs. G. W. Ball

Route 4

Mrs. John Davis and son, Johnnie, are improving after a week of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Cooney were guests of his sister, Mrs. Bledsoe, and family, recently.

Haroir Music, of the U. S. Navy, and Roy Ball were hunting in this section one day last week. Harold is in on furlough, and will report back for duty November 30th. His parents live at Kingsport.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wiley and Mrs. Henderson Kirk, of St. Charles, and Mr. and Mrs. McCullough, of Pennington Gap, were on Route 4 recently.

Misses Nathetta and Bettie Lou Davis called with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ball Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Poteet were in the mining section Monday.

The D. C. Bledsoe family are ill with colds this week.

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News From
NAGAN

Lawrence Hensley, who is employed at Bristol, Tenn., spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gill Hensley.

Misses Ruby and Ruth Ely spent Sunday with Betty Ingle.

Friends of Green Fee were very sorry to hear of his death.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Depew and family, of Hubbard Springs, were visiting relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Langley spent Saturday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Langley and family.

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News From POOR VALLEY

By Edith Astrop

"Mac" McNamara was shopping in Pennington Friday. Mr. McNamara has accepted a position as fire scout and is working in the tower near Olinger.

Mr. Frank Bailey was assisting his brother, Major, of Big Hill, in butchering hogs Friday.

Miss Dewanda Slemp was visiting Miss Louise Ely of Dry Branch, Sunday.

Misses Betty Lou and Wanda Sue Greene spent one night last week with their aunt, Mrs. Edith Astrop.

Mrs. Inez Huff and children, of Dryden, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Greene of Poor Valley.

Miss Helen Howard was visiting home folk recently. Miss Howard is a teacher at Keokee.

Mr. Ray Hayes returned from a deer hunting trip highly elated, having bagged a 200 pound deer. He was accompanied by his wife, Mr. Henry Parsons and several from Woodway.

Mrs. Ollie Brown is back in Lee General Hospital suffering from complications after having broken her thigh several weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Greene were deer hunting during the season, near Coeburn, Va. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Boder Ramsey on Coeburn Mountain.

Mr. Hampton Huff has purchased a saw mill and is sawing mine timber, etc.

Paul Gilbert, of the U. S. Navy, has been honorably discharged and is back with his family.

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News From BLACKWATER

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Robinette were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Weatherly, of Big Stone Gap, Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Singleton were dinner guests of Roy Richardson and family, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Hickam of Knoxville, were visiting relatives here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Huff, of Dunbar, were visiting Mrs. Huff's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Osborne, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Carson Robinette and Mrs. A. O. Robinette were shopping in Middlesboro, Ky., Friday.

Miss Waive Robinette, of Washington, D. C., and brother, Onzo Robinette, of L. M. U., were visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Robinette, over the week end.

Mrs. Ben Reed, of Kingsport, Tenn., were visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Robinson, Sunday.

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News From WOODWAY

Newell Sturgill, S. 2-C, was called home due to the sudden illness of his son, Darell. After a successful appendix operation, Darell is much improved and doing nicely. Seaman Sturgill was granted an extention to his leave, so he will be with his family a few days longer. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Sturgill.

Kelly Grigsby, S 2-C, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Grigsby, is spending a ten day leave with his parents.

Pfc. E. Ralph Turner is home again for a few weeks with his wife and children, after several months spent in a hospital overseas, and also in the States. He is much improved but has to report back to the hospital in N. Carolina the latter part of December.

Pfc. George and Pfc. Robert Driskill were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dan Driskill, a few days before going on to Washington, D. C., for a visit with their brother, Jack.

Jim Sally has returned to San Francisco, after a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sally.

Mrs. Paul Litton and daughter, of Dayton, Ohio, visited Mr. and Mrs. John H. Medley last week.

Mrs. Steve Turner and daughter, visited her mother in Middlesboro, Sunday.

Owen Hall has accepted a position with the Woodway Supply Co., working part time now, but will work regularly at the close of school.

Mrs. Virginia Johnson and son, Jimmie, are with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Howard Pennington, since her husband, Lt. A. D. Johnson, of Knoxville, has been sent overseas.

There will be a revival meeting starting Sunday night, December 2, at the Free Will Baptist Church, in charge of the pastor, Rev. L. J. Fields, of Norton, and Rev. Wade Powers, of Wise. Singing will be in charge of S. B. Culbertson, accompanied by Miss Evelyn Fleenor, pianist.

The public is cordially invited.

Dave Gibson is home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Gibson.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, Virginia, on the 7th day of November, 1945.

William J. Sweeney, Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Peggy Franklin Sweeney ..Defendant

The object of the above styled suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on behalf of the complainant, William J. Sweeney, from the defendant, Peggy Franklin Sweeney, on grounds that the said defendant, subsequent to her marriage to the complainant, has been sentenced to confinement in a prison and penitentiary of the United States, cohabitation having not been resumed thereafter. And it appearing by affidavit filed according to law that Peggy Franklin Sweeney, the above named defendant is not a resident of this State; it is, therefore ordered that the said Peggy Franklin Sweeney do appear within ten days after due publication of this order, in the Clerk's Office of our said Circuit Court, and do what is necessary to protect her interests. It is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a newspaper published in Lee County, Virginia; and it is further ordered that a copy hereof be posted at the front door of the courthouse in Lee County, Virginia, on or before the next succeeding rule day, and another copy hereof be mailed to the said defendant to the Post Office address given in the affidavit.

Teste:

VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk.
Robt. B. Ely, p. q.
Adv. No. 45-4t.

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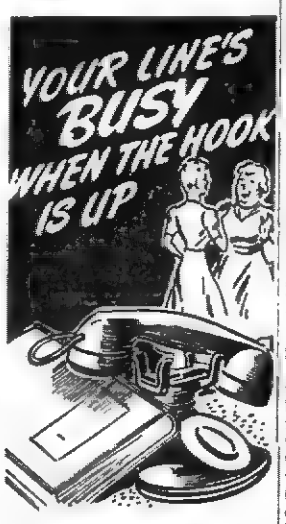
Social and Personal

Ex-soldier is new father

Lloyd Olinger, ex-soldier and ex-Chief of Police of Pennington Gap, is in receipt of a cablegram from England announcing the recent birth of a son. His wife is an Irish girl whom he married in England more than two years ago.

Mrs. Olinger and the new baby will be coming soon to join her husband, the cablegram stated. Mr. Olinger is at present located at Appalachia.



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Miss David---Miss Grace Reported improved

Miss Rose David became suddenly ill at her home one day last week and was rushed to Lee General Hospital. Latest reports are that her condition is improved, but still considered serious.

Miss Jennie Lee Grace, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Grace, is also reported much improved from a serious illness which developed Tuesday night.

She too, is in Lee General.

New cabin

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Willis and little daughter, Sharon Virginia, are all settled in a pretty log cabin built just for them. The cabin is located in East Pennington; contains six rooms and a bath, four rooms down stairs and two upstairs.

You'll be sorry if you don't see "Nob Hill" coming to Lee Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, December 10-11.

Ralph Turner improving

Pvt. Ralph Turner, of Woodway, is home on a 90-day furlough, and is reported improving from an illness originating on the Island of Luzon, where he was stationed for several months with the Army Tank Corps. He is said to have contracted tropical fever, or a rare skin disease. He spent three months in the Moore General Hospital at Swananoa, N. C., before coming home.

Mr. Turner is a former member of PHS faculty, is married, and has two children.

Home for Thanksgiving

A number of young folk were home from colleges for the Thanksgiving holidays. Among them were: James Alyce Laningham, Bobbie Jean Cooper, Betty Jean Smith, Marjorie Orr, Cora Evelyn Mathews, Ruth Parsons, Joyce King, Sue Smalley, Mary Elizabeth Pennington, Jewell Lucas, Carnell Livingstone, Margaret Dennison, Possibly others whom we just haven't heard about.

Miss Cora Evelyn Mathews, student of L. M. U., spent the week end here with her mother, Mrs. Edna Mathews, and family, accompanied by her room mate, Miss Shirley Matheny, of Alleghany, Va.

Birthday party

Miss Christine Bailey entertained a number of her friends at a birthday party at her home Monday evening. Everyone reported a nice time and Miss Bailey was presented many birthday gifts.

Mrs. Eliza Howard entertained the following guests Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Eve, of Harlan, Ky.

R. B. Pennington and Billy Arnold, two local boys with honorable discharges, have accepted positions at Oak Ridge, Tenn.

Misses Edna Ruth and Mary Bailey, of Oak Ridge, spent last week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Bailey.

Anne Watson, a stident of Radford State Teachers College, spent the Thanksgiving holidays

Anne Watson, a student of

Pvt. Arthur Lane Livesay arrived home last Wednesday with an honorable discharge from the Army Air Corps.

Eva Mae Flanary, of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. Bill Chapman, of Bristol, spent last week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Zack Flanary.

Mr. and Mrs. Vergil Cooper and son, Chief Petty Officer Glenn Cooper, of New Market, Tenn., and Miss Mary Grainger Holt, of Knoxville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Jake Howard and family, last Sunday.

Miss Helen Mullins, of Radford College, spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Mullins of Woodway.

You'll be sorry if you don't see "Nob Hill" coming to Lee Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, December 10-11.

Family is reunited

Mrs. Damon G. Lyttle visited her husband, Damon G. Lyttle, Chief Turret Captain, in New York, for ten days. While there she went aboard his ship, the USS New York (Battleship).

He received a ten day leave and accompanied his wife home, where they had a happy reunion with their little daughter, Joyce Ann, and other relatives and friends.

Sheets - Jordon

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Sheets announce the marriage of their daughter, Ruth, to Mr. Wm. R. Jordon, on Tuesday, November 20, at Knoxville, Tenn.

The wedding took place at 4:00 p. m., in the First Baptist Church of Knoxville, with the pastor, Rev. F. P. Brown, officiating.

The bride is a graduate of Pennington High School and of Hiwassee College, and for the past four years has taught in Lee County public schools. At the time of her marriage she was teaching at Maness, Va.

The groom was recently honorably discharged from service, after a period of 38 months in the U. S. Navy. He is the son of Mrs. Riley Cook, of Jonesville.

The couple will make their home at Clinton, Tenn.

Weston - Billings

Miss Elizabeth Weston, of Thorpe, W. Va., and Pvt. Harold Billings, U. S. Army, of Huntington, W. Va., were married Wednesday, November 21, at 3:00 p. m., at Cattlesburg, Ky.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Weston, formerly of Jonesville and now of Thorpe, W. Va. She attended Jonesville High School and for the past year has been employed by the Sylvania Electric Products Company at Huntington.

Pvt. Billings is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Murrill Billings, of Bradley Road, Huntington, W. Va. He has been in the Army for two years on active duty in the European Theatre of Operations, and two days after his honorable discharge on Nov. 10 he enlisted for another term. He holds the Bronze Star, the Silver Star and Purple Heart awards.

Joe Pat Cox in States

A letter dated Nov. 23, Tacoma, Washington, brings the news that Joe Pat Cox, Seaman 1-C., has just arrived there from Japan on the USS "Herald of The Morning." He said the arrival of his ship had been announced in advance over the radio, and that the people in Tacoma gave the boys a grand reception

Joe Pat is now rating MMA (Master at Arms) or in other words, Ship's Police. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Cox, of Pennington Gap, and is one of the PHS students to give up school to answer the call to service.

You'll be sorry if you don't see "Nob Hill" coming to Lee Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, December 10-11.

Stork Shower Is Given For Mrs. Rayborn Ely

Mrs. Rex Hounshell gave Mrs Rayborn Ely a stork shower Nov. 17, at the home of Mrs. Kelly Cox, at Hagan, with a large number present.

Contest prize winners were Mrs. Morgan Edds and Mrs. T. M King Everyone reported a nice time.

WSCS Elects Officers For The Ensuing Year

The W S C S. (Woman's Society of Christian Service) has elected the following officers to serve the ensuing year of 1946

President, Mrs. J. G Overbay; Vice President, Mrs W H Creech Recording Secretary, Mrs. P. R Hinkle Corresponding Secretary, Mrs C E Lege, Treasurer, Mrs T B Quinley, Secretary of Christian Social Relations, Mrs C B Fry, Secretary of Student Work, Mrs L G Cress Secretary of Literature, Mrs. H H Kesner, Secretary of Supplies, Mrs E E Parsons, Secretary of Spiritual Life, Mrs. C. D. Mehaffey; Secretary of Status of Women, Mrs T. H Olinger; Secretary of Children's Work, Mrs. D. H. Stallard; Secretary Missionary Education, Mrs. M. H. Robbins.

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Going away party

Miss Mildred Woliver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Boss Woliver, will be leaving in a few days to enter Tennessee Wesleyan College at Athens, Tennessee.

A large number of her friends united in giving her a going away party, including a shower of gifts, in the Assembly Hall of the Methodist Church, Monday evening, November 26. Games, music, refreshments made up the entertainment, and at the close each guest wrote a special message to Mildred, sealed them in an envelope with the special request that she would not open them until alone in her room at college.

First Christian Church

Sunday, December 2: Bible School at 10:00 a m, H O. Hines, Superintendent.

Worship with communion at 10:45. Sermon subject, "God's Doorkeepers."

Christian Endeavors meet at 6:15 p. m., Mrs. Ruth Keith, President.

Evening worship with sermon by the pastor at 7:00. Choir rehearsal Wednesday at 6:30 p. m.

Midweek prayer service at 7:00 p. m., followed by meeting of the Church Board at 8:00 p. m.

The Ladies Aid and Missionary Societies meet at the church Thursday at 2:00 p. m.

Sunday, December 9, will be observed as annual Woman's Day. The Missionary Society will have charge of the morning worship hour.

A cordial invitation to attend all these services.

W. B. Moore, Minister.

First Baptist Church

Sunday morning, December 2: Sunday School at 9:30, A. T. Burchette, Superintendent

Morning worship at 10:45: Sermon topic, "Self Reliant Or God Reliant."

Evening: Training Unions meet at 6:30. Evening worship at 7 30 Sermon topic, "Our Great Physician"

Next week a Study Course for the Training Union Department will be conducted each evening at 7:00 o'clock

Rev. Hugh Boyd will teach a book for young people and adults entitled "Investments in Christian Living"

Mrs. Stubbs will teach the Intermediate Manual

P. R. Stubbs, Pastor

Methodist Church

Sunday morning, December 2: Sunday School at 9:30, Clyde L. Kirk, Superintendent.

Communion Service at 10:45. Special music.

Evening: Meeting of Youth Fellowship Groups at 6:15.

At 7:00 o'clock the Scout Play, "The Story of Sonny Blair" will be presented. This is by special request a repetition of the play given at the Annual Dinner Meeting Thursday night.

Midweek prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

Charlie D. Mehaffey, Pastor.

Misses Imogene Wheeler and Gene Mack, of Washington, D. C., spent the Thanksgiving holidays with Imogene's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wheeler.

Flu Epidemic Hits In Sections Of County

A general epidemic of flu is reported in the County, especially in the lower sections.

Strangely enough this disease hits hardest in certain areas in making it's winter rounds, and this year the target seems to be the Jonesville area. Jonesville High School was very much interrupted last week, according to reports, due to the fact that so many of the students were ill from flu.

Browning Wynn is back at his old job as cashier of Powell Valley National Bank in Jonesville, following his honorable discharge from the U. S. Navy.

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TOWN TALK

About This, That, And The Other

By Mrs. Etta Green

FATE

Fate hit me very hard one day,
I cried, "What is my fault?
What have I done? What causes, pray,
This unprovoked assault?"
She paused, then said, "Darned if I know;
I really can't explain."
Then just before she turned to go
She whacked me once again!

CHRISTMAS SEASON HERE AGAIN

The store windows in Pennington are telling in a very pretty way that it's nearing the Christmas season again. Dolls and other toys for the children, gifts galore for the older folk, adorn the windows, and among them are the traditional decorations of artificial snow and icicles, holly, Christmas trees, minature Santas, Etc.

The other evening inside his store window Charley Berry very happily entertained a group of children on the outside looking in by making a little electric train whirl round and round on a little electric track. A rather young looking man paused for a moment and watched the toy, then remarked, "I've not got any kids to buy for--guess I'm lucky."

Another rather young looking man who has some kids, replied, "Buddy, you just THINK you're lucky." And he began fumbling in his pockets counting his change.

THE ELEVENTH COMMANDMENT

LeRoy Kirk, Sr., who lived in this community several years ago was a pretty antic kind of a fellow; was quite religious in a way but got a little "tight" sometimes; and was a school teacher.

Sometimes the people in the Pocket community where he lived had to come to the Valley Country to buy wheat and corn. The standard price of corn was then 50c a bushel, wheat $1.00 a bushel and bacon 10c a pound. Often people would swap work for these necessities. A day's work would equal a bushel of corn, a bushel of wheat or five pounds of bacon, according to the nature of the work.

On one occasion a man living on Cane Creek charged 75c for a bushel of corn. This didn't set well with LeRoy, and this is what he said: "The Bible's got ten commandments in it; there ought to be eleven, and the eleventh one should read like this: "Thou Cane Creek, Thou shalt not sell corn for more than fifty cents a bushel!"

"BREAD UPON THE WATERS"

Sometime back in the 'twenties they were having an election to vote whether or not a new addition to Pennington High School should be built. At that time there was only one building. Among the first to cast their vote in favor of the building were Mr. and Mrs. Cam J. Lewis. Mrs. Lewis hurried through the preliminaries, because, she said, she had to hurry home and get the children off to school.

Two of "the children" are now teaching in the buildings and a third one formerly taught in the Home Economics Department.

GROWING OLD?

Every person who lives long enough will one day begin getting old, and all in the world we

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November Marriages In Lee Were Few

The month of November passed with only four marriage licenses having been issued in the County, according to the records in the Clerk's office at Jonesville. They are:

Henry L. White, 27 and Naomi Wells, 19, both of Big Stone Gap.

R. C. Stapleton, 42 and Betty Nickles, 43, both of Pennington Gap.

James Bledsoe, 31 and Ella Bostic, 26, both of Big Stone Gap.

Capt. Carl Arnold, 24, and Becky A. Fry, 22, both of Pennington Gap.

Opening Tobacco Sales Bring High Average

Local Citizens Attend Charter Meeting Lions Club At Cumberland, Ky.

Some members of the Pennington Gap Lions Club and a couple of wives went to Cumberland, Ky., Monday evening to attend a charter night meeting of the newly organized Cumberland Lions Club.

The meeting, at which more than a hundred guests were present, was accompanied by a dinner The Lions Club emblems and colors were used in the decorations, as was also the Christmas motif. Dr. Jones, of Harlan, was toastmaster for the occasion.

Those from heere attending were: Jack Pearce, R. G. 'Shube' Pugh, C. L. Fletcher, Frank Parr, O. E. Vaughan, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hays, Rev. and Mrs W. H. Parrott.

Former PG Boy Killed In Traffic Accident

Funeral and burial were held at Dryden Wednesday, December 5, for Gratton Lee Barker, Jr. 24 who, with a young man companion was killed in a traffic accident at Coal City, Illinois, Saturday night, December 1.

Services were from the Baptist Church at 10:00 a. m. with the Rev. P. R. Stubbs, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Pennington Gap, in charge. Burial was in Gilbert Cemetery. Pall bearers were cousins of the boy and flower bearers were cousins and close friends, Estes & Cecil Funeral Home had charge.

According to information gathered, the two young men were in a taxi, when their car was hit by a fast passenger train at a crossing directly in front of the Barker home. The father was the first to get to the scene, a relative stated.

The family lived here a few years ago, while the father was employed as electrician for Old Dominion Power Company.

Besides the parents, he is survived by five sisters; Mrs. Bernice Waters, Mrs. Burnette Farrer, Mrs. Betty Jane Affrunti, Lillian and Lila Page Barker; one brother, J. B., the grandmother, Mrs. A. M. Kirk, of Pennington Gap, and a number of close relatives.

Mrs. Charles Carter

Mrs. Charles Carter, of Barbourville, Ky., died at the home of her sister and brother-in-law, Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Parrott, on Stone Creek, November 20, following an illness of only a few hours.

Mrs. Carter, who was 54, was visiting at the Parrott home at the time of her illness which resulted in death. The body was taken to Barbourville where funeral services were held at the Swan Pond Baptist Church by Rev. Orie Angel and Rev. Jackson Jones. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Mrs. Carter is survived by her husband, two daughters, Mrs. Raleigh Warfield, of Cincinnati, Ohio, and Mrs. C. L. Vinson, of High Point, N. C., also four grandsons.

Dr. S. Frank Shelborne Back With Lee Drug Co.

Dr. S. Frank Shelburne, popular registered pharmacist of Lee Drug Co. prior to entering in the Navy in September, 1942, has now been honorably discharged and has returned to his old position as Pharmacist at Lee Drug, after serving 38 months in the U. S. Navy as Phm. Mate 1-c., the last 12 months of this time on sea duty in the South Pacific Area.

Mrs. Shelburne has made her home with Dr. Shelburne's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Shelburne, who resides near Pennington Gap during his service in the Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Shelton, of Gate City, have been visiting Mrs. Shelton's mother, Mrs. Edna Mathews. Mr. Shelton was discharged from the U. S. Army on November 8, after serving in both the Pacific and the European Theatre of War.

1945 Burley Crops Reported Fine Quality

The Burley Tobacco sales at East Tennessee and Southwest Virginia markets opened with a boom, Monday, December 3, nearly all averages exceeding those of last year, according to newspaper reports.

The first day's marketing at Rogersville was reported as 324,074 pounds of leaf of uniformly good quality at an average of $50.26 per hundred pounds. High for the day was 58c.

New Tazewell reported 290,652 pounds, for $48.53.

The average at Abington, Va. Warehouses was $52.14, which was $6.08 per cwt. higher than a year ago. 521,260 pounds were sold for $271,767.82 as the 1945 '46 auction season was launched. Alton Boswell, Market Supervisor said that on Dec. 4 following the first days' sale there were approximately 3,000,000 pounds on the floors of the four Abington Warehouses.

Morristown reported 331,744 pounds sold at an average of $45.74.

Johnson City's market opened with 303,740 pounds which sold for an average of $49.72 per cwt, and totaled $151,007.48. The High basket on opening day sold for $60.00 and low for $18.00

Greeneville reported 575,000 pounds sold, averaging $48.50

At Knoxville the average was $46.70 a hundred , which was higher than last year. The two auction groups on the first day sold a total of 616,548 pounds of burley under the hammer for $287,781.00.

Green Fee

Green Fee, a farmer living in the White Shoals section about eight miles west of Jonesville was found dead in the bed room of his home about 2:00 p m Friday, November 24. A coroner's inquest revealed that he had died from heart attack about an hour earlier. He was 69 years of age.

Funeral services were conducted from the Baptist church on Monday afternoon, Nov. 26, at 2:00 p. m , in charge of Reverend Roscoe Douglas, of Harlan. Burial was in the family cemetery near the home.

Mr. Fee is survived by his widow, Mrs. Florence Fee; five ghters, Mrs. Willie Catron, Ashland, Ky., Mrs. Tom Moore, Ewing, Va., Mrs. Cobert Sumpter, Jonesville; Stella and Ruby, at home; five sons, Ewell, of Chicago; Asbury, of Liggett, Ky., James H., Jonesville; Thomas S. Knoxville; and a step son, Lee Vanhuss, Knoxville.

Major Young Returns

Major Tyler Young, son of Dr and Mrs. B. T. Young of Stickleyville, wired his father from Boston, Mass., Saturday that he had landed and would go from there to Ft. McPherson, Atlanta, Ga., for his discharge from the U. S. Army

He called from Ft. McPherson Tuesday, stating that he hoped to get home by the last of this week.

Major Young spent 21 months overseas in the European Theatre of Operations.

PTA Meeting Tuesday

The regular monthly meeting of the Parent Teachers Association will be held at Pennington High School Tuesday afternoon, December 11.

The public is urged to attend.

Hyden - Hammonds

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hyden, of Woodway, announce the marriage of their daughter, Blanche, to Glenn Hammonds, in Harlan, Kentucky last week.

The bride is a graduate of Pennington High School.

The groom attended Pennington High School before entering service nearly three years ago. He spent most of this time in the European Theatre of War.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Hammonds.

A new stoker has been installed in the furnace room of hotel Pennington.

Released From Service

S. Sgt. Bobby W. Skidmore

S. Sgt. Bobby W. Skidmore has been discharged from the Army Engr. Corps. He enlisted in February, 1940, and served the last two years in England and France.

Sgt. Skidmore and wife recently visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Skidmore of Pennington Gap. The couple will make their home in Huntington, West Virginia.

Christmas Seal Drive Launched In County

Mrs. V. M. Pence, local Chairman, Christmas Seal Drive to fight tuberculosis, is highly pleased with the people's response to this cause

She reports that within the last week more than 200 sheets of these seals, 100 to the sheet, were mailed out and that so far $75.00 have come back in return, and of course more expected. Those who receive these seals are expected to either return them to Mrs. Pence or send one dollar for them, the dollar to be used to wage war on tuberculosis in the County.

As stated in the letter accompanying the seals, the dollars you give help pay for X-rays, Sanatorium care, rehabilitation of the ex-patient, and education of the public to guard against this most insiduous enemy.

Mrs. Pence stated that last year 18 people in Lee County died from tuberculosis, the second highest rate in the State of Virginia. The highest was that of Augusta County, in which 21 persons died. Augusta includes the City of Staunton.

Jonesville Serviceman Is Given Promotion

Lt. (jg) Carl F. Flanary, of Jonesville, was promoted to the rank of Lt. on the first of November, according to information from headquarters, Pacific Theatre of War, to a relative.

Lt Flanary was recently transferred from the USS NEVILLE to USS BLOUNT AK-163. He has served in the Pacific for the last three years.

Miss Ruth Carter Has College Honors

Miss Ruth Carter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Milt Carter, Cawood, and the youngest of a long line of the family to attend Union College, Barbourville, Ky, was recently selected by the student newspaper, The Orange and Black, to receive the senior portrait of the month for the senior having the most distinguished record at the college

Miss Carter is a member of the Future Teachers of America, a charter member of the newly organized Harlan County Club, Art Club, Social Science Club, and the Home Economics Club, at the college, and has served offices in each.

She is a graduate of Hall High School and is registered at the college for a Bachelor of Science degree in Education with minors in sociology and English. When she graduates in June she plans to teach somewhere in Harlan County.

Miss Carter is a sister of Mrs. Carl B. Hines, Penningtan Gap.

Home for Christmas

C. W. Adams, S. 1-C., arrived home December 1 from the Pacific Area where he has served with the U. S. Navy, and expects to enjoy Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Adams, Sr., and family. He says he hopes to receive his discharge early in the spring.

Annual Dinner Meeting BSA Enjoyable Affair

Approximately 100 guests attended the Annual Dinner meeting, Lee County District, Lonesome Pine Council, Boy Scouts of America, at the Methodist Church last Thursday evening, November 29.

Following the invocation by the Rev. W. B. Moore, dinner was served. Five tables, beautifully decorated in the Christmas motif, accommodated the guests. The Pennington Gap Lions Club, sponsors of Troop No. 82, Pennington Gap, attended in a body. Group singing was led by Mrs. C. D. Mehaffey, with Mrs. P. R. Stubbs at the piano.

Harold G. Hayes, Scout Executive, Lonesome Pine Council, of Pikeville, Ky., was Master of Ceremonies, and was introduced by Sam C. Blackwell, District Chairman.

The Cub Scouts had charge of the first part of the program, and for a while entertained the crowd with their humorous stunts. Jimmy Kelly very cleverly presented his players--Bruce Van huss, "The Strong Man", Millard Hale Robbins, The "Sharp Shooter" and L. T. Stewart "The Piano Wizard."

The Scout play, "The Story of Sonny Blair" was presented by the older group. Charles Blaine, Assistant Scout Executive, Lonesome Pine Council; Walton Ferrell, Field Executive, of Hazard, Ky., and H. E. Greer, president Lonesome Pine Council, Hazard, Ky., were present and had part in the program, Pres. Greer delivering the address of the meeting, Scouting."

The benediction was said by Rev. C. D. Mehaffey.

Miles Lodge 165 AF & AM Elects Officers For Ensuing Year

Dr. G. B. Setzler and B. H. Wainscott recently returned from Roanoke where they received the 32nd degree of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry.

At the recent Grand Convocation of the Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Mason, B. H. Wainscott was appointed District Deputy Grand High Priest of District No. 11, composed of Lee, Wise and Dickenson Counties. This appointment was made by Dr. Thomas W. Hooper, Grand High Priest, Culpepper, Virginia.

Officers for Miles Lodge No. 165, AF & AM elected for the ensuing year are as follows:

P. R. Hinkle, Worshipful Master; C. B. Waddell, Senior Warden; C. C. Newman, Junior Warden; W. T. Hall, Treasurer; G. B Setzler, Secretary; R. P. David Senior Deacon; H. O. Hines, Junior Deacon; O. H. Smallwood, Tiler; P. R. Stubbs, Chaplain; Sam Hall, Senior Stewart; Olin Wynn, Junior Stewart.

Izaak Walton League Plans Charter Night

The Lee County Chapter of the Izaak Walton League met at Pennington High School Monday, December 3rd, to elect a Board of Directors and to make plans for a charter night meeting to be held in January. The Directors elected are as follows:

Dr. G. B. Setzler, Chairman; Dr. M. H Robbins, W. R. Fletcher, T. B. Fugate, Sam C. Blackwell, W. J. Frazier, J. T. Watson, E. T. Barker, F. N. Gibson.

Charter night was set for January 17, 1946, and committees were appointed to make plans for the program. Monday, Dec. 10th, the president, E. T. Barker, will meet with the sportsmen of St. Charles at the High School, at 7:30 p. m. Interested parties urged to attend.

The following week he will meet another group at Jonesville, at a time and place to be announced later. The League is continuing to grow rapidly, and membership now numbers more than fifty.

Card of Thanks

On behalf of ourselves and the Carter family we wish to express our sincerest thanks to our friends for the kindness and sympathy shown us in the recent death of our sister, Mrs. Charles Carter.

We especially appreciate the beautiful floral offerings, and all who took part in the funeral services.

Mrs. W. H. Parrott
Rev. W. H. Parrott

Three Teams Remain Undefeated Cage Loop

Mrs. E. R. King Died At Her Home Here Today

Mrs. Louise King, 73, widow of the late E. R. King, passed away at her home in Pennington Gap early this morning after a lingering illness.

She was a member of the First Baptist Church where she was very active until her illness confined her to her home. She was continuing the operation of her husband's merchantile business which he owned and operated for more than half a century.

Surviving are five daughters; Mrs. Guy E. McNiel, Bristol, Va., Mrs. Martin E. Miller, Henderson, Ky., Mrs. Roger R. Rector, Harrogate, Tenn., Mrs. Bronce Johnson, Kingston, Tenn., Mrs. Ed Carter, Pennington Gap, Va. Three sons; Smith F., of Washington, D. C., Murphy and Roy, of Pennington Gap; three sisters, four brothers, 21 grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

Funeral services for Mrs. King will be at the First Baptist Church Friday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, in charge of the pastor, Rev. P. R. Stubbs. Burial will be in Cecil Cemetery, with Estes & Cecil Funeral Home in charge.

Local Boy Attends Trial Of Jap Officers

C. A. Dash, MM 3-C, son of Mr. and Mrs. Crider Dash of Pennington Gap, writes that he sat in court at Kwajalien Marshall Island, Japan, on Thanksgiving day and heard the trial of ten Japanese officers for the murder of ten American officers, a crew on B-25, whom the prosecutors charged that the Japs beheaded.

The Japs being tried ranked as Majors, Lieutenants, Captains, Ensigns, and one Warrant Officer. "They sure made a tough looking bunch," Dash writes.

Dash writes that he is hoping for the time to soon come when he will be leaving for home. In the meantime, he would like to hear from some of his friends. His address is as follows:

C. A. Dash, MM 3-C.
U. S. Naval Air Base
Box 7 Navy 824
care F. P. O., San Francisco, California.

Resolutions

To the Worshipful Master, Wardens, & Brethern of Preston Lodge No. 47, A. F. & A. M., Jonesville, Va.

Your Committee on resolutions of respect in memory of Brother Gus Henderson respectfully reports.

Whereas it has pleased the supreme Architect of the universe to remove from our midst our well beloved brother, Gus Henderson, and while we, judging from an earthly and finite stand point, can not understand this disposition of devine providence, yet we know He who holds life and death in the hollow of his hand doeth all things well.

Therefore Be it Resolved;

First, That we bow in humble submission, and with deep submission and with deep reverence of spirit to that Divine Command that has taken our dearly beloved brother from us.

Second; That in the death of Bro. Henderson this Lodge and the Masonic Fraternity have lost one of its best and useful members; the country, one of its most patriotic citizens, his wife, a devoted husband; and his children, a kind and indulgent father.

Third; That in Bro. Henderson recognize a citizen who stood for the up-building and improvement of the country in which he lived; and in fact to the betterment of material conditions.

Fourth; That we tender the widow and children of our deceased brother our most heartfelt sympathy in this dark hour of their sad bereavement.

Fifth; That in token of our respect for Bro. Henderson, that we the Lodge be draped in mourning and that the members wear the usual badge of mourning for 30 days, and that these resolutions be spread on the minutes, and a copy furnished the family of the deceased, and a copy be published in the Powell Valley News.

R. P. Hines
M. D. Cook
O. M. Hyatt
Committee.

Keokee, Pennington, St. Charles, Jonesville Battle For Top Slot

Conference basket ball through out Lee County rambled into it's second week of play Tuesday night with six of eight schools participating in regular schedules.

An epidemic of influenza and colds shelved the St. Charles-Blackwater games until another day.

"Salty" Foster's Pennington High School cagers rambled into the win column at Dryden with a 36 to 15 victory after bowing to mighty Keokee last week. Shelton and Harber led the basket parade for the victors. The Pennington girls doubled the score to sink Dryden Lassies 44 to 22 with Shell and Stanley leading at the net.

Flatwood high school who always produces good ball teams dropped from the undefeated columns before the attack of the invading Keokeeians. The Keokee boys kept at the top of the league with a 39 to 17 win over the Flatwoods quintet with Hensley, the league's high scoring ace again looping enough points for his team's victory. The Keokee girls edged out Flatwoods with their first win by a scant margin of 31 to 30 with the whistle saving their game in final seconds of play. Legg was scoring star for Keokee, missing but a single attempt at the goal.

Thomas Walker lost a couple at Jonesville. The Jonesville girls won 35 to 16 and the boys emerging 29 to 20.

Last Friday, the Lee County Conference ushered in the opening chapter of the 1945-46 basketball conference with sixteen teams making their debut in excellent style.

Jonesville, St. Charles and Flatwoods triumphed with double victories with Pennington & Keokee splitting. Jonesville however, led the opening day scoring parade with the girls and boys teams together, looping 107 points.

The Jonesville girls, though hitting the basket for an unusually high score of 54, had plenty of competition from their opponents the hard fighting Dryden girls who also hit the basket for a grand total of 50 permitting the Jonesville lassies to emerge with a scant victory by 4 points,,,,lots of forwarding,,,, but no guarding. The Jonesville boys ran up the score with ease as they swamped Dryden 53 to 12.

At St. Charles, the Miners' daughters defeated the Farmer's daughters of Thomas Walker 42 to 22 with their high scoring star Theda Parsons, looping the basket for 34 points. Shifley led the basket parade for Thomas Walker with 14. The St. Charles boys were triumphant 37 to 19 over the Thomas Walker boys with Boone leading the scoring with 12 points, Poe following with 11. Grayson and Hampton were the outstanding in both offensive and defensive, Saylor played a fine game for Thomas Walker looping 15 points.

Flatwoods captured a couple of games from Blackwater. The girls winning 34 to 18, the boys 43 to 16.

They endured lots of excitement at Pennington Gap as the local lassies defeated the Keo-

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Tonker Christopher

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the home of Mrs. John W. Christopher, of Cambridge, Md., Wednesday, November 24, at 8:00 o'clock, when her son, Sgt. John Corbin Christopher, was married to Miss Chaney Tonker, daughter of Mr. Zack Tonker, of Jonesville. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. J. Bunting.

The bride was attired in a light blue street dress with matching accessories, and wore a corsage of red roses. The attendants were Mr. and Mrs. John F. Taylor, of Cambridge, Md., and Miss Ethel Commike, of New York City.

The happy couple will make their home at 110 Academy St., Cambridge.

Sgt. Christopher has just returned home after spending 14 months overseas.

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Three Teams Remain Undefeated In Cage Loop

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keeians 35 to 22. A new Keokee sixteet replacing the undefeated stars of last year were unable to carry on with equal valor. The Keokee boys however, well protected the winning reputation of their school with a 23 to 13 win over the Pennington quint. Hensley, the high scoring star of the connference last year looped 17 points for Keokee, again serving notice that he will be hard to keep out of top slot for scoring honors again this season. Graham led the scoring for Pennington.

Friday night's schedules of December 7, which to the service lads now playing, will be in dear memory of Pearl Harbor will bring together St. Charles and Keokee, two very good and undefeated boy's teams. Also the undefeated St. Charles girls team with their scoring star Theda Parsons meeting the strong Keokee girls will make it a double super dish for the nervous spectators which will by all means, pack the Keokee Gym. Flatwoods contest at Pennington Gap will be second in interest over the conference.

Schedules for Friday, Dec. 7

St. Charles at Keokee.
Flatwood at Pennington.
Dryden at Thomas Walker.
Jonesville at Blackwater.

The Official Standing

GIRLS	W	L	PCT
Pennington	2	0	1000
Jonesville	2	0	1000
St. Charles	1	0	1000
Flatwood	1	1	500
Keokee	1	1	500
Blackwater	0	1	000
Dryden	0	2	000
Thos. Walker	0	2	000

BOYS	W	L	PCT
Keokee	2	0	1000
Jonesville	2	0	1000
St. Charles	1	0	1000
Flatwood	1	1	500
Pennington	1	1	500
Blackwater	0	1	000
Dryden	0	2	000
Thos. Walker	0	2	000

With Our Servicemen

Served on USS "Kimberly"

Two Keokee Navy men, Roy L. Pennington, MM 3-C, and Earl D. Sorah, S. 1-C, served during the War on the destroyer USS KIMBERLY, which saw service in both the Atlantic and the Pacific, and had the honor of escorting the battleship USS MISSOURI when she left Japan to return to the States.

While surrender terms were being signed on the MISSOURI, the destroyer KIMBERLY stood by during ceremonies. The KIMBERLY is credited with knocking down five Jap planes while in action in the Pacific. The ship took part in operations in the Gilberts, Kuriles, Philippines and at Okinawa. Before entering the war in the Pacific, the destroyer did escort work in the Atlantic.

Discharged

Pfc. Ray C. Gilbert, of Dryden, was discharged from the Fort Sill Separation Point, Ft. Sill, Okla., after a service of fourteen months in the U. S. Army. He held the following awards: Am. Theatre EAME with three bronze stars, Good Conduct Medal, Purple Heart and one bronze cluster. At the time of his induction he was a student of Dryden High School.

Discharged

Two other discharged veterans are Lloyd S. Pridemore, S. 1-C, son of Mrs. Gertrude Pridemore of West Pennington, who gave 38 months of service, and 20 months overseas; Pfc. Pink A. McBee, son of Mrs. Nellie McBee, Route 1, Gibson Station, who served 10 months overseas as a truck driver with the 8th Air Force in the European Theatre of Operations. Before entering the Army McBee worked for J. L. Bradley of Abingdon, Va., cutting timber.

Enroute home

S. Sgt. W. C. Smith, veteran of service with the Thunderdragon (81st) Fighter Group, is on his way home from China.

He is the son of J. R. Smith of Keokee, and arrived overseas in May, 1945. He joined the Thunderdragon Group, which is returning to the States as a unit after a spectacular 39-month tour starting with the North African Invasion, continuing in Sicily and Italy, then moving to China as a unit of the 14th "Flying Tiger" Air Force to speed the end of hostilities with smashes against Japan.

Sgt. Smith was a crew chief with the 92nd Fighter Squadron. He wears a battlestar on his theatre ribbon for the China offensive campaign.

With MP Battalion

Serving with the famed 738th Military Police Battalion is Pvt. Carroll Clayton, husband of Mrs. Anna Clayton, R. 2, Pennington Gap, Va., and son of Mrs. Lora Clayton, R. 2, Jonesville. His MP duties include directing traffic, motorized patrols and foot patrols.

Prior to entering the service in August, 1944, Clayton was employed with the Blue Diamond Coal Co., at Bonny Blue. He was inducted at Ft. Meade, Md., in August, 1944, and completed basic Field Artillery training at Ft. Sill, Okla., in April, 1945. His MP Battalion is the only combat Military Police unit in the Southwest Pacific.

Released from Hospital

T-5 Richard Riding, of St. Charles, was released from the Army at Borden General Hospital, Chickasha, Okla., after two months of hospitalization. He is the husband of Nell Stapleton Riding, of St. Charles.

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Order Of Publication

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, Virginia, on the 17th day of November, 1945

Lilly Taylor Stapleton, . .. Complainant
vs. Order of Publication
Clyde O. Stapleton Defendant

The object of the above styled suit is to obtain a divorce on behalf of the complainant, Lilly Taylor Stapleton, from the defendant, Clyde O. Stapleton, upon grounds of cruelty and for voluntary desertion for more than two years of the said complainant by the defendant. And it appearing by affidavit filed according to law that Clyde O Stapleton, the above named defendant, is not a resident of the State; it is therefore ordered that the said Clyde O. Stapleton do appear within ten days after due publication of this order, in the Clerk's Office of our said Circuit Court, and do what is necessary to protect his interests. And it is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a newspaper published in Lee County, Virginia And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of said County on or before the next succeeding rule day, and another copy hereof mailed to said defendant, Clyde O Stapleton, to the Post Office address given in the affidavit

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Robt B Ely, p. q
Adv No 47-4t.

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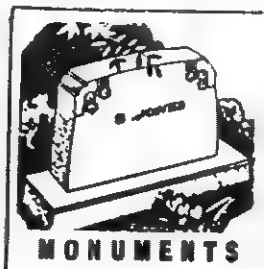
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TOWN TALK

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can do about it is to go right along and get a little bit older. However, according to the following philosophy printed in Dec. issue of Reader's Digest, it might not be so bad after all. A copy of this hangs over Douglas MacArthur's desk at his Manila headquarters:

"Youth is not a time of life-it is a state of mind; it is a temper of the will, a quality of the imagination, a vigor of the emotions, a predominance of courage over timidity, of the appetite for adventure over love of ease.

Nobody grows old by merely living a number of years; people grow old by deserting their ideals Years wrinkle the skin, but to give up enthusiasm wrinkles the soul. Worry, doubt, self-distrust fear and despair—these are the long long years that bow the head and turn the growing spirit back to dust.

Whether seventy or sixteen, there is in every being's heart the love of wonder, the sweet amazement at the stars and the starlike things and thoughts, the undaunted challenge of events, the unfailing childlike appetite for what next, and the joy and the game of life.

You are as young as your faith, as old as your doubt; as young as your self-confidence, as old as your fear; as young as your hope, as old as your despair; So long as your heart receives messages of beauty, cheer, courage, grandeur and power from the earth, from man and from the Infinite, so long you are young.

When the wires are all down and all the central place of your heart is covered with the snows of pessimism and the ice of cynicism, then you are grown old indeed, and may God have mercy on your soul."

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News From MILLER'S CHAPEL

Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Hines, of Virginia Beach, spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Terry. Mrs. Hines was formerly Miss Mary Jane Terry.

Lucille Sexton spent last Saturday night at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams.

Miss Mary Lee Garrett, student of Knoxville Business College, spent the Thanksgiving holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Garrett.

Miss Erma Jean Terry, who is employed at Virginia Beach, is spending a few weeks here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Terry.

Marshall Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Williams, has received his discharge from the U. S. Army after serving four years. A part of this time was in the European Theatre.

Sallie Bea Johnson visited Miss Flora Williams Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Terry received a telegram yesterday stating that their son, Leslie Terry, had landed in the States and would be home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Luster Rogers and children spent Saturday night with his sister, Mrs. Olin Parsons and Mr. Parsons, at Stone Creek.

Carl Sexton is very ill at this writing.

F. S. Garrett continues very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Napier, of Baxter, Ky., and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Bledsoe, of Chevrolet, Ky., were visiting here Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Danny Clawson.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bledsoe had as dinner guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bledsoe, of Ben Hur, Va., and Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Bledsoe, of Jenerville.

Mrs. Glenn Terry and children were dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Johnson, Sunday.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 21st day of November, 1945.

Commonwealth of Virginia, Complainant

vs. Order of Publication

Leslie Ledford, Defendant

The object of this suit is to condemn and sell Chevrolet automobile of said defendant, Motor Number M-84099 said defendant having unlawfully transported more than one gallon of alcoholic beverages in said automobile in said county. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Leslie Ledford, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address in Unknown, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

TESTE:

VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk.

By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D. C.

p. q. Robt. B. Ely.

Adv. No 47-4t.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 13th day of November, 1945.

Lewis Chandler, et als, Complainants

vs. Order of Publication

Rufus Russell, et als, Defendants

The object of this suit is for partition of the real estate of Julia Chandler, deceased, in Lee County, Virginia, and to set aside deed made by Sam Russell to Rufus Russell, et als as to Julia Chandler's interest therein And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, James Russell, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address is Kingsport, Tennessee, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste

VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk

By, CHARLES N. HAWS, D C

p. q. W. L. Davidson.

Adv No 46-4t

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WED. - THURS., DEC. 26 - 27
'Love Honor & Goodbye'

FRI. - SAT., DEC. 28 - 29
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SUN. - MON., DEC. 30 - 31
"JUNIOR MISS"

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"TOPPER RETURNS"

WED. - THURS., JAN. 2 - 3—
'Rainbow Island' in color

FRI. - SAT., JAN. 4 - 5—
"Man From Oklahoma" & "Bowery Champs"

SUN. - MON., JAN 6 - 7—
"Thrill Of a Romance" in color

TUESDAY, JANUARY 8—
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GARY COOPER

Saturday, December 15 — Double Feature

Santa Fe Saddlemates

—with—

SUNSET CARSON — LINDA STIRLING

and

Zombries On Broadway

—with—

WALLY BROWN — ANNE JEFFREYS

Social and Personal

Re-enlisted

T. Sgt. Robert Smyth has re-enlisted for a three-year term in the U. S. Army, following his honorable discharge October 11. During the time between his discharge and re-enlistment Sgt. Smyth visited his father-in-law at Danville, Ill., also his father, J. Marion Smyth, of Pennington Gap, Rt. 2. Sgt. Smyth has a wife and three children.

Martin Gilliam, a student of Tenn. Wesleyan College, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Gilliam at St. Charles.

Arthur Gilliam and son, Jimmy of Big Stone Gap, were visiting relatives in St. Charles Sunday.

Discharged

Among the servicemen home for keeps are S. Sgt. James Stewart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Stewart, of Keokee, and Sgt. Howard McElyea, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McElyea, of Pennington. Mr. Stewart plans to go take employment in Pennsylvania, where his brother lives.

Mr. McElyea is the husband of the former Miss Aline Wolliver.

Mrs. Guy A. Kauffman has been visiting in Jonesville with her sister, Mrs. Alma Cox, who is ill.

Be sure to see, Twice Blessed, with Preston Foster and Gail Patrick coming to the Lee Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, December 24th and 25th.

Class Dinner

The Ladies Bible Class, Methodist Church, with W. H. Creech as teacher, sponsored a Christmas dinner in connection with their regular meeting at the church Tuesday night, Dec. 4th. Turkey, with the usual accessories was included in the menu.

The banquet tables were decorated in the Christmas motif, bearing out a color scheme in red green and white. The centerpieces were tall vases of white chrysanthemums, donated by the Fry family. Red, green and white candles lighted the tables.

Following the dinner the guests enjoyed a series of games Christmas Carols and exchange of gifts. Hostesses were Mrs. J. G. Overbay and Mrs. Etta Green.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Gibson, of Corbin, announce the birth of a son on Sunday, November 25th, to whom has been given the name James Bernard. Mrs. Gibson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McElyea of Pennington.

Be sure to see, Twice Blessed, with Preston Foster and Gail Patrick coming to the Lee Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, December 24th and 25th.

Mrs. Sally Manning is absent from the Powell Valley News this week due to illness.

Miss Vivian Oaks, cadet student nurse at Knoxville General Hospital, spent a four-day leave last week with her mother, Mrs. Cleo Oaks and family.

Mrs. Amos Templeton, of Appalachia, Mrs. Bill King and small son, Terry Wayne, of Benham, Ky., were the week end guests of Mrs. T. L. Forester and Mrs. Claude Grace.

Among the Lee General Hospital patients is Mrs. Hubert Nida, of Jonesville, who underwent an appendectomy Saturday night. She is reported doing well.

Pvt. Hobert Sutton is spending a few days furlough with his mother, Mrs. Minnie Sutton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Murphy King received a telegram from their son, Fred Gray King informing them he had landed at New Jersey Fred has been in Italy more than two years.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Quinley received a telegram from their son Charles, who is in the Navy, said he would be home for Christmas.

Ex-soldier visits here

T-5 Poley Kauffman, recently discharged from the U. S. Army in which he served as Radio Operator, is visiting here with his brother, Attorney Guy A. Kauffman and family and with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hayes and family.

Bride Of November 9

Mrs. Harold Parks

Miss Hazel Carter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Carter, of West Carrollton, Ohio, and Harold Parks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Van Parks, of Pennington Gap, Virginia, were united in marriage November 9 at Harlan, Ky.

Mrs. Parks is a graduate of St. Charles High School and was formerly employed as laboratorian at Oxford Miami, near Dayton, Ohio.

Mr. Parks recently returned from 39 months service with the U. S. Army in the European Theatre. They will make their home at Manns, near St. Charles, Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Ridenour, of Oak Ridge, spent last week here with relatives and with her mother, Mrs. McKendricks, of Harlan.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hays, of Williamson, West Virginia, visited Leonard and Cuma Hays Saturday and Sunday.

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Christmas at Stallards

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Stallard, Sr., will celebrate Christmas a little in advance this year, due to the homecoming of the family.

Pvt. Frank W. Stallard is home from Orono, Maine, where he has just completed an electrical engineering course at the University of Maine. At the termination of his furlough he will report to Camp Campbell, Ky.

A wire came from Dewey H. Stallard, Jr., at Norfolk, stating that he had just landed from overseas duty and would proceed at once for home.

Don will be home from Emory & Henry College. Mrs. Stallard says she will treat the family to a real Christmas dinner Sunday, December 9, and she knows a plenty how this is done.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 16 day of November, 1945.

John C. Holmes, ...Complainant

vs. Order of Publication

Orville Lee Mathews Holmes.... Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a Divorce a Vinculo Matrimonii. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Orville Lee Mathews Holmes is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address was c-o Union Station, Pennsylvania Railroad Company, Washington, D. C., it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:

VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk.

By LOUISE McNIEL, D. C.

p. q. Guy A. Kauffman

Adv. No. 47-4t.

Fry - Arnold

The home of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Fry in West Pennington, was the scene of a beautiful wedding, Thursday morning, Nov. 29, at 10:30, when their daughter, Becky N. Fry, became the bride of Captain W. A. Arnold, of Ft. McClellan, Alabama, with the Rev. W. B. Moore, Pastor of the First Christian Church of Pennington Gap, officiating. About 80 guests witnessed the wedding.

The bride wore a suit of soldier blue trimmed in fuchsia, with black accessories. Her corsage was white rosebuds. She was given in marriage by her father, and her only attendant was her sister, Miss Helen Fry, who was maid of honor. She was attired in a fuchsia-colored suit with black accessories, and wore a corsage of talisman roses. Harry K. Fry, brother of the bride, served as best man to the groom.

Preceding the ceremony, Miss Cora Lewis rendered a program of nuptial music, and Mrs. J. R. Barron sang "Because" and "I Love You Truly." During the ceremony Miss Lewis softly played "To A Wild Rose."

The home was beautifully decorated for the occasion with white candles in candelabra, and baskets of white chrysanthemums with ferns. Immediately following the ceremony a wedding reception was given at the bride's home, after which the couple left for a honeymoon trip to points in Ohio. They plan to make their home at Wilmington, Deleware.

Among the out of town guests attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Luntsford and family, of Johnson City, Tenn., and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Arnold, of Kingsport, Tenn.

The bride graduated from Pennington High School, class of '40. She was employed for a time by the Johnson City Press at Johnson City, Tenn., and later held a responsible position at Oak Ridge, Tenn.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Arnold, of Pennington Gap. He has just returned from a three years' service in the European Theatre of Operations, and is here on terminal leave until January 1, 1946, at which time he expects his discharge.

Illness in PG family

Illness has struck hard in the C. C. Fugate family it seems. Mr Fugate, who spent several weeks in a hospital at Richmond, Va, is now undergoing treatment at Excelsior Springs hospital, Mo.

The son, Clyde M., recently discharged from the U. S. Army service, is confined to the Veterans' Hospital at Roanoke.

This morning a message came that Mr. Fugate's mother, Mrs. W. L. Fugate, is seriously ill at her home in Winchester, Ky.

Another birth announcement comes from Mr. and Mrs. Ciel Bailey, of Richlands, who announce the birth of a daughter on Saturday, December 1. The baby has been given the name of Margaret Carole. The mother was formerly Miss Margaret Wheeler, of Wheeler, Virginia, and Mr. Bailey, proprietors of Pennington Hotel.

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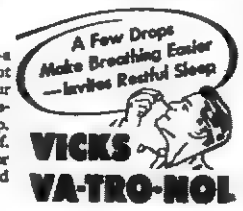

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Town Talk

About This, That, And The Other

By Mrs. Etta Green

Greetings

The thought we'd like to crowd into our column this Christmas involves a multitude of good wishes for a happy holiday and successful New Year for all.

And Christmas time is no longer a day but a season. All through the month of December the Christmas carols are sung; exchange of greetings and gifts go on; parties and festivals make their rounds. By the time Christmas day arrives the story is told, the routine finished; we relax again into the normal way of life for another year.

But whether we make of Christmas a day or a season; whether we lose the Christmas spirit with the passing of December 25 or retain it's meaning throughout the year, it represents the outstanding event of all ancient or modern history—the birth of the world's greatest leader and teacher. What a tragedy that the ideals and principals He taught do not yet dominate the earth—especially the ideal of Peace and Good Will!

"There is a destiny."

Rev. W. B. Moore, pastor of the First Christian Church of Pennington Gap, has lived a varied life and followed different financial projects until fate finally lured him into his present successful ministerial career.

Rev. Moore tells us that when a young boy, only about eleven years of age, he spent about four years at the home of a school teacher by the name of Lewis Livesay at Kyles Ford, Tennessee helping him about the home and attending school three months out of the year, which was the length of a school term at that time.

During this time his father died, which made it necessary for him to return home and help his mother. He worked about the farm and at odd jobs until about 1906, when he was appoited mail carrier on a rural route.

His first business adventure was renting a farm and having it cultivated while still a mail carrier; buying, grazing and selling live stock. Next he and W. R. Fugate bought a stock of merchandise from James Flanary and formed the firm of Fugate & Moore on Station Creek. In 1918 he sold his interest in the mercantile business to his partner, also resigned his mail route and purchased a half interest in the hvery business conducted by T. C. Barlow in Pennington Gap and moved to this town.

This business was practically destroyed by fire within a year and he then was employed by E. H. Whitaker as clerk in a confectionery store located in the Fletcher & Witt building near the depot, being now owned by I. Shelburne. He purchased an interest in this business and it was given the name "Whitaker & Moore." In 1919 Dr. R. C. Parsons, who had just finished the school of Pharmacy, joined the firm; drugs were added and the firm became the Pennington Pharmacy.

Moore sold his interest in the Pennington Pharmacy to his partners, Whitaker and Parsons, and formed a partnership with J. V. Graham. They purchased a confectionery from W. F. Statzer and run the business under the name of Graham & Moore for more than a year. They then

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"Save The Quail" Is Appeal Of Commission

RICHMOND, Va., December 13—An appeal to the sportsmen to save the quail where brood stocks are low was made by the Commission of Game and Inland Fisheries at its meeting today. This was the alternative to closing the season by regulation in sections where birds are known to be scarce.

It was the opinion of members of the Commission that it would be putting too much hunting pressure on areas where the shooting is reasonably good if nearby areas were closed and that best results could be obtained for the remaining weeks of the regular season by appealing directly to the sportsmen to refrain from shooting coveys down too low.

Ewing School Building Is Destroyed By Fire

Ninth In County To Burn In Recent Years

The Elementary School building, formerly known as the Lee County Industrial and Ewing High School, located at Ewing, Virginia, was destroyed by fire of unknown origin about 11:30 Thursday night, Dec. 6, the School Board at Jonesville reports.

This building was erected in 1918 at an approximate cost of $50,000.00, Paul Roop stated, adding that in all probability it could not be duplicated at the same price.

The building contained 12 class rooms and main auditorium, Mr. Roop stated, and 304 students were enrolled this year. Some of the students, he said, will go to Thomas Walker, some of the classes will be held in the dormitory of the former trade school, and others in local buildings.

This is the ninth school building in Lee County to burn from unknown causes in recent years, the last being the large Elk Knob Junior High School which burned last March, according to reports issued from the office of the Jonesville School Board.

Dec. Pre-Induction Call Local Board No. 1

Selective Service Board No. 1, Jonesville, Lee County, Va., list the following registrants who reported for pre-induction examination on December 12, 1945.

Billy Joe Skidmore, Ben Hur Wesley McNeal Travis, R4, Jonesville. Albert Eugene Smith, Ben Hur. Benjamin Turrell Half, Hubbard Springs. Charles Keith Miner, R3, Jonesville. Harry Alfred McConnell, R2, Rose Hill. Morton Clifford Bacon, R2, Rose Hill. James William Pauley, Rose Hill. Tony Ray Edens, Ewing. Fred Robert Taylor, R1, Rose Hill. Roy Carson Fugate, Rose Hill. Roger William Lowe, Rose Hill. Samuel Hoover Bledsoe, Ewing. James Olin Reece, Jonesville. Oscar Lee Collins, R2, Jonesville. Grover Cleveland Nelson, Route, Rose Hill. Charles Henry Middleton, R2, Jonesville. James Olin Seabolt, R3, Jonesville. William Gray Moore, R2, Jonesville

Coal Company Official Dies In Cincinnati

Dr. Nathan D. Bachman, Vice President of the Peabody Coal Company and the Black Mountain Corporation, died suddenly today in his Cincinnati Office at the age of 72. The Peabody and Black Mountain Companies embrace the St. Charles areas.

Dr. Bachman was also chairman of the Bituminous Coal Producers' Board, District 9, embracing the Appalachian Field.

He was a native of Blountville, Tenn., and although he held a medical degree he never practiced the profession.

First Baptist Church

Sunday, Dec. 16: Sunday School at 9:00 a. m., A. T. Burchette, Supt.

Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon topic, "Satisfied With Jesus."

Sunday evening: Training Unions meet at 6:30. Evening worship at 7:30. Sermon topic, "Why call them wise?"

Midweek prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

On Sunday evening, Dec. 23, a Sunday School Christmas program will be presented in the form of a pageant, including a tree, treats, etc.

A special effort is being made to make this a most interesting program and all are invited to attend.

P. R. Stubbs, Pastor.

James Gilbert Died In China December 4

Harry Gilbert, of Ocoonita, has been notified of the death of his son, James, 20, in China, December 4. The message did not give full details other than that he died of wounds received in action with the U. S. Merchant Marines.

He is survived by his father, five sisters and four brothers.

U. S. Mail Dispatched To Overseas Area Lost In Violent Storm

The War Department reports the loss during a violent storm of the bulk of overseas Christmas mail destined for APO, 729 in the Alentian area. This mail, which was being transhipped by small surface craft at the time of its loss at sea, originated in the United States during the Christmas mailing period, September 15 to October 15, when no request was required from the soldier.

In order to permit the sending at once of Christmas parcels to Army personnel through APO 729, Postmasters may accept one parcel from any individual for mailing to persons receeiving mail through this particular APO without the usual request requirment if the parcel is presented for mailing not later than December 20.

J. P. Kelly, Postmaster

OPA Price Regulations Governing New Car Sales

Any automobile dealer who delivers or agrees to deliver a new car at a price to be adjusted upward "after delivery" is in violation of OPA Maximum Price Regulation No. 594, according to officials of the Roanoke District Office. This regulation effective August 31, 1945, provides a method by which dealers in new passenger automobiles may figure their ceiling prices. No method other than this has as yet been provided by the OPA.

A dealer may not sell, deliver or solicit a sale at a price higher than his ceiling price. He may, however, take an order for a car to be paid for at the ceiling price in effect "at the time of delivery."

First Christian Church

Sunday morning, Dec. 16: Bible School at 10:00, H. O. Hines, Supt. Worship with communion at 10:45.

Lee Choral Club, under the direction of Mrs. J. R. Barton, will sing a number of Christmas carols, interspersed with readings by Mrs. J. V. Graham; A program approach to the Christmas season that all will want to share, I am sure

Christian Endeavors will meet at 6:15 p. m., Mrs. Ruth Keith, Pres.

Worship with sermon by the pastor at 7:00 p. m.; sermon topic, "The Day Spring from on High hath visited us."

Choir rehearsal Wednesday evening at 6:30. Midweek prayer service at 7:00 o'clock

W. B. Moore, Minister

Va. Crippled Children's Hospital Makes Appeal

The Crippled Children's Hospital of Richmond made an appeal early this week to all home owners of Virginia now preserving the harvest from their victory gardens, to remember the hospital patients by donating extra cans of fruits and vegetables, eggs and poultry, or other suitable products.

Housewives of Virginia can aid these unfortunate children in their battle for health by sending part of this season's pack to the Crippled Children's Hospital, 29-24 Brook Road, Richmond. Jars will be sent to home canners living in nearby communities and housewives living at greater distances will be reimbursed for the jars they send in.

With millions of men still in the armed services, charitable institutions will still be forced to depend heavily upon donations from individual canners to maintain proper diets for their patients, officials of the hospital state.

Appeals for donations of home canned fruits and vegetables have been unusually good in past years and officials of the hospital express the hope that increased yields from victory gardens will enable Virginia housewives to help supply healthgiving foods to these crippled children.

Former Pennington Gap Men Killed In Wreck

Chris Helton and a companion, Andy Buttry, both about 65, were reported killed in a highway accident on the road across Clinch Mountain last Thursday.

Mr. Buttry was killed instantly the report said, and Mr. Helton died enroute to Lyons Hospital at Rogersville. The accident occurred when the men were enroute to attend the tobacco sales at Rogersville. The truck in which they were riding left the road at a sharp curve, falling to the highway several feet below where the road swings around a ridge.

Mr. Helton formerly lived in East Pennington. He had a wife and several children.

Election Of Officers Other Programs, IOOF

There will be an election of Officers of the I. O. O. F. Friday night, December 28, 1945. All Odd Fellows invited to be present.

Saturday night, Jan. 5, 1946, there will be on Open Meeting for the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs and families at Pennington Lodge No. 155, Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Features of the program will be a public installation of officers of the Subordinate and Rebekah Lodges, speaking by some of the notable and able speakers, also songs and other entertainment. Refreshments after the program.

All lodges are requested to be present.

Ellis Roberts and J. M. Carroll, Program Committee

Annual Christmas Program, W. S. C. S.

The Auxiliary of the W. S. C. S., (Womans Society Of Christian Service) met at the church today for their annual Christmas program and luncheon.

Four tables, beeautifully decorated in the Christmas motif, represented the four circles of the Auxiliary, and each circle leader presided at her table. The ladies had previously drawn names to give each other gifts, and these were distributed following the luncheon. The following program was carried out:

Carol—"O Come, All Ye ful." Carol—"O Little Town of Bethleham." Scripture—Luke 2:1-20, Mrs. Wade Parsons. A Christmas Purpose—Mrs. L. G. Cress. Carol—"Away in a Manger" Story - "Shepherd Who Stayed Awake", Mrs M H. Robbins. Christmas - Meditation, Mrs Guy Kauffman. Carol —"Silent Night."

Pennington Lions Club To Sponsor Christmas Activities In Community

The Pennington Lions Club, with Rev. P. R. Stubbs as president, is doing much to promote the Christmas spirit in our community this season by sponsoring helpful projects.

They plan to fill special baskets for the blind in their district, which comprises the section east of Jonesville. There are fourteen blind persons in this area, Rev. Stubbs said.

They have erected and decorated the Community Christmas tree near the center of town at the intersection just below the Standard Filling Station. Special programs of music are being arranged to be broadcast over a loud speaker from the Methodist Church and conveyed by remote control, to center about the tree.

The various choirs and music clubs of the community will take part in these programs.

Bill Fritz New Police Chief For St. Charles

Bill Fritz, who resigned as chief of police of St. Charles in October to take a rest, has been re-appointed to this office, the St. Charles Mayor, Charles M. Wheeler, announces.

Fritz replaces Red Walker, former professional base ball pitching star, who pinch hit for Fritz. He will be assisted by Earl Poe, Mr. Wheeler said.

Local Farmers Get More Authority In AAA

The 1946 agricultural conservation program goes farther than any previous AAA program to meet the conservation needs of individual farms, according to Mr. R. B. Bridgforth, State Director of the Field Service Branch Production and Marketing Administration.

Under the 1946 program, counties as well as States will receive an allocation of funds to operate their conservation programs. Assistance which the Government will give farmers, either in payments or in conservation materials or services, will be based on the actual needs of the farms, according to the money available and the needs of other farms in the county. Under former programs, a State-wide formula was used in most areas for determining the assistance a farmer could earn.

As in other years, the program for 1946 varies by States and counties according to climate, topography, type of farming, and the conservation needs.

Mr. Bridgforth, pointed out that the 1946 program gives more responsibility to farmers and local AAA Committeemen in choosing the practices to be carried out. Committeemen will help each farmer develop his plan, choosing practices from an approved list for the county. To qualify for payment, practices must receive prior approval of the county committeemen.

Tree Seedlings For Reforestration Are Available To Farmers

Tree seedlings for reforestation are available to farmers, at no cost, according to County Agent, R. C. Carter. In making this announcement, Mr. Carter stated many farmers will want to take advantage of this offer in order to get trees established on those idle acres on the farm that are not producing crops or pasture.

Tree seedlings are usually planted at the rate of 1,000 per acre, Farm Agent Carter said, and are spaced about six by seven feet apart. When planted at this spacing, trees tend to prune naturally, and thus produce straight trunks free of limbs. Farmers can select their trees from this list: shortleaf pine, Va. pine, black locust, white ash and yellow poplar. The county agent emphasized, however, that the kind of trees selected should be adapted to the soil where it is to be planted. To help in the selection of the proper tree, a planting guide can be obtained from Mr Carter's office

Farmers needing trees should apply at the County Agent's office, Jonesville, Virginia. Trees will be delivered next February and March, according to present plans.

Monthly Pack Meeting Of Local Scouts Held

The Cub Scout Organization held their regular monthly meeting in the Assembly Hall of the Methodist Church last Friday night, with about 50 parents and invited guests present.

The theme of the month's project was Radio Shows. Den No. 3 made the Microphone and Bruce Vanhuss, Cub Scout Reporter, was Announcer.

Earl Stallard was accepted as a new member in the Pack and assigned to Den No. 1.

Den No. 2 presented the Bug Town Band and the Kitchen Band. The boys in this were Albert Mehaffey, L. T. Stewart, Bersford Hurd, Billy Lynn Richards.

Wesley Hayes Conducted a Quiz Program.

Den No. 1 gave a Negro Minstrel, presenting seven boys in the cast. They were: Jimmy Kelly Roderick Stubbs, Millard Hale Robbins, Jack Orr, Earl Stallard, John Ed Brooks, David Tipton.

Following the program refreshments were served by the Den mothers.

Pennington H S Adjourns For Holidays Dec. 21

On Friday, December 21, the Principal, Teachers and Students of Pennington High School will lock up their troubles for a while, to join in the Merry Christmas vacation.

School will adjourn on that date, to re-open January 2, Prof. R. E. Beeler, Jr., announced today.

Jonesville Leading In Both Cage Loops

Promoted To Colonel

Col. Frank B. Rowlette is probably the only Lee Countian at the present time ranking as Colonel. He was promoted to this rank at Arlington, Va., November 9, 1945.

Col. Rowlette received his B. S. Degree from Emory & Henry College in 1929, and was employed by the War Department from 1930 to 1942, at which time he was called to active duty as second Lieutenant. He earned a promotion from this grade to rank of Major in less than a year.

He was promoted to Lt. Col. in May, 1944, and about that time made a trip to England in the interest of the U. S. Signal Corps, arriving within 36 hours from the time he left Washington.

Col. Rowlette is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Rowlette, of Rose Hill. His wife was formerly Miss Edith King, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. King, also of Rose Hill. They have two sons, Frank, Jr. and Thomas Marshall.

TB Christmas Seal Sales Are Increasing

Mrs. V. M. Pence, local chairman of the Christmas Seals Campaign in the interest of the Tuberculosis Association, reports that the returns from these Sales continue to come in at a very encouraging rate.

Since the report last week the amount sold has increased from $75.00 to $165.00, with others to whom the seals were mailed yet to be heard from.

The TB Association will hold a meeting at the Court House in Bristol tomorrow, Dec. 14, at 10:00 a. m., at which representatives of several counties, including Lee, will be present.

Methodist Church

Sunday, Dec. 16: Church School at 9:00 a. m., Clyde L. Kirk, Supt.

Morning worship at 10:45: sermon theme "Seeing Christmas."

Special music, Christmas Anthem by the choir.

Sunday evening: Meeting of Discussion Groups for all Departments except the Nursery Department. Miss Ruth Campbell will have charge of the Children's Department.

The Children's Division will have charge of the evening service at 7:00 o'clock. Theme for the evening will be "God So Loved The World."

Choir rehearsal but no prayer meeting Wednesday evening.

Charlie D. Mehaffey, Pastor.

St. Charles P. T. A.

The St. Charles P. T. A met Friday evening, December 7, with Mrs. Eva Newman, President, presiding

Mrs Hill's Junior Choral Club sang Christmas carols and several piano numbers were given by the Music Department. Plans were discussed for the installation of an intercommunicative set in the St. Charles School.

Year's Biggest Stories In '45 Selected By UP

The United Press has just announced its selection of the 12 biggest news stories of 1945, judged in terms of surprise, significance and headline display. In chronological order the list follows:

Roosevelt dies at Warm Springs April 12.

Italian Partisans execute Mussolini April 28.

Hamburg radio announces Hitler's death, May 1.

Germany signs surrender at Reims, May 6.

United Nations organize for world peace at San Francisco, Charter completed June 26.

Labor Day party wins British elections, July 28.

Bomber crashes into Empire State Building July 28.

Potsdam Declaration, Aug. 2.

Truman reports use of first atomic bomb on Japan, Aug. 6.

Truman announces Japan accepts surrender terms, Aug. 14.

German War criminals go on trial at Neurnburg, Nov. 20.

UAW strikes General Motors, Nov. 21.

Theda Parsons Increases Her Conference Scoring

Jonesville undisputedly took over top spot in both departments of the Lee County Conference on the hard wood Friday night as the fourth round of conference schedules became a matter of history.

The No. 1 boy's game of the week was played at Keokee between the undefeated Keokee boys and the undefeated Keokee lads with the visitors from Capitol valley emerging with a 27 to 22 victory to hand the hard fighting Keokeelans their first defeat of the year, thus slapping them from top spot in the league. Humphreys led Jonesville's basket parade with eleven points while Hensley, the conference high scoring star of both last year and this season, led Keokee with 16.

The Jonesville girls shared equal honors with the boys by winning 32 to 22 to likewise keep their record intact. Miss Johnson was the scoring star for Jonesville by looping an outstanding score of 23 points. Legg scored 13 for Keokee.

The No. 1 girl's game of the week between two undefeated teams took on the form of a basket holiday at St. Charles with the two participating teams looping a total of 104 points, St. Charles obtaining the largest slice with a 66 to 38 win over their tough rivals, the Pennington Gap girls.

Theda Parsons, the high scoring star of the conference and all Southwestern Virginia, added greater honors to her already enviable record by looping 43 points to lead for St. Charles. Willis followed with 11 and Jones 10. The Pennington girls did a swell job at the basket, showing good reason why they, until tonight, had remained undefeated, they looped the basket with 38 points Wooliver leading with 22 followed by Stanley with 13.

Flatwoods add unto their fold, a double bill over Dryden, the local boys winning 42 to 21 with Scott and Marcum leading the scoring while Neeyey led for Dryden.

The Flatwoods girls came up with a 46 to 21 win with Wynn scoring 35 points for second high of the league for the evening. Davis looped 10 for Dryden.

The Thomas Walker-Blackwater game was cencelled due to a raging epidemic of influenza.

Last Friday, The Thomas Walker girls defeated the Dryden girls 33 to 25 with Keys leading the scoring with 26 points. Gilbert looped 13 for Dryden. The Thomas Walker boys ran up a 55 to 14 score over the Dryden boys with Burke leading with 16.

In otheer league affairs St. Charles and Keokee split a double-header in the No. 1 games of the week. Keokee boys remained undefeated by edging out St. Charles 25 - 24 as the final whistle caught the victory pitch sailing through the air. The St. Charles girls evened the program by winning their game in easy 47 - 19 fashion. Parsons hit 24 points and Willis shot in 19 for the winners.

Jonesville had easy sailing at Blackwater, the girls winning 45 - 15 and the boys 34 - 11.

Pennington Gap and Flatwoods postponed their game due to influenza which had bedded several players on both squads.

Games Friday night December 14

Pennington at Jonesville.
Flatwood at St. Charles.
Keokee at Thomas Walker.
Blackwater at Dryden.

The official standing.

GIRLS	W	L	PCT
Jonesville	4	0	1000
St. Charles	3	0	1000
Pennington	2	1	667
Flatwood	2	1	667
Thos. Walker	1	2	333
Keokee	1	3	250
Blackwater	0	2	000
Dryden	0	4	000

BOYS	W	L	PCT
Jonesville	4	0	1000
Keokee	3	1	750
St. Charles	2	1	667
Flatwood	2	1	667
Pennington	1	2	333
Thos. Walker	1	2	333
Blackwater	0	2	000
Dryden	0	4	000

Deaths
AND FUNERALS

Andrew J. Garrison

Funeral services for Andrew Jackson Garrison, 71, who was found dead last Friday about 1 p. m. on a Mountain path in Lee County, near Keokee, was held Sunday, December 9, at 2 p. m. in the Keokee Baptist Church, with Rev. James Smith officiating. Interment was in the Morris Cemetery at Keokee. Mr. Garrison's death was attributed to a heart attack by Sheriff J. W. Newman, acting coroner of Lee County.

Mr. Garrison had been a resident of Keokee for the past twelve years, and was a former employee of the Clinton Ordinance Works at Oak Ridge, Tenn. He had gone hunting in the mountains late Thursday evening, according to reports, and the body was found by his father-in-law, Nick Lawrence.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Lula Morris Garrison; four sons, Don and Lucian, of Norfolk Everett, U. S. Army overseas, & Luke, of Elizabethton, Tenn., two daughters, Mrs. Herbert Terry, Covington, Va., Mrs. Opal Hensley, Elizabethton, Tenn., one step son, Paul Blankenship, U. S. Navy; one brother, Henderson Garrison, of Oceanside, California; two sisters, Mrs. Jack Combs Darfork, Ky., Mrs. Simantha McConnell, Big Stone Gap.

Ollie Ethel Carroll

Ollie Ethel Carroll, 47, of Ocoonita, died at her home on Monday, December 10, after an illness covering a period of about two years.

Funeral services were held at Bethel Church Wednesday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock. Burial in Bethel Cemetery.

Mrs. Carroll is survived by her husband, Galin Carroll; three daughters, Mrs. Juanita Patton, of Galax, Va., Virginia and Rosella, at home; five sons, Arnold, Galin, Jr. who is with the U. S Army overseas; Joseph Lee, Franklin D. and Lowell Blanchard, at home.

Infants Brummett-Burgen

Two infants reported as having been born and died the same day are: the son of Mr & Mrs. Frank Brummett and the son of Mr and Mrs. Mitchell Burgen, all of Pennington Gap.

News From
WOODWAY

Mr. Ben Lawson was very pleasantly surprised Friday night, by a birthday party given in his honor by his mother, Mrs. Howard Lawson.

Mack Gilbert has returned from Chicago, after spending a week there in a 4-H Club Conference.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Huff, of Clinton, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Huff

The Ladies' Bible Class of the Mount Carmel Church met Friday, December 7, at the home of Mrs. George Willis After the business session and program delicious refreshments were served.

Sgt. Earl Johnston, of Jonesville, just recently returned from overseas, was visiting friends and relatives here Sunday.

Brice Litton, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Litton.

News From
HAGAN

Byrd Hensley, of the U. S. Marines, is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gill Hensley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Ely and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Barney Blankenship.

Pfc. Junior Fee, who has been discharged from the Army, and Miss Tilda Fee, of Hardy's Creek, were visiting friends and relatives here Sunday.

Hagan Hensley, of Sampson, Ky., spent last week with his sister, Mrs. Gill Hensley, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Langley spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Langley and family.

Oscar Hensley, of the U. S. Navy, stationed at Camp Peary, Va., is spending a ten-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kin Hensley, and family.

Earl Thomas has returned home with a discharge from the Army.

Order Of Publication

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, Virginia, on the 17th day of November, 1945

Lilly Taylor Stapleton, Complainant

vs. Order of Publication

Clyde O. Stapleton .... Defendant

The object of the above styled suit is to obtain a divorce on behalf of the complainant, Lilly Taylor Stapleton, from the defendant, Clyde O. Stapleton, upon grounds of cruelty and for voluntary desertion for more than two years of the said complainant by the defendant. And it appearing by affidavit filed according to law that Clyde O. Stapleton, the above named defendant, is not a resident of the State; it is therefore ordered that the said Clyde O. Stapleton do appear within ten days after due publication of this order, in the Clerk's Office of our said Circuit Court, and do what is necessary to protect his interests. And it is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a newspaper published in Lee County, Virginia. And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of said County on or before the next succeeding rule day, and another copy be mailed to said defendant, Clyde O. Stapleton, to the Post Office address given in the affidavit.

Attest:

LOUISE McNIEL, D. C.

Robt. B. Ely, p. q.

Adv. No 47-4t.

Outstanding 1945 Dates

Two dates in 1945 wont happen again for 100 years. They are: Jan. 23, 1945, which read in straight numerical progression 1-23'45. (12345). The other was Monday, Dec. 3, which read 12-3-'45. (12345). The next time will be January 23, 2045, when again they will read 1-23'-45.

LEE COUNTY
Progress-Places-People

By Mrs. Etta Green

JONESVILLE:

Jonesville is the County seat of Lee County. It is located in the heart of Powell Valley, near the center of the County, about four miles west of the L. & N. Railway.

The town has approximately 900 to 1,000 inhabitants. It is the oldest town in the County, and from it have come more political and civic leaders and statesmen than any of the other towns.

Here is located many old homes that speak of by-gone wealth and aristocracy. Among them are the former homes of the Hyatts, Pridemores, Sewells, Richmonds, Orrs, Wynns, Cridlins, and many others, the owners of which made outstanding donations to the development and progress of the town and County. Also in Jonesville there are pretty and modern homes, especially the newer west end addition.

The town is said to have been named for Frederick Jones, one of the earliest pioneer residents, who deeded the land for a townsite. One of the famous landmarks of the Jonesville Area is the old Jonesville Camp Ground, which, according to date, had it's beginning in 1810. The present court house was erected in 1934, at an approximate cost of $60,000.00. The former court house, in fact quite a few that were built since the formation of the County in 1792 were destroyed by fire.

Mrs. June Presley and Mrs. Ressie Pennington were shopping in Ashville, N. C., last week.

St. Charles
PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Foster of Byington, Tenn., were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hagy, Sr.

P. O. 2-c and Mrs. Harold Denny are visiting relatives in St. Charles this week.

Lt. and Mrs. Howard Wynn and daughter Ann are the guests of Lt. Wynn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wynn.

Mrs. L. B. Hagy, Jr. was shopping in Bristol Thursday.

Mrs. Kenneth Harber of Norton is visiting relatives in St. Charles this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Laningham and daughters of Baltimore, Md. are visiting relatives and friends in St. Charles.

Dan Barwick, formerly of the U. S. Navy was visiting friends in St. Charles over the week end.

E. J. Osborne of the U. S. Army arrived home this week after having served overseas for the past two years.

Miss Golden Wacks was shopping in Louisville, Ky. last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Baker have returned from a visit in Cincinnati, Ohio.

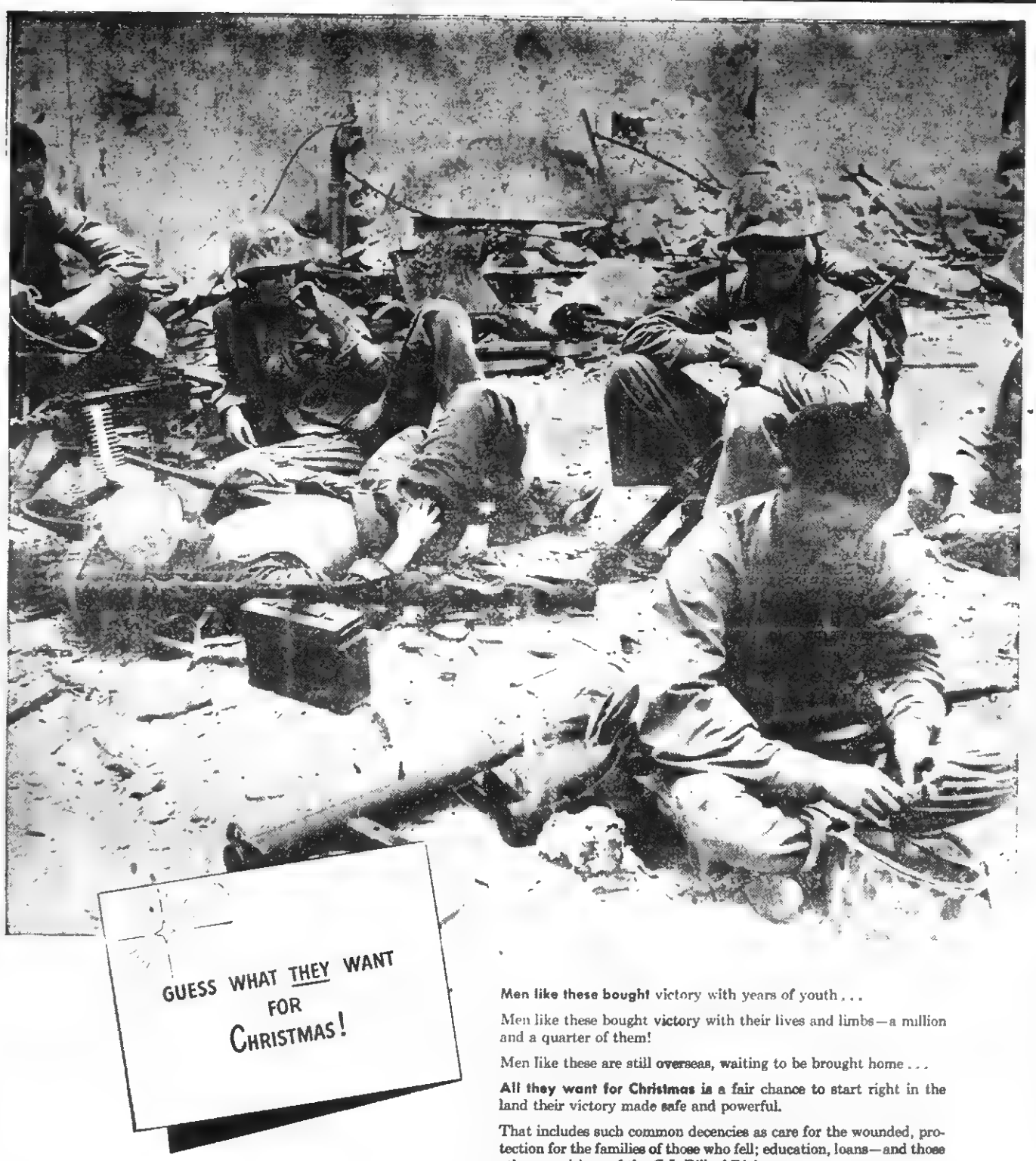
Miss. Pearl Gilliam was shopping in Harlan Saturday.

Singing Convention

The Lee County Singing Convention will be held Sunday, Dec. 16th, at Pucketts Creek Church. Dinner will be served at the church.

The singers and public cordially invited.

Haven R. Parsons,
Committeeman.



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News From JONESVILLE

Rt. 4
Week of Dec. 6

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Bledsoe announce the birth of twin sons, Thursday, Nov. 29. They were given the names Ronnie Doyle and Donald Ray. One of them lived only a short time. Funeral services were held at the home Saturday at ten o'clock a. m. with Rev. L. D. Perkins in charge. Burial followed in the Cooney Cemetery.

Miss Opal Ray, of Jonesville, attended services at York Sunday.

W. J. Roberts took a load of tobacco to Tazewell Tuesday but had to bring it back for lack of room in the Warehouse. He will go again.

There is still much illness in this community.

News From FRIENDSHIP

Week of Dec. 6

The Y. W. A. girls gave their "Lottie Moon" program Sunday afternoon at the church with Mrs. Olin Jones in charge.

The W. M. S. gave a very interesting Play at the church Sunday night entitled "Out of a Barrel." The cast was: Mrs. E. C. Knicely, Mrs. C. D. Cody, Mrs. Olin Jones, Mrs. J. A. Rosenbaum, Mrs. Walter Spangler, Mrs. Larkin Yates, Mrs. Glenn Millis and Mrs. Frank Willis.

Mrs. Frank Willis and children were shopping in Pennington Gap Monday.

Mrs. J. A. Rosenbaum and children, Reba and Jimmy, spent the week end with his brother, Emmon Rosenbaum, at Oak Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Berry, of Pennington Gap, visited her sister, Mrs. Glenn Willis and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Hurst, of Knoxville spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Willis.

T. J. Willis, Seaman 2-C. of Norfolk spent two days with home folks last week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Willis made a business trip to Morristown Monday.

Mrs. Hyatt Bailey, of Oak Ridge, is at her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. I. Snodgrass recuperating after two or more week's illness.

News From KEOKEE

Miss Iva Clarkston, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., spent the past week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Clarkston.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Wells and son, Larry, have returned to their home in Corbin, Ky. Mrs. Wells and Larry had been visiting her mother, Mrs. J. J. Clarkston.

Miss Hazel Arnette spent last week end with friends in Kingsport, Tenn.

Misses Shirley Brown, Lorene Craft, Freda and Nelda Thompson enjoyed the show in Appalachia, Sunday.

Lee Clark, son of Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Clark, is a patient at the Norton Clinic. Everyone is glad to hear he has shown some improvement.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Roberts, Big Stone Gap, spent last week here with relatives.

The Frank Maggard family had as their guest last week Mr. Maggard's sister, Mrs. Kilgore, of Bristol, Va.

Pvt. Worley Dinsmore, Camp Blanding, Fla., is spending a 10 day furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dinsmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hobbs, Johnson Mill, were visiting friends here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Tankersley, Imboden, visited Mrs. Tankersley's mother, Mrs. Noah McClure, here Saturday.

Sam Lawson, Jr., is back from the Pacific and is here with his parents and relatives. He has recently been given his honorable discharge from the U. S. Army.

Mr. and Mrs. Elliot and children of Pennington Gap, were visiting relatives here Sunday.

Week of Dec. 6

Misses Wanda Bledsoe and Ruby Faye Jones, Keokee teachers, were calling on the Lee Barkers Saturday morning.

Lt. and Mrs. James Gates are here and plan to make their home here now that Lt. Gates has received honorable discharge from the Army.

Mrs. Clifford Trent and daughter, Brenda, of Kingsport, Tenn., were visiting here Saturday with Mrs. F. G. Orender.

Mrs. A. H. Barker and daughter, Mrs. Lovie Trigg, of Calvin, Va., visited Mrs. Barker's brother, George Wade and family of this place Saturday.

Cpl. Clyde Arnett, who arrived recently from Paris, France, will spend a 45-day furlough here with his wife and daughter, Patricia Sue.

Claude Shook, of Clinton, Tenn spent a few days here last week with his wife and son, "Butch."

Marshall Townsend made a business trip to Big Stone Gap Saturday.

Mrs. Hogue Barnette visited Mrs. George Townsend Saturday.

News From MILLER'S CHAPEL

Week of Dec. 6

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Bledsoe and daughters, Erminette and Mabel, of Jonesville, also Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Bledsoe of Ben Hur, visited here Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Bledsoe. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Walker Byington and children and Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Bledsoe and son.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Williams are happy to welcome their son home from the Army, on honorable discharge.

Hagan Williams and Cecil Fisher recently passed examination for U. S. Army service and are awaiting their calls.

Rev. Bill Blevins will fill his regular appointment at the Plain View Baptist Church Sunday night, December 9.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Bledsoe, were visiting with Mrs. Bledsoe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Napier, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Bledsoe visited here Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Shelton and with Mrs. Bledsoe's mother.

News From DUFFIELD

Miss Mattie Hughes of Baltimore, Md., is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Hazel Hughes of Stickleyville.

Pfc. Ezra H. Neeley, who has been over seas three years, is spending a 90 day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Neeley of Stickleyville. He has re-enlisted in the Army for three years.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Joyner and children of Dayton, Ohio came home Thursday to visit Mrs. Joyner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Neeley and brother Ezra.

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Question: Is it true that the Steelworkers Union has pledged itself not to strike?

Answer: Yes. Every contract which the Union has signed this year with the various steel companies has a clause wherein the Union agrees not to strike during the life of the contract.

Question: Are those contracts still in effect?

Answer: Yes. They were signed in the spring of 1945 to run until October, 1946.

Question: Who signed for the Union?

Answer: Its international officials—Philip Murray, Van Bittner, Clinton Golden and others—and the local Union heads at the various plants.

Question: Is there no "escape clause" by which either side could end the agreements?

Answer: No. The Union demanded a fixed, long-term contract and got it.

Question: Why did they want a long-term contract?

Answer: In the Union's own words before the War Labor Board, "The Union's request for a termination date of October, 1946, is not made capriciously or pressed here for bargaining purposes. It represents the considered view of the Union that only such a term will adequately serve the needs of stability."

Question: Did the recent strike vote violate the contracts?

Answer: No. Only an actual strike would violate them.

Question: Haven't there been strikes already during the life of the contracts?

Answer: Yes. There were 998 strikes in steel plants during the past year alone. They were mostly local strikes which the Union characterizes as "wildcat," but they meant a big loss in production.

Question: Does the end of the war justify changing the contracts?

Answer: No. The bond was sealed on both sides and should be kept whether times be good or bad. The steel companies are continuing to live up to these agreements. If a strike is called, it will be in clear violation of the existing contracts.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 21st day of November, 1945

Commonwealth of Virginia, Complainant

vs. Order of Publication

Leslie Ledford, Defendant

The object of this suit is to condemn and sell Chevrolet automobile of said defendant, Motor Number M 84099 said defendant having unlawfully transported more than one gallon of alcoholic beverages in said automobile in said county. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Leslie Ledford, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address in Unknown, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

TESTE:
VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D. C.
p. q. Robt. B. Ely.
Adv. No. 47-4t.

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PULPWOOD SHORTAGE PREDICTED IN 1946

Substantial increases in pulpwood production must occur during the rest of this year as well as in the early months of 1946 if the pulp and paper industry is to successfully meet an anticipated 15 percent increase in industry demands, according to a statement made this week by M. C. Dobrow, executive secretary of the Writing Paper Manufacturers Association.

"We ended the war with the pipe lines pretty empty," said Mr. Dobrow, "with no inventory at the mills and with subnormal inventories in the hands of merchants and consumers and more or less scarcity conditions in paper markets generally."

Mr. Dobrow made this statement in spite of figures just released which show that total paper and paperboard production was at the rate of nearly 18,000,000 tons annually, the highest level since 1942.

Three important factors were cited by Mr. Dobrow in explaining his concern over the paper and paper situation. They are:

While pulp production has been fairly well maintained and imports have increased considerably there is not enough pulp in sight to maintain the needed 15 percent increase in pulp availability during the first six months of 1946.

Publications are expected to increase consumption of paper from 750,000 tons to 1,000,000 tons, placing a tremendous squeese on the whole white paper field.

Reconversion needs are expected to maintain the strong demand for paper and paperboard through 1946.

The Association secretary's predictions lent added importance to the program to place 50,000 additional men in woods and mill jobs, currently being conducted by the pulp and paper industry through the U. S. Employment Service.

"The over-all outlook for 1946," Mr Dobrow pointed out, "is one of high volume. Scarcity is in prospect for at least the first six months of the year.

"While the full 1946 picture cannot be predicted now," he concluded, "production of all types of paper and board for the 12 months from July 1945, through June 1946, in all probability will establish a new high."

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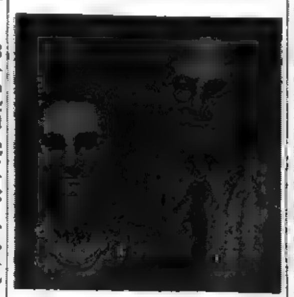

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"Influenza in not mass-controllable. However, those persons who maintain their physical tone at a high level, thus increasing their resistance to all kinds of communicable disease germs, should have a protective advantage that the more careless lack.

"While precautionary measures are in order, this by no means implies that one must develop what aptly has been called a "flu complex." If one is very worried over the situation the best thing is to forget it altogether, as undue concern itself is a great devitalizer, and thus can create a bodily condition that invites the influenza and other disease germs to come on in.

"On the other hand, there is a sensible middle ground. This calls for a realization that the influenza months are here, and that remaining away from those who have this illness or bad colds, and living according to nature's laws are the safest bulwarks against all respiratory attacks. Plenty of sleep, daily exercise in the open, nourishing food in adequate puantities, reducing worries as near to the zero point as possible, and avoiding habits of any and all kinds detrimental to maximum wellbeing, are the wise, available, and usually effective weapons.

"If, in spite of care, one becomes ill, the family physician should be called immediately and his instructions followed implicitly.

"In short, in the present influenza situation, it is not the disease itself that need cause so much concern, but rather that proper personal precautions will not be taken to avoid it."

Tenn. Lady Suffers Broken Arm In Fall

A lady giving her name as Mrs. Parolee Harris, of Shawanee, spent last night at Hotel Pennington after having a broken arm set and treated by Dr. C. C. Carr.

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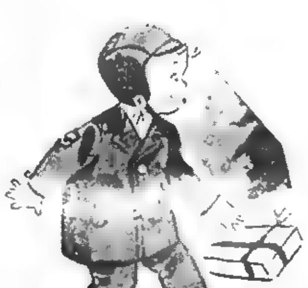

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Maxwell House Coffee, 1 lb Paper 35c
Premium Soda Crackers, 1 lb Pkg 19c
Lee's Pineapple Juice, No. 2 Can 19c
Jello, All Flavors 3 1-2 oz Pkg 08
[illegible] Carton 21
V-8 Brands [illegible] 1-2 oz 11c
Shortening, Crisco, 1 lb Glass 27c
Phillips Tomato Soup, 10 1-2 oz 09c
[illegible] Soup, 10 1-2 oz 10c
Granulated Sugar, 5 lb. Paper Bag 36c
Karo, Blue Label Syrup, 1 1-2 lb. Glass—17c
Dried Pinto Beans, Per lb.—12c

Note: The above prices are for Group No. 1 Stores.

Every cent you pay over ceiling prices helps cause inflation . . . Check ceiling prices every time you shop and don't pay more!

LET'S ALL WATCH OUR PENNIES to keep food prices down

Report overcharges, even to a penny, to the OPA—It is people like you that have assisted the Office of Price Administration in holding prices in line during our National Emergency.

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Everybody Does at CHRISTMAS

IT IS EASY TO SHOP FOR CHRISTMAS AT

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Diamond Rings and Bridal Ring Sets .... $25.00 to $500.00
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News From
JONESVILLE
RT. 4
Mrs. G. W. Ball

There will be a Sunday School Christmas tree and program at York Church on Sunday night of December 23. A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

Mrs. Sarah Wright Ball, widow of the late C. D. Ball, of Route 2 and her son, Wylie Wright, of Hubbard Springs, and Mrs. W. F. Bonham, of Jonesville, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ball Sunday.

The Will Pat Byington family are able to be out again after a seige of flu. Will Pat plans to leave for Alburquerque, N. Mexico, in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cox and son, R. H., called on relatives on Route 4, Sunday afternoon.

Omar Ball, of Coeburn, Va. who has recently received his discharge, visited with the Ball family on Route 2 Monday.

Mrs. Mary Haven has recently sold her stock of groceries here to Hobart Roop, of Jonesville.

The flu epidemic is not so serious here now, though there are still a number of cases.

TOWN TALK

(Continued from page 1)

bought back 2-3 interest in the Pharmacy from Whitaker, and partnership of Graham, Parsons & Moore was incorporated, and became Pennington Pharamcy, Inc.

All this time, Rev. Moore says, he was interested and actively engaged in religious and civic activities. For a time he was Bible School Superintendent and chairman of the School Board for about 12 years for the First Christian Church of Pennington Gap; served as one of Lee County's members of the Board of Directors of Southwest Virginia, Incorporated; was president of Lee County Improvement Club which had much to do with the growing of burley tobacco by the farmers of Lee County, in co-operation with M. V. Koger, County Agent.

He also served as president of Pennington Gap Exchange Club and was instrumental in getting a connection with Lions International, and served as first president of the Pennington Gap Lions Club.

Well, we could go on and enumerate more of Mr. Moore's activities, but to come to the point: he ceased his wild wanderings in financial and civic affairs in 1932 when he was ordained to the Christian ministry and called by his church as pastor, which place he holds at the present time, busy, happy and content, because at last he has found just the place for him.

During his ministry he served for a few years as Service Worker for the American Red Cross, but resigned that position because he needed his time and strength in the ministerial work

Rev. Moore lost his first wife by death in 1938 and was married the second time to Mrs. M. M. May, daughter of the late L. C. Shelburne, of Station Creek. She finds much happiness in assisting him in his ministeral duties and together they serve four Christian Churches in Lee County.

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Late News and Comedies

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Tarzan Desert Mystery
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WILLIAM EYTHE—LLOYD NOLAN
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Friday and Saturday, December 21—22
Two Big Features
GENE AUTRY
—in—
Under Fiesta Stars
—also—
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In
Behind City Lights
Serial

LEE Theatre
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Matinees Monday, Wednesday and Thursday, 2:00 p. m.
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Conflict
—starring—
HUMPHREY BOGART—ALEXIS SMITH

Wednesday, December 19 — Bargain Day
Steppin' In Society
—with—
EDWARD E. HORTON
Also Serial

Thursday and Friday, December 20—21
Thrill Of A Romance
—with—
VAN JOHNSON—ESTHER WILLIAMS

Saturday, December 22—Double Feature
Man From Oklahoma
—with—
ROY ROGERS—DALE EVANS
and
Within These Walls
—with—
THOMAS MITCHELL—MARY ANDERSON

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THERE ARE PLENTY OF REASONS... AND HERE THEY ARE!"

1 "First, I keep my present grade. That means a lot.

2 "By reenlisting for 3 years I can pick my own branch of service in the Air, Ground or Service Forces, and can go to any overseas theater I wish.

3 "I get my mustering-out pay, even though I'm reenlisting. Also, I get $50 a year reenlistment bonus for each year I've been in the Army. My dependents receive family allowances for the full term of my enlistment. And I'll be eligible for GI Bill of Rights benefits when I get out of the Army.

4 "My food, clothes, quarters, medical and dental care are all supplied to me. And I can learn any of 200 skills or trades in the Army schools.

5 "All of us who are reenlisting are going to have from 30 to 90 days' furlough *at home* with full pay and our travel paid both ways. And we'll have 30 days' furlough every year with pay.

6 "Any time after 20 years I can retire at half pay increasing year by year to three-quarters retirement pay after 30 years of service. And the time I've already served in active military or naval service counts toward my retirement time. *Added up—reenlistment seems pretty sound to me!*"

JANUARY 31, 1946
AN IMPORTANT DATE FOR MEN IN THE ARMY

MEN now in Army who reenlist before February 1 will be reenlisted in present grade. Men honorably discharged can reenlist within 20 days after discharge in grade held at time of discharge, provided they reenlist before February 1, 1946.

You may enlist AT ANY TIME for 1½, 2 or 3 year periods. (One-year enlistments for men now in the Army with at least 6 months of service.)

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Technical Sergeant	114.00	74.10	128.25
Staff Sergeant . .	96.00	62.40	108.00
Sergeant	78.00	50.70	87.75
Corporal	66.00	42.90	74.25
Private First Class .	54.00	35.10	60.75
Private	50.00	32.50	56.25

(a)—Plus 20% Increase for Service Overseas. (b)—Plus 50% if Member of Flying Crews, Parachutist, etc. (c)—Plus 5% Increase in Pay for Each 3 Years of Service.

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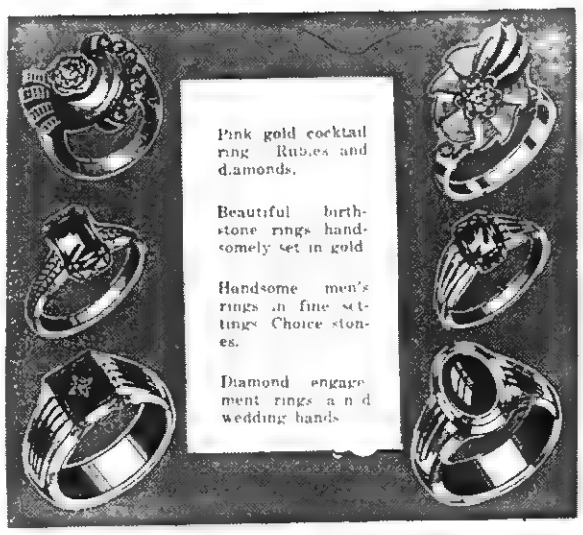

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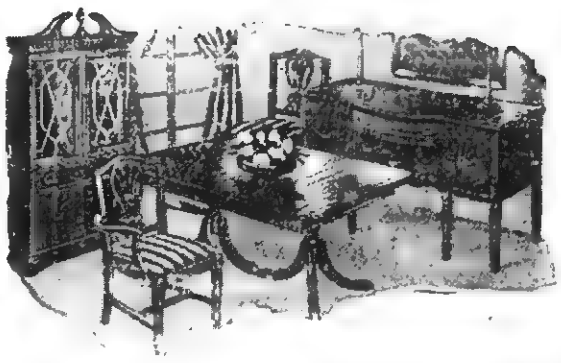

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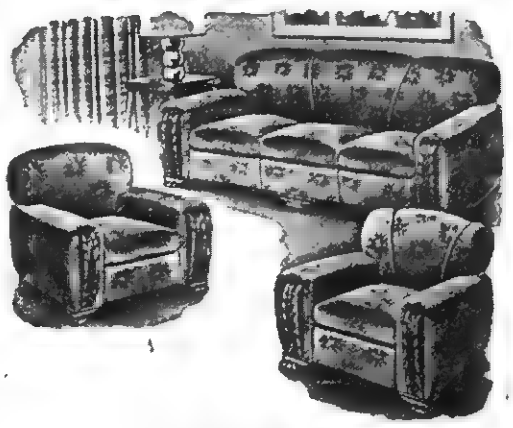

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Lee County Men Who Have Been Discharged From Armed Forces

We list below the names of Lee County men and women who have served in the armed forces in World War II, and who have now been honorably discharged from service. This list is furnished us each week from the two Selective Service Boards of the County, Board No. 1, located at Jonesville, and Board No. 2, located at Pennington Gap.

Walter Edward Owen, Pennington Gap R2. Paul Pridemore, Pennington Gap. William Sheridan Miller, Dryden. Charles Hiram Moore, Dryden. Herman B. Britt, St. Charles. Fred E. Martin, Leona Mines. N. B. White, Pennington Gap. Mose Alsup, Benedict. Durand W. Kelly, Pennington Gap. Paul Judson Gilbert, Dryden. Ernest Willard Rice Duffield. Louis Shultz, Calvin. Charles Brownlow Dunn, Bonny Blue. Claude Thomas Pennington, Keokee, R1. William Howard McElyea, Pennington Gap. James P. Legg, Pennington Gap. Cabell Flournoy Goujot, Pennington Gap. Kyle Winfred Green, Olinger. Estle Sheldon Huff, Dryden. John Steven Pankow, Leona Mines. Ray Author Cox, Dryden. Fred Stacy, Pennington Gap. R1. Kenneth Ortel Hedgecoth, St. Charles R1,. Earl Richard Stapleton, Pennington Gap. Joe Samuel Yates, St. Charles. Silas Frank Shelbourne, Pennington Gap. Forrest Gilmer Orender, Keokee. William Henderson Ward, Duffield, Rt. 1. Arthur Clayton Grubbs, St. Charles, Va. Wallace Jack Winfrey, St. Charles, Va. Charles Franklin Ely, Bonny Blue. Holly Francis Musick, Pennington Gap. Carl Edward Stapleton, Pennington Gap. Homer Lee Willis, St. Charles R1. Arthur Otis Woodard, Norfolk, Va. Calvin Miracle, Bonny Blue. Charles Clifford Kennedy, St. Charles. William R. Jordon, Jr. Pennington Gap. Billy Browning Laningham, Pennington Gap. Samuel Hollis Riddle, Calvin. Judson Lee Shuler, Calvin. Roy Franklin Johnson, Bonny Blue. Ernest J. Rutherford, Pennington Gap. J. B. Vanzant, Bonny Blue.Curtis Frey Collier, Koekee R1. Jim Carlton McCracken, St. Charles. Paul Mike Bobrosky, Calvin. Berl Douglas Freels, Pennington Gap, R1. Curtis Carson Stapleton Koekee. William Worley Thomas, Dryden. Elijah Pankow, Woodway. James William Seymore, St. Charles. Geo. Wilder, Jr. Koekee. Howard Edward Sorah, Johnsons Mill. Jack Gobble Cooper, Keokee. Charles Edward Flanary, Keokee. Steve Joseph Bobrosky, Calvin. Paul Vernon, Keokee, R1. Roy Milford Mosley, Pennington Gap. Ray Gilbert, Dryden. Dillard Luby Graham, Pennington Gap. V. C. Greene, Olinger. James W. Biggs, Woodway. Jack Stacy, Pennington Gap. Smith Lewis, Pennington Gap, R1. Floyd R. Holmes, Jr., Dryden, R1. Bernard R. Grable. Pennington Gap, R2. Thomas F. Dotton, Pennington Gap. Jessee J. McNeely, Jr., Pennington Gap. Saybab Spears, Duffield, R1 James J. Garrett, St. Charles. Lew C. Bennett, Jr. Pennington Gap. William Price Gardner, St. Charles. William Mack Beasley Pennington Gap, R1. Phillip D. Engle, Pennington Gap R1. James Wilson Yost, St. Charles. James Thomas Laningham, Pennington, Gap. William H. Robinson, Ewing. Theodore James Patton, R2, Jonesville. Delly J. Flanary, 1414 W. Cherry St., Paris Texas. Brice Ewing, 315 Maple St., Pineville, Ky. Charles C. Harrison, R2 Jonesville. Lloyd A. Lincoln, 647 Polk St., Montgomery, Ala. Baylor L. Byington, Jonesville. David L. Fee Jonesville. Levi Hensley, R2, Jonesville. John M. Unthank, Jr., R1, Jonesville. Paul L. Jerrell, R1, Jonesville. Grover C. Johnston, R1, Jonesville. Homer Kinser, R4, Jonesville. George A Wilder, Rose Hill. Roy R. Eldridge, Jonesville. Daniel B. Roark R2, Rose Hill. David T. Miles, Jr. Ewing. Coy L. Ramey, R2, Rose Hill. Corbet R. Ingle, Jonesville. Willie H. Miner R2, Jonesville. John B. Russell, Blackwater. Jesse L. Giles, R1, Rose Hill. Baylor L. Byington, Jonesville. Roy L. Blakemore, Gibson Station. Willie McPherson, R2, Blackwater. James E. Brotherton, Sneedville, Tenn Junior V. Sampson, R4, Jonesville. Oscar I. Taylor, R2, Jonesville. William A. Garrett, Ben Hur. Bascom S. Maness, Clinchport. Ulyess T. Burgan, Ocoonita. Doyle Carter Blackwater. Howard Edds, Rose Hill. Jas. B. Graham, R1, Jonesville. Baron Hall, Ben Hur. Ruth Jenkins, Blackwater. James Reynolds Jonesville. Henry P. Snavely, Ewing. Carl Hamp Barber, Jonesville. Alexander J. Quesenberry, R2, Jonesville. Fred Phillips, Ben Hur Herbert P. Spencer, R1, Jonesville. Lawrence W. Wolfe, R2, Rose Hill. Earl G. Bledsoe, R4, Jonesville. Thomas M. Cobb Ben Hur, Box 87, Roy E. Fannon, Blackwater. Joseph P. Boatright, Ewing. Samuel P. Livesay, Jonesville. Clarence H. Connor, Rockhill Furnace, Pa. Ellis H. Cottrell, Rose Hill. Wiley Bruce Wilder, R4, Center Texas. Raymond D. Cheek, Rose Hill. Grover Collins, Jonesville. Ralph C. Gibson, R1, Jonesville Baylor T. Edds, Rose Hill. Charles T. Johnson, Ewing. William H. Gilbert, R2, Jonesville. Harley Daniels, Rose Hill. Thelmer Hornsby Rose Hill. Robert L. Satterfield, R2, Blackwater. Andy Kinsler, R2, Blackwater. Baylor O. Wilder R2, Jonesville. George Estil Cloud Rose Hill. Paul Rogers Clarkson, Rose Hill. Patton Lee, Rose Hill. Dewey Fee, Jr. R2, Rose Hill. Caleb John Gibson, 210 Tulip Ave., Takoma Park, Md. Charles I. Newman, Jonesville. Thomas A. Edwards, R1, Jonesville. Henry T. Young, Jonesville. Calvin C. Hall Jonesville. Lester Taylor, R2, Jonesville. John Paul Lamb, Rose Hill. Herbert C. Branham, R2, Dry Ridge, Ky.

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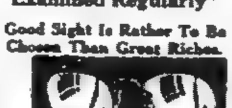

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Confederate Soldier's Last Letter Home

The following exact copy of a letter from a Confederate soldier to his wife is in the possession of a distant relative, Elbert Travis, who lives about two miles from Pennington.

The author of the letter is Edward Smyth, father of the late Tennessee Smyth, of Pennington Gap, Rt. 2, and grandfather of J. T. Smyth, Mrs. A. R. Brown and Mrs. G. J. Tritt of this community:

Hospital Ward No. 10, Camp Douglass, Ill., Jan. 12, 1864.

My dear wife and children:

I have often been permitted to write to you since I joined the army, but this is the last you will ever hear from me. I have been sick of typhoid fever for about four weeks. My eyes are now swimming in death, and I shall die within a few hours. I am quite sensible of everything, and in my proper mind; but I shall soon bid farewell to earth and all it's fruits.

But while I am bidding the last farewell to earthly friends, angels are beckoning me away. They are around my bed; they are in my room waiting to take my spirit home. All is well, and all is well. I was very anxious to live to get home again to advise my children once more, but since it is the will of my Father to take me from here, I am resigned to His will.

My dear wife, I want you to teach my little children the lessons of the Lord. I want you and them to follow in my footsteps and meet me in that sunbright clime, the home of the just, whose name is heaven. I will soon be gone to dwell with the angels of God forever. Oh, what a heavenly breeze!

Give the children as good education as you can, and always instruct them in the way of righteousness. And you, my dear wife, take the instructions of your father in regard to your affairs.

I am bound to stop writing, and I must necessarily close my letter and close my eyes in death.

My dear companion and children, farewell!

Edward Smyth.

Mr. Travis says that according to reliable information handed down through the family, Mr. Smyth died shortly after writing the above letter.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Barker and family, of Beech Springs, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Luke Irvin Sunday.

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A Local Man Felt Like Swollen Balloon; Full Of Stomach Gas

Recently a Pennington Gap man stated that he used to feel like a swollen balloon after every meal. He would bloat full of gas and spit up acidulous liquids for hours after eating. Was terribly constipated. This man is one of the hundreds in this vicinity who now praise ERB-HELP. He states he was amazed at the results when he took this medicine. Now he eats what he wants without gas or bloating, and bowels are regular for the first time in years. He feels like a new man.

ERB-HELP contains 12 Great Herbs; they cleanse bowels, clear gas from stomach, act on sluggish liver and kidneys. Miserable people soon feel different all over. So don't go on suffering! Get ERB-HELP. Sold by all Drug Stores here in Lee County

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the [illegible] day of November, 1945

John [illegible] Holmes, Complainant

vs Order of Publication

Orville Lee Mathews Holmes Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a Divorce a Vinculo Matrimonii. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Orville Lee Mathews Holmes is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address was c-o Union Station, Pennsylvania Railroad Company, Washington, D. C., it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:

VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk.

By: LOUISE McNIEL, D. C.

p. q. Guy A. Kauffman

Adv. No. 47-4t.

Thursday, Dec. 20

10:00 A. M. (CWT)

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MERCHANDISE TO BE SOLD AS A WHOLE

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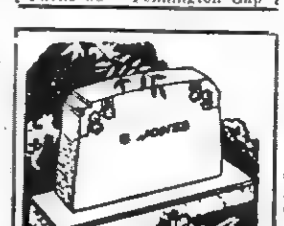

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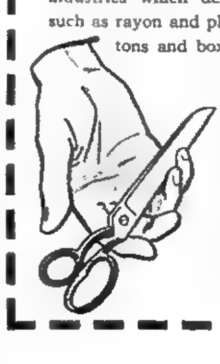
Remember the old saying about the man who "couldn't see the forest for the trees"? Lots of people are like that. All they see is trees. Others look at the forest and see it filled with books, magazines, newspapers. They see the raw materials of many great industries which depend on pulpwood, such as rayon and plastics. They see cartons and boxes, and many other products manufactured from pulpwood.

They see jobs and wealth. Security for the workers and prosperity for the entire community. And if this forest wealth is properly harvested, it will increase in value in the years to come.

Let's take another look at our woods. Let's look at the trees and see the opportunities that lie within.



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With Our Servicemen

Re-enlisted

Pfc. James D. Bledsoe, of R2, Rose Hill, Va., has re-enlisted in the Regular Army of the U. S. under the new re-enlistment program, according to information from Headquarters Detachment at Camp Butner, N. C.

Pfc. Bledsoe was inducted into Army service August 8, 1944; was separated October 30, 1945. He wears the European Theatre Ribbon and the Marksman Medal for the Carbine M1 30 Cal.

Coming home

Pfc. Carl Woodard, husband of Mrs. Frances Woodard, of Pennington Gap, and James E. Lewis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Lewis, of Pennington Gap, are both on their way home, aboard the LSS "AZELIA", which is one of the famed Magic Carpet fleet.

They left Saipan Nov. 27, and are scheduled to arrive in the States about Dec. 13, according to information from the Public Relations Office.

Albert Baker, S. 2-c, is also with the Magic Carpet fleet speeding homeward, and he is on the LSS "SHELBY". The SHELBY picked up her first load of homeward bound veterans Nov. 7 at Saipan. Previously she participated in the occupation of Japan, sailing into Sasebo, Japan's largest naval base, on Sept. 22.

The SHELBY'S first combat experience at Okinawa was followed by a mission to Manila, transporting service troops.

Coming home.

Cpl. Charles F. Hobbs, son of Clarence Hobbs, of Jonesville, is on his way home aboard the U. S. S. "TURNADOT", one of more than 250 carriers, battleships, cruisers and attack transports in the Navy's famed "Magic Carpet" fleet which left Saipan Nov. 26 and is scheduled to arrive in San Pedro about Dec. 12.

Passengers will go directly to the Separation Centers nearest their homes to complete the formalities of obtaining their discharges before returning to civilian life.

Back to civilian life.

Edgar O. Rasnic, S. 1-C., is being returned to civilian life through the Navy's personnel Separation Center, Memphis, Tennessee, after a 30 months' service in the Atlantic Area. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Rasnic, of Jonesville. His wife, Charlotte, lives at Duffield.

In line for discharge.

Charles R. Quinley, radioman 2-c., is being processed at Pearl Harbor, T. H. for transportation to a separation center in the United States and discharge from the Navy.

On his way home.

T-5 Clarence C. Shupe, of Jonesville, Va. is on his way home from Pearl Harbor, T. H. He is on the USS. "CROCKETT" one of the more than 250 carriers, battleships, cruisers and transports in the Navy's famed "Magic Carpet" fleet, and is scheduled to arrive in Seattle, Washington, about December 8.

Passengers will go to the Separation Centers nearest their homes to complete the formalities of obtaining their discharges before returning to civilian life.

Homeward bound

Cpl. Eugene M. Parsons, of Pennington Gap, is on his way home. He is sailing on the USS "TRIPOLE" another of the Navy's famed "Magic Carpet" fleet.

Cpl. Parsons left Pearl Harbor Thursday, November 29, and is scheduled to arrive in San Pedro about Wednesday, December 5.

Black Walnut Industry Not A Trifling Matter

Lee, Wise and Scott Counties in Virginia; Hancock and Claiborne Counties in Tennessee, are said to be the best black walnut producing counties in the United States.

Charles B. Driscoll, in his column in the Roanoke Times, sums up the value of this wild crop as follows:

"I hesitate to even estimate the quantity of kernels that are painstakingly cracked out through the long winter evenings in the mountains of Virginia alone. One collector, operating in a single county, (Lee County, Va.) reported to me that in one season — the season of 1934-35, he had gathered and shipped to market — hold your hat — more than 75 tons of walnut kernels, and he was only one of several operators.

An elderly couple from whom I buy kernels inform me that they regularly crack out between ten and fifteen pounds of kernels in an afternoon and evening, and those who invest five to seven dollars in a modern cracking machine not only better that figure but improve the quality of their product by extracting kernels in large pieces.

Recently there has come into being a new industry which buys the hulled nuts and separates the kernels mechanically. The machine is a mark of ingenuity but the bulk of the kernels totaling probably a million pounds per year in Virginia alone are still cracked out by hand in Mountain homes; some with cracking machines, some with hammers and some with a favorite rock.

The bulk of commercial kernels go into cakes, candies and ice cream but increasing quantities are sold at retail to be consumed as a tid-bit. The black walnut is one nut that retains it's flavor in cooking. It should be utilized more extensively.

Thousands of bushels go to waste every year."

Other wild crops of the forest in these counties are: wild grapes, persimmons, hickory nuts, butternuts (white walnuts).

Pvt. Sword Enlists For "Second Mile" Of Service

Pvt. Burleson F. Sword, of Jonesville did a fine job of helping win the war. He spent five years, ten months in the service; was with the 70th Coast Artillery Anti Aircraft at Guadalcanal from January 1942 to January 1944, when the tide of the battle turned and the Japs were chased back to their starting point.

He won two Bronze Stars, Presidential Citation Medal, Asiatic-Pacific, Pre-Pearl Harbor, Victory and Good Conduct Medals — this and more is a part of his service record, and now Pvt. Sword has decided to go the second mile. He re-enlisted recently at Westover Field, Mass.

His re-enlistment speaks not only of his own courage, but of the benefits available to all veterans who are willing to remain with the Army. Thousands like Pvt. Sword are re-entering the Army throughout the country each day to advance a career they already have a good start on. This career offers not only personal security, but the best food, quarters, clothing, medical and dental care offered in the history of the Army, not to mention the financial aspects of government insurance, family allotments, and the reduced prices on entertainment, travel and post exchange items, according to information to headquarters.

The Re-enlistment Center, located in the Base Post Office, at Westover Field will be glad to explain other aspects of the advantages of such a career.

Temperature Drops To 10

All through those December days and some of the last days in November we have been reminded that it is winter time. This week it hasn't been "maybe."

Tuesday morning Cam J. Lewis, official U. S. weather reporter, said the temperature was down to 13, and early yesterday morning over at Jonesville they were saying it had dropped to 10.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Lundy spent last Sunday with relatives in Woodway.

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Social and Personal

Bridal shower

Miss Ruby Hyden entertained a number of friends at her home Saturday night with a miscellaneous shower for her sister, Mrs. Blanche Hyden Hammonds, a recent bride. Following a program of games and contests, refreshments were served to 45 guests.

Junior arrives.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Lewis announce the birth of a son on Monday, December 3, to whom has been given the name Neil Wayne, Jr.

Dryden soldier is in China

Pfc. Charles W. Riddle, son of Travis Riddle, of Dryden, is now located in Shanghai, China. He recently sent home some pictures of himself made in China, and wrote that he was well and getting along fine, but hoped to be home soon. He has been overseas 16 months.

He is the grandson of Mrs. Martha Riddle, of Dryden.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Lowery and family have returned to their home at Norfolk, Va., after a three-weeks visit with Dr. and Mrs. B. T. Young at Stickleyville.

Be sure to see, Twice Blessed, with Preston Foster and Gail Patrick coming to the Lee Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, December 24th and 25th.

Lt. and Mrs. Jim Bradley and son, Eddie, of Kingsport, Tenn., spent last week end with Mrs. Bradley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hyden of Woodway.

Mrs. Richard Y. Rowe, Jr. and Miss Immogene Burgan were in Bristol shopping Saturday.

Mrs. Hiram Orr returned to her home at Oak Ridge, Tenn., first of the week, after spending a few days here with relatives and friends.

Rolland Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Miller, formerly of Bonny Blue, is honorably discharged from the U. S. Navy, after a service of four years in both the Pacific and Atlantic areas. He graduated from St. Charles High School prior to his enlistment. The parents now live at Oak Ridge.

S. 1-c. R. J. Seale, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Smith Seale, formerly of Rose Hill and now of Harlan, Ky., is home on a 21-day leave.

He spent seven months in the Pacific area, saw action in the invasion of Borneo, and his ship, the USS "COLUMBIA" served as Flag Ship for the Admiral and officers who received the surrender at Truk Island. He will report back to his ship at Philadelphia.

Seaman Seale is a former student of Thomas Walker High School.

Be sure to see, Twice Blessed, with Preston Foster and Gail Patrick coming to the Lee Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, December 24th and 25th.

Hughes - Burgen

Mr. and Mrs. Tip Hughes announce the marriage of their daughter, Beatrice Margaret, to Pfc. Lynn R. Burgen, on Sunday, December 9.

The wedding took place at the home of Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Parrott, on Stone Creek, with Rev. Parrott, who is pastor of Admant Baptist Church, officiating.

The bride graduated from Pennington High School, class of '41. She is at present employed by May & Co.

Pfc. Burgen, who is the son of Mrs. Harve Doss, was recently discharged from the U. S. Army after a four year service, and has enlisted for another term. He will report to Ft. Meade, Md., for re-assignment to the Coast Artillery. Mrs. Burgen will accompany him to his new post.

Be sure to see, Twice Blessed, with Preston Foster and Gail Patrick coming to the Lee Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, December 24th and 25th.

Blevins - Summerlen

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Blevins, formerly of Bonny Blue and now of Baltimore, Md., announce the marriage of their daughter, Jeanette, to Sgt. Lester Summerlen of Pensacola, Florida, on November 24, 1945.

The couple are now in Ft. Jackson, South Carolina, where Sgt. Summerlen will receive a discharge from the U. S. Army. They will make their home at Pensacola.

CHRISTMAS HOMECOMING

Ever so many families are looking forward to the homecoming of the absent members for the Christmas season. Some of the college students already here are:

James Alyce Laningham, Bobbie Jean Cooper, Mary Ann Laningham, Marjorie Orr, Helen Frazier, from Virginia Intermont.

Mr. and Mrs. John Harber will be here from Memphis, Tenn., to visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Harber; the C. C. Fugate family will be together for the first time in six years; the Radford College group include Sue Smalley, Mary Elizabeth Pennington; Ruth Parsons, Jewel Lucas, Betty Smith, Joyce King; those from L. M. U., Betty Lou Oaks, Pauline Anderson, Margaret Rasnic. Mildred Woliver, from Tennessee Wesleyan; W. N. Beverly, Hiwassee; Don Stallard, Hugh David, Billy Smallwood, Emory & Henry; Jaqueline Tinsley will be here from Oak Ridge; Fred Green from Richmond, Va., Jo Green from the U. S. N. T. S., Bainbridge, Md., John Laningham, Harold Quinley and Harry Harber are enroute home from the War areas, but the time they will get here is uncertain.

These are probably just a few out of the many.

Speaks - Redwine

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Speaks announce the marriage of their daughter, Mary, to Claude E. Redwine, on November 28, at Harlan, Kentucky.

The bride has for sometime been employed as clerk for the Piggly Wiggly Store. Mr Redwine, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Redwine of Pennington Gap, operates a barber shop at Bonny Blue where the couple will make their home.

St. Charles Girl Weds In California

In the home of the Rev Hardy A. Ingham Pastor of the First Methodist Church of Glendale, California, Miss Grace Thomas, niece of Mr and Mrs Andrew J. Leedy, of St Charles, Va., and Edgar Lee Harris, of Glendale, California, recited their wedding vows

The impressive ceremony took place at 5 00 p m, on Friday, December 7th Attending the couple were Mr and Mrs Norman Jones, of Glendale.

The bride wore a suit of Pacific blue with brown accessories, and carried a lovely corsage of orchids.

After an extended honeymoon in Mexico and lower California, the happy couple will be at home in Glendale.

Jonesville PERSONALS

Mrs. Verta Sewell, of Jonesville, will have with her during the holidays her son, Winston G. Sewell, Phm. 3-C, here from China on 30-day leave; and her nephew, Sgt. Garney Ely, who makes his home with Mrs. Sewell and who is honorably discharged after serving with the U. S. Army in Germany.

T. Sgt. James E. McNeil, who served in the European Theatre of Operations, and S. Sgt. Hubert McNeil, who served in the Pacific Area, are home on honorable discharge. They are the sons of A. C. McNeil.

Miss Nadine Davis is back at her post as secretary for Commonwealth Attorney R. B. Ely, after an illness of flu.

Capt. H. L. Russell, Jr. arrived in California, December 10 and will be coming home for Christmas or soon after, according to a message to his parents.

Mrs. Hubert Nida is back at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parkey, after an illness in Lee General Hospital.

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A group of young people, including Rev. Mehaffey, really intended making a raid on the 'possum roosts Wednesday night, but 'Ole man Winter was in one of his cold blustery moods and told them "better not go—" so they just didn't go. Instead, they joined the choir in a fellowship supper, at the church, followed by a trip to the theatre. This was a special courtesy of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Overbay as host and hostess.

LOST

Dark bay colt has been at my place for a month. Owner please come and pay feed bill and get it. Mrs. Clyde Hall, Stickleyville, Va.
adv. no. 50-1tp.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 13 day of December, 1945.

Robert L. Zion, Complainant
vs Order of Publication
D L Zion, et als, Defendant

The object of this suit is to partition the real estate of which Margaret Zion died seized and possessed. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, D L Zion, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address is 5304 West Fletcher Street, Chicago, Illinois, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address, and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Teste:
VESTA E SEWELL, Clerk.
By: CHARLES N. HAWS, D.C.
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TOWN TALK

About This, That, And The Other

By Mrs. Etta Green

"With blue and purple hollows,
With peaks of dazzling snow,
Along the far horizon
The clouds are marching slow."

Snowy hillsides.

With all the aches, pains and discomforts of flu, there's a certain feeling of quiet enjoyment in sitting by your window in a steam-heated room and looking out upon the beauties of the season.

Among these are the hillsides white with snow, which are just about the most beautiful things in the world. Then there's the snow-filled air, the people traveling about doing their Christmas shopping, little boys marketing their Christmas trees—all suggestive of the happy season, and you just can't help but feel a bit of the Christmas spirit, despite the flu

Wonder why the flu is so much more prevalent now than in past years. Reliable reports idicate a far greater number of cases this winter than of any previous year since 1918, though not in quite such violent form. Schools all over this section have been interrupted by it. The school at Woodway had their tree and entertainment yesterday, it was said, because each day new cases develop and additional children were absent from school because of it

We can't attribute the flu epidemic altogether to the cold weather, because ever since we can remember we have had cold freezing spells and snowy hillsides—the most beautiful things in the world—and we can't keep from wishing sometimes that we could get at the top of one of those big hills, double over on a sled and go shootin' to tthe bottom like we did once upon a time, without any thought of colds or flu or danger or anything but having, as we thought, a good time.

Why do we ornament the tree?

The legend of the Christmas ornament dates back to the Tenth Century when an Arabian geographer, George Jacob, brought to the western folk of Europe the tale that on the night of the Lord's nativity, all the trees burst forth with ripened fruits and blossoming flowers. His story spread up and down the land until it was a wide-spread belief that this miracle had come to pass in memory of the birth of Christ. This thousand year old legend has given us one of our most inspiring and lively Christmas customs—the Christmas ornament.

Extras!

In wishing each other a Merry Christmas we might add "happy birthday" for S. F. Smalley. Christmas day is his birthday. Also it's the wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Lundy.

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State Highway Dept. Appeals For Help During Winter Season

B. D. Ferrill, of Jonesville, Resident Engineer for the State Highway Department, this area, today issued an appeal to all citizens throughout the County to volunteer help in clearing the roads after snow storms.

A similar appeal was made last winter, Mr. Ferrill said, and the response most gratifying, and he believes that with the experience of last winter the same people and many others will be glad to lend their help at critical times. With this help, it is felt that the roads can be promptly cleared so that workers, school children and others will not be handicapped by the condition of the highway.

Volunteers are asked to report to the Resident Engineer in your area, indicating your availability during the period which you will be needed for this work.

Changes In Election Laws Advocated By Special Legislative Committee

The repeal of the poll tax as a prerequisite for voting, the establishment of a bipartisan State board of elections to direct the State's election machinery and develop a system of bipartisan county and city electorial boards divorced from court patronage, annual registration of voters and a special court of three judges to hear election contests were the highlights of the report of the Suffrage Commission presented to Governor Darden on last Saturday.

The Commission, headed by Stuart B. Campbell of Wytheville, advocated the retention of absentee voting but recommends that all applications for these ballots be transmitted to the local electoral board, "that the ballots be sent out and returned to that board and that it be charged with responsibility for delivering the ballots to the several precincts on the day of election". In regard to the printing of ballots the Commission recommends that only ten per cent more ballots be printed than there are registered voters, and all unused and defaced ballots returned to the clerk's office, providing a definite check as to the number of official ballots cast. As a safeguard to the poll books the Commission recommends that "judges of elections be furnished with proper containers for these records which will be sealed and returned by one of the judges to the clerk's office thus fixing personal responsibility for their custody."

The changes proposed in existing suffrage laws have two general objectives, as explained by the Commission. First, to extend the suffrage franchise to all who demonstrate sufficient intelligence and sufficient interest to the government to indicate that they are entitled to participate in determining its affairs. Second, to provide sufficient safeguards so that opportunities for irregularities and fraud in elections may be reduced to a minimum."

With the elimination of the poll tax as a prerequisite for voting, which the Commission recommends "be eliminated" they point out that it is obvious some other safeguard must be substituted as evidence that the voter continues to be a resident of his district and qualified to exercise the privilege of franchise. Periodic renewal seems the most logical means of furnishing the proof, as well as providing a currently correct list of voters, something heretofore non-existent. The inconvenience of yearly registration is somewhat simplified by the fact that the payment of taxes before penalty date is the equivalent of registration as is the act of voting in all elections for one year the equivalent to an application for renewal of registration in the succeeding year. If personal taxes are not paid before the penalty date and the individual did not vote in the preceeding year he or she may

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Lee County Garden Club Enjoys Luncheon Dec. 8

The recreation hall of the Methodist Church was the scene of a lovely luncheon given for the Lee County Garden Club, on December 8th. There were fifty-five members and guests present.

The hall and the tables had been beautifully decorated by the hostesses, for the event.

The program was in charge of Mrs. John Laningham, and the various members who took part made the day a more pleasant one, by the talent each one displayed. Christmas packages were exchanged, and a new President installed, Mrs. C. B. Ewing taking this honor over from Mrs. D. P. Chance, who had very efficiently held the office for the past two years

The food was well prepared and graciously served by several members of the church. The members, on parting, declared they had enjoyed the day, and thought it the crowning highlight of the year.

AT LAST

Peace on earth - - good will toward men

This year as we celebrate the Lord's birthday, we give thanks because He has sent us the most precious gift of all—Peace. It is in this spirit of world peace and friendliness that we wish you the blessings of the Season—That this first post-war Christmas be a happy one for you.

We want to thank each of you for your friendly cooperation during this and the other wartime years. We hope to have and to be worthy of your cooperation and patronage in the Peacetime Years to come.

Father Of L. B. Hagy Died At Meadowview

A. J. Hagy, father of L. B. Hagy, of St. Charles, died at his home at Meadowview, Va., Saturday night, December 15, at the age of 91.

Funeral services were held from the Yellow Spring Church, north of Meadowview, and burial was in the Knollkreg Cemetery.

Mr. Hagy is survived by five sons, T. L. and R. J. Hagy, of Meadowview; L. B. Hagy of St. Charles; C. D. Hagy of War, W. Va., and W. Y. Hagy, of Abingdon. One daughter, Mrs. S. W. Alexander, of Centralia, Washington; thirty-three grandchildren, twelve great grandchildren and one great, great grandchild

Jonesville Lady Makes Close Call By Flames

The presence of mind probably averted serious if not fatal injuries to Mrs. Roscoe Johnson, of Jonesville, last Thursday.

Mrs. Johnson was standing before an open grate when her house coat caught fire. She started to run, then realizing that was not the thing to do she hastily tore off the burning coat. She suffered minor burns on the back and was given treatment at Lee General.

D. H. Livesay Back On Job As Police Chief

Pennington Gap has it's fourth Police Chief within the last several weeks.

The most recent one is D. H. Livesay, who took over this week, succeeding Wilson Blair, a farmer living on Stone Creek. Blair was forced to resign because of physical disabilities, Mayor Parsons stated.

Livesay is a native of this community and was Chief of Police of Pennington Gap about two and a half years ago.

E Bond Sales In County Still Badly Lagging

The sale of E Bonds in Lee County to date has barely reached the $100,000.00 mark against a quota of $180,000.00 for the Victory Loan Drive, according to T B. Fugate, County Finance Chairman for the sale of Bonds.

The County will receive credit against it's quota for all Bonds purchased during the entire month of December, and Mr Fugate wishes to make a final appeal to the citizens of the County to buy every E Bond possible between now and December 31st in this, the final Nation-wide Bond Drive. He points out that there is no more appropriate Christmas gift than a Bond, and that money in the Bank invested in Bonds will save the depositor the State tax on this money if invested in Bonds before December 31st, and if the money is needed by the depositor within the next few months the Bond is immediately redeemable in cash.

Let's buy this $80,000 shortage in E Bond quota before the month ends, thus giving the County the record of meeting or exceeding it's Bond quota in all of the eight War Loan Drives.

THEY HAVE FINISHED THEIR JOB — LET'S FINISH OURS!

Winner In Snow Goose Flour Contest Announced

Mrs. Walter Spangler, of Jonesville, is acclaimed winner in the Snow Goose Flour Contest, sponsored by Pennington Milling Co.

According to the decision of the judges, Mrs. Spangler wrote the best letter on the topic of "Why I like to bake with Snow Goose Flour," and as a reward for her winning letter she will receive 20 ten pound bags of this brand of flour.

The Pennington Milling Company wishes to thank Mrs. Spangler and all others who participated in the contest, and also the judges.

Lions Club To Hold Dinner Meeting In New Home Dec. 28

At last the Lions Club has what they've been working and waiting for— a nice permanent home for their dinners and meetings.

This room has been secured in the Town Hall, one of the committeemen, Jack Pearce, stated today. He said the room had been remodeled, redecorated, new heater installed, and fully equipped with dining service to accommodate 150 guests.

Special Ladies' Night will be observed Friday night, December 28. This will include dinner, followed by a program of entertainment by both professional and local talent.

Miles Lodge To Install Officers Thursday Night December 27

Miles Lodge No. 165 A. F. & A. M., will hold it's annual installation program in the Lodge Hall Thursday night December 27, at which time the following officers, elected at the last regular meeting, will be officially installed.

P. R. Hinkle, Worshipful Master; C. B. Waddell, Senior Warden; C. C. Newman, Junior Warden; W. T. Hall, Treasurer; G. B. Setzler, Secretary; R. P. David Senior Deacon; H. O. Hines, Junior Deacon; O. H. Smallwood, Tiler; P. R. Stubbs, Chaplain; Sam Hall, Senior Steward; Olin Wynn, Junior Steward.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank all our friends and relatives for the kindness and sympathy shown us in the death of our son and brother, G. F. Barker, Jr.

We especially appreciate the floral offerings and all who took part of the funeral service, also to Brother Stubbs and the choir.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Barker
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Undefeated St. Chas.-J'ville Girls Meet Fri.

17 Cases Disposed Of In Cridlin's Court

The seventeen cases on the Trial Justice Cridlin's Docket last week were disposed of before noon Saturday, the major number, as usual, were charges of imbibing too much of the various kinds of intoxicants. Ten persons were tried on this charge.

Robert Taylor was before the Court on a charge of having broken into the Virginia Theatre at St. Charles and taking therefrom about $163.11, the property of the King Cole Corporation, and also a fountain pen and pipe belonging to Dillard Ball.

Taylor waived preliminary hearing and the case was sent to the Circuit Court for hearing at the next March term. Taylor is on bail of $1,000.00.

Howard Stapleton, accused of shooting into Clabe Morgan's house on Stone Creek, plead guilty to the charges and was fined $20.00 and costs which he promptly paid. Two civil cases resulted in judgments for the plaintiffs.

Two Social Insurance Plans Fully Explained

Inquiries made recently by field offices of the Social Security Board in this region, show that less than half of the 200 people, interviewed, knew the difference between the two insurance plans under the Social Security Act. Many of them believed that the one percent social security tax, which a wage earner pays for Old-Age and Survivors Insurance would entitle him to Unemployment Compensattion benefits, in case he should lose his job.

Mr. Ben Miller, manager of the Bristol, Virginia office of the Social Security Board, explained that the Social Security tax which is paid by workers and by employers in business and industry is collected by the Federal government and placed in a trust fund from which Old-Age and Survivors Insurance benefits are paid. This plan makes it possible working years, to build up advanced protection for themselves and for their families. The benefits are based on the worker's own wages in jobs that come under the law

Unemployment Compensation—which is sometimes called job insurance-- is administered by the State, with Federal aid and cooperation. No wage earner in this state pays any Unemployment Compensation tax. Business and industrial concerns which employ 8 or more workers, pay all of the Unemployment Compensation tax in this State. It is their employees who may receive Unemployment benefits when they lose their jobs.

The purpose of Unemployment Compensation is to furnish some income to insured workers, during periods when they are without work, until they can get other jobs. Payments are not equal to the worker's regular wages, but they will help tide him over until he can get back to work.

Men or women, covered by the law, who have lost their jobs, should call at the local U. S. Employment Service office, register for a job, and file claim for Unemployment Compensation.

Claimants for Old-Age and Survivors Insurance benefits should apply at the field office of the Social Security Board, located at Bristol, Va.

Jonesville High School Holds Immunizing Clinic

Jonesville High School has recently completed a clinic in the school for the purpose of immunizing the students from Typhoid, Small-pox and Diphtheria.

Approximately 300 members of the Student Body and the Faculty received Typhoid "shots," 100 the Small-pox, and about 150 took Diphtheria shots.

Dr. T. S. Ely of Jonesville, recently discharged from the army, gave the shots for the school.

Conference Concludes First-Half Rounds In Tournament This Week

Southwestern Virginia's top ranking cage league, the Lee County Conference has the stages set for it's final games of the first half Friday night as all teams officially finish their first complete rounds of having met all opponents.

Even here at the midseason mark, a game appears on the calendar for Friday night that carries with it, equal interest to that of the tournament, and in some instances, more. The undefeated St. Charles and undefeated Jonesville girls meet at Jonesville. Whats more, the undefeated Jonesville boys meet the St. Charles boys who have lost only one game and it by one point on a foreign court. This will be a cage menu worth seeing.

One of the conference's only two undefeated sixtets must depart the unblemished throne of the undefeated and the boys game will not be a push-over, however the chips easily favor Jonesville.

St. Charles' Theda Parsons with a scoring record of 161 points in 4 of 6 games while averaging her an average of [illegible] points per game in conference play, now lays claim to the Virginia State high scoring title which it is believed unequalled this year anywhere in the state. Miss Parsons led the conference last year with 280 points in 14 games, she is doing considerably better this year thus becoming the conference's "Shooting Star" that is attracting record crowds to view her performances.

The Jonesville girls also have two scoring stars, Johnson and Bellamy. With records not quite as good as that of Parsons, they will be plenty hard for the St. Charles guards to stop.

During the five contests already played by these two teams in the conference, Jonesville girls have scored 192 points to 123 for their opponents. St. Charles has scored 252 points to 125 for their opponents. Jonesville has averaged 38 points per game, St. Charles 50.

The weatherman's oldest son, the snow man, won all games with blinding snow storms and a blizzard throughout the conference on Tuesday night's schedules excepting the St. Charles-Dryden encounters which were won doubly by St. Charles. The St. Charles girls were triumphant 58 to 27 with Theda Parsons scoring 47 points, she did not play the full game. Willis followed with 11. Lefty Davis led Dryden's scoring with 18 points playing a very fine game making many long shots. The St. Charles boys defeated the Dryden boys 33 to 17 with Holman and Young leading the St. Charles scoring Neely and Cox were tops for Dryden.

GAMES LAST FRIDAY

Jonesville boys had their most interesting game Friday, when they edged out over Pennington.

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Burley Tobacco Markets All Closed For Holidays

The Southwest Virginia and East Tennessee Burley Tobacco markets which opened for sales Monday, December 3, will recess sales for the Christmas holidays on Friday, December 21, and will reopen Monday, January 7.

All Warehouses in this belt have been consistently filled for their December sales, and the prices received by the growers have been very satisfactory, both to the Tobacco farmers and to the Warehousemen.

The sale time per day has been reduced for the past several days on account of the slow movement of tobacco from the Warehouses to re-drying plants, due in most part to a shortage in labor and heavy weather.

Lee County Men Who Have Been Discharged From Armed Forces

We list below the names of Lee County men and women who have served in the armed forces in World War II, and who have now been honorably discharged from service. This list is furnished us each week from the two Selective Service Boards of the County, Board No. 1, located at Jonesville, and Board No. 2, located at Pennington Gap.

William I. Mann, Henderson, Nevada; Elbert Guy Nelson, St. Charles; Paul Silas Duncan, St. Charles; George L. Martin, R. 1, Pennington Gap; Victor Howard Fink, Bonny Blue; Kelly Creed Boatright, R. 1, Pennington Gap; Joe Wheeler Robinson, R. 1, Keokee; Ralph Harvey Porch, R. 2, Pennington Gap; Dixie Everett Thompson, R. 1, Pennington Gap; Tunis Napier, Pennington Gap; Brownlow Bascom Ely, R. 2, Pennington Gap; Roland Dillard Graham, Pennington Gap; Raleigh Harmon Darnell, Jr., Keokee; Charles Bascom Waddell, Pennington Gap; Hubert Kimberlin, Bonny Blue; William Nathaniel Alsup, Jr., St. Charles.

Emory Hampton Parsons, Pennington Gap; Carl Dexter Bailey, Pennington Gap; Lloyd Gerome Stephens, Benedict; Toy Richard Parsons, R. 1, Keokee; Jack Franklin Carter, Pennington Gap; Warren Charles Mitchell, Pennington Gap; Emmitt Baker Willis, R. 1, Big Stone Gap; Bradley Tyler Head, R. 1, Duffield, Clifton Silas Shuler, R. 1, Keokee; Byrd Verlin Perkins, St. Charles; Henry Samuel Flanary, Dryden; Wayman Earl Burden, Bonny Blue; Andrew Jackson Rutherford, R. 1, Big Stone Gap; Hobert Edward Brewer, R. 1, Pennington Gap; James Edward Wells, Leona Mines; William Hortell Hawkins, R. 1, Big Stone Gap; Clyde Pope Rutherford, St. Charles; Willie B. Vaughn, St Charles, Samuel David Carter, Leona Mines

Carl Vivian Collier, R 1, Big Stone Gap; Edward Stanley Meredith, R 1, Duffield, Edward James Minks, St Charles; Alonzo Bray, R 1, Pennington Gap, Nathan Sutton Hartsock, Leona Mines; Hollis Wesley Morris, Bonny Blue; Floyd Hobert Tindel, St Charles, Baylor Elmo Farley, Pennington Gap; Paul E. Woodard, Bonny Blue; Earl Cloud, R. 1, Keokee; John W Galbraith, Jr, Bonny Blue; William Caldon Jones, St. Charles; Paul Wilbern Smith, R. 1, Keokee; Kenneth Authur Weaver, Bonny Blue; Henry Maddie, St. Charles; Clarence Fred Williams, Pennington Gap; Chester Ray Bledsoe, R. 1, Duffield; Jerry Edward Brock, Calvin, Sam Carter, St. Charles; James Cleveland Moore, R. 1, Dryden; Hansford Woodrow Hall, Pennington Gap; Howard James Duff, Johnsons Mill; Claude Daniel Ely, R. 1, Pennington Gap.

Robert Charles Woodard, R. 1, Keokee; Silas Richard Cox, Benedict; James Cletis Pennington, R. 1, Keokee; Paul Eugene Allen, R. 2, Pennington Gap; Roy Welles Hart, R. 1, Big Stone Gap; J P Stidham, St. Charles, Roy Edward Haynes, R. 1, Pennington Gap, Fred Gray King, Pennington Gap; Elbert Lemar, R. 1, Pennington Gap; Homer Clarence Crider, Pennington Gap; Robert Harry Thacker, R 2, Pennington Gap; Van Price Williams, Pennington Gap, Clarence Coeburn, St Charles, Corpthan Buck Pass, Bonny Blue Howard Penley, Jr, Keokee Charles Sutton, Jr, Leona Mines Ray Pettett, R 2 Pennington Gap; Henry Woods, Bonny Blue, Hubert E Sharpp, St Charles Evan James Osborne, St Charles Ray Minor, St Charles, Clay ton Junior Willis, Bonny Blue; Glen Tyree Hart, R. 1, Big Stone Gap; William Robert Fugate, R. 2, Pennington Gap; Clifton Newman, Pennington Gap; Arthur Lane Livesay, Pennington Gap; Willard George Laws, Benedict; Mayo Wesley Cox, Dryden; Charles Edward Greer, Leona Mines; Vance Eugene Russell, Leona Mines.

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School Children Asked To Help In National Clothing Collection

Dr. John W. Studebaker, Commissioner of the U S. Office of Education, has called upon the nation's school children, college youth and educational leaders for utmost support in the Victory Clothing Collection for Overseas Relief His statement was made public today by Henry J Kaiser national chairman of the collection

Simultaneously Mr Kaiser announced that 16-year old Lorraine Ross, member of the Junior class in the Whitewater, Kansas High School, is the youngest chairman yet named in any community to conduct a local Victory Clothing Collection Miss Ross has already organized her campaign committee to solicit clothing gifts in Whitewater which has a population of 600, and in four neighboring communities in Butler County. Six high school students have key positions on her committee. Miss Ross was suggested for the chairmanship by John B. Carter, publisher of the Whitewater Independent.

Dr. Studebaker pointed out that school children, college students, school administrators and teachers through spirited cooperation in the April United National Clothing Collection helped collect clothing which aided 25,000,000 war sufferers in Europe, China and the Philippines. Pointing out that millions of other ill-clad children, women and men overseas are suffering and dying, he declared:

"We in America look forward to a happier Christmas and a more promising New Year than we have had for many years. Let us translate the good-will and happiness that will be ours into terms that will gladden the hearts of both the little folks overseas and the aged who have known only sorrow and privation for so long a time."

In a letter to superintendents of city and county schools, and to presidents of colleges and universities, Dr. Studebaker said: "Now I am asking you to marshal all your forces again for the second nation-wide clothing drive."

The Victory Clothing Collection is scheduled for Jan. 7-31. The national goal is 100,000,000 garments in addition to shoes and bedding. Each contributor, Mr. Kaiser said, is invited to attach a message of good-will to clothing gifts, "a message to warm the heart."

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Robert L. Zion, Complainant

vs Order of Publication

D. L. Zion, et al's, Defendant

The object of this suit is to partition the real estate of which Margaret Zion died seized and possessed And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, D L Zion is non resident of the State of Virginia, and his last known address is 5304 West Fletcher Street, Chicago, Illinois, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at his last known address and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia

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Miss Barbara Jean Stapleton of Bonny Blue, spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Harold Kirk Mr. Kirk and daughter, of Norton.

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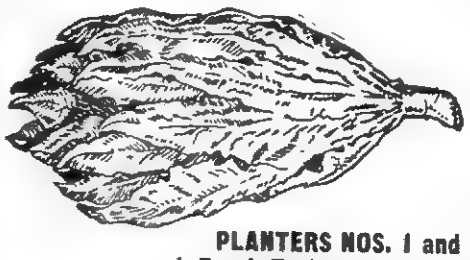
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The enlistment for eighteen months of Jack Roach, St. Charles, Va., is announced by Roue L. Hogan, Major, Cavalry Recruiting.

Pvt. Roach has given no choice as to his theatre of operations.

Bringing them in

The Navy's famed Magic Carpet Fleet continues to bring the army veterans from the war areas into the havens of home. The latest reports are.

Pfc. Joseph Hensley, of Jonesville, enroute home on the U. S. S. "CELENO." He left Saipan November 30, and is scheduled to arrive in San Pedro about December 21.

George J. Patterson, GM 3-C, son of Mrs. Tishie Patterson, of St. Charles, sailing homeward on the U. S. S. "HORNET." This ship left Guam December 3, and was scheduled to arrive in San Francisco about December 15.

Arnold Odell Parsons, Seaman 1-C, Keokee, Va., enjoyed a prolonged sightseeing visit in Japan when his attack transport, the U. S. S. "JERAULD," a part of the Magic Fleet, landed occupation troops in Wakayama, and was forced to hug port to dodge a typhoon.

Although the typhoon had a comparatively mild effect on the "JERAULD" as she lay in the Wakayama anchorage, it caused the crew some anxious moments. For more than two weeks the ship remained at Wakanoura, a suburb of the larger city.

Re-enlisted

Pfc. Pearl Bradley Stanton, son of Mr and Mrs W. B. Stanton, of Ben Hur, Va., is being re-enlisted in the Regular Army this week, according to information from Public Relations Office, Army Service Forces.

Pfc. Stanton has served ten months with the 76th Infantry Division overseas.

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News From BENEDICT

Willard Laws, of the U. S. Army, has recently been discharged and is back home here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Laws and family

Mrs. Alice Couk and baby, of Jonesville, have been visiting relatives here.

Junior Alsup, also a discharged soldier, was visiting here last week.

Mrs. Bonnie Sturgill and daughter, Lois Jean, were visiting relatives at Monarch, Sunday afternoon

Mrs. Geneva Hughes and little daughter, Ginger Sue, and Mrs. Emma Woodyard, all of Virginia Lee, have been visiting Mrs. Bonnie Sturgill.

Mr and Mrs. Edgar Baltimore and children, Mrs. Elsie Holman, Mr Amos Shoupe, all of this place, were visiting relatives and friends at Calvin Sunday.

Charles Kennedy is back home after serving several months overseas. He now has a discharge from the U. S. Army

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Mr. Andy Kinsler, of Blackwater, spent the week end with relatives here.

Appalachia USES Office Begins Operating Five Day Basis After Jan. 5

The Appalachia office of the United States Employment Service will begin operating on a five-day week after Jan. 5, 1946, thus eliminating the half-day Saturday operation, Harry J. Willoughby, office manager, announced today.

The new schedule of service to employers and workers of the area will be instituted in conformity with the national policy of operating federal establishments on a 40-hour week basis. Office hours will continue as at present with opening at 8:30 a. m., and closing at 5:00 p. m., Monday through Friday, Mr. Willoughby said.

At the same time Mr. Willoughby announced that the office will be closed on Christmas Eve and Christmas Day, December 24 and 25, and again on December 31 and January 1, 1946. All employees of the office will be given holidays on these dates.

However, Mr. S. R. Horne, Deputy for the Unemployment Compensation Commission of Virginia, stated that the Unemployment Compensation office will be open until 12 noon on Saturdays The U. C.-C. holiday schedule will be the same as that of the U. S. E. S.

G. C. JESSEE

G C. Jessee, one of Lee County's eldest citizens, died at his home near Dryden Monday evening, December 17, at the age of 92

He is survived by two daughters, Mrs Margaret Gilley, of Dryden, Mrs. Carrie Cox, of Pineville; four sons, Palmer and Davin, of Bowling Green, Ky., Byron and John S., of Dryden.

Funeral services were held at the Dryden Baptist Church Wednesday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, in charge of Rev. P. R. Stubbs, Pastor of the First Baptist Church of Pennington Gap. Burial followed in the Jessee Cemetery near Dryden, Estes & Cecil in charge.

MRS. DAVID HOLT

Mrs. David Holt died at her home near Jonesville, Virginia, Friday night, December 14, after an illness of several months. She was 54 years of age.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon, December 16, in the Baptist Church at Ben Hur, by Revs. W. C. Presley and Clinton Green. Interment followed in Cecil's Cemetery at Pennington Gap.

Mrs. Holt is survived by her husband and two sons, Roy and Lee, also two grandsons.

Mr. Carroll Frady, of Asheville, N. C., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stapleton and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Warf and family, of Bonny Blue, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kirk and daughter, of Norton. Mr. Frady has just returned from England, where he served several months with the U. S. Army.

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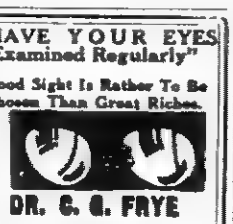
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Lighting our path to international amity, as it has for nineteen centuries, is the Star of Bethlehem. Only when men and nations stray from the guiding principles of human conduct given us by the Saviour does war and bloodshed result.

Through countless windows the white light of freedom shines in our blessed land. We can reflect on how good it is to be one of those who are still privileged to keep Christmas as we have always kept it, even as we extend our compassion to the victims of war's fury in other parts of the world.

We are Americans. There is peace in our hearts. Let our Christmas prayer be a humble petition to a just God that He bring all His children safe into the light of His greatest gift—Peace on Earth, Good will to Men.

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Exalting Christ In The Nation

Guest Editorial By Rev W B Moore

In these days of preparation for Christmas, we are beginning to hear the Christmas carols. We hear them sing.

"Joy to the world, the Lord is come.
Let earth receive her King."

It is our task to give reality to the carols that we sing. At the birth of Jesus, the heavenly choir proclaimed "Glad tidings of great joy to all people" That however, was not to be realized in the days of Jesus. He was born in a stable, and Bethlehem paid no attention to him. He grew to manhood in Nazareth and the people thought of him as a carpenter. During his short ministry he proclaimed the gospel of the kingdom of God, and called upon people to follow him. The leaders of the nation, instead of accepting his gospel, nailed him upon a cross.

His coming did bring joy to them that received him. Although he had but a few followers at the time of his death on the cross, these followers were commissioned to go forth as messengers of joy to the world. I have tried to imagine what might have happened if the Jewish Nation had accepted Jesus and had exalted him to a spiritual leadership. They might have become the spiritual leaders of the world, and the course of history might have been changed

It might be more to the point to consider what might happen if we were to exalt Christ to a position of spiritual leadership in the life of our nation. We would not only be the leader of the world in business and military power but the spiritual leaderof the nations. That is the thing that is of paramount importance at this particular time in the world's life. At the time this article is being written, the leaders of the United States, Great Britain and Russia are meeting in Moscow to consder means of controlling atomic energy. If the United States had so exalted Christ that we could give spiritual direction to the world, there might not be so much fear of atomic power. We must give serious consideration to this responsibility

The fact that America is called a Christian nation has significance. It sets a standard toward which we must strive. There is much in our country that is contrary to Christian ideals, and this has a tendancy to discredit Christianity, not only in our own thinking but in the thinkng of other peoples There is much Christian idealism in our land which finds expression in service for humanity, and because this is called a Christian nation, Christ is exalted

The numerous church buildings in cities, villages, and the open country exalt Christ. The name of Christ is not mentioned in our constitution, but these churches in all parts of our land indicate that we pay tribute to Christ. A pagan, traveling through our land, would be impressed with that fact

The observance of Christmas helps to exalt Christ in the life of the nation. It must be recognized that the commercial spirit has a tendency to crowd the religious significance into the background, and for many Santa Claus has taken the place of the Babe of Bethlehem. While that must be granted, it is also true that Christmas has special religious significance. The Christmas carols help multitudes to think of Christ. There is a spirt of unselfishness during the Christmas season that is genuinely Christian. Most of us are better Christians during the Christmas season than at any other time.

If Christ is to be exalted in America, his spirit and ideals must find expression in the lives of the American people, and must dominate our national policies. The spirt of Christmas and that which the churches represent, must be translated into life That is essential if America is to be regarded as a Christian nation. Christ is the light of the world, but He can shine in the life of our nation only as He is reflected by His followers That indicates the task of the church.

The close of the war has left the world with much confusion, unrest, suffering and fear. There must be a new spirit in business, in politics and in citizenship. Instead of thinking merely of our own interest, we must of the common good The celebration of the birth of Jesus would have new significance if we would permit him to be born in our lives and in the lives of the nation

The world was war-weary in Jesus' day as it is today. That is why the people longed for a Messiah who would be "the Prince of Peace" Yet they expected this prince to be a man of power Only a few recognized him in the humble carpenter's son who came preaching a way of love For this man said we should love our enemies and consider all men our brothers "That can not be a peace," thought an unbelieving world. "Only by force of arms and rule by fear can permanent order be brought about"

Over nineteen hundred years later the world is still the captive of war Men have not tried Jesus' way, and the day of peace has not come But, as they realize the waste and futility of war, individuals and nations are beginning to consider Jesus "the Prince of Peace." This Christmas we shall sing with deep feeling the modern carol, "Hush, All Ye Sounds of War," for we see dawning new hope for a world order based on love and brotherhood rather on force and fear.

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Undefeated St. Charles J'ville Girls Meet Fri.

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Gap, 14 to 11, converting a foul shot and a field goal in the last minute of play to break a tentative deadlock. Johnson led the victory parade for Jonesville while Reasor and Graham led for Pennington.

The Jonesville girls annexed a 2 to 1 decision by a scoring margin of 46 to 18 over the visiting Pennington girls Price led the basket parade for Jonesville with 14 points, followed by Bellamy with 12 Stanley led for Pennington with 12

The St Charles aggregations won a pair from Flatwood. The girls emerged with a 39 to 19 win while the boys came through on the top side of a 52 to 24 fracas. Theda Parsons, though playing only in the first half of the game, led the St Charles scoring with 16 points to keep her yearly average of one point a minute for a possible state record. Hall led the St. Charles boys' scoring with 15 points, Scott and Marcum led the visitors.

Both Blackwater and Dryden got into the win column by splitting a doublebill at Dryden. The Blackwater boys defeated the Dryden boys 32 to 13 while the Dryden girls came through with a 59 to 41 victory to gain their first admittance to the win column this season.

The Keokee boys, putting up a mighty tough fight for second place in the league, defeated Thomas Walker 32 to 22. The Keokee girls, though not having the luck of their former girls' team, who remained undefeated for three years, finally got back into the win column with a 23 to 17 win over Thomas Walker

Games Friday night ending first half.

St Charles at Jonesville
Thomas Walker at Flatwood.
Blackwater at Pennington
Dryden at Keokee

The official standing.

GIRLS	W	L	PCT
Jonesville	5	0	1000
St. Charles	5	0	1000
Pennington	2	2	500
Flatwoods	2	2	500
Keokee	2	3	400
Thos. Walker	1	3	250
Dryden	1	5	166
Blackwater	0	3	000

BOYS	W	L	PCT
Jonesville	5	0	1000
Keokee	4	1	800
St Charles	4	1	800
Flatwoods	2	2	500
Blackwater	1	2	333
Pennington	1	3	250
Thos Walker	1	3	250
Dryden	0	6	000

Mrs. L. N. Cridlin has been ill for some time. She is under medical treatment at the University of Virginia Hospital at Charlottesville, Va., where she will return again soon.

Burns Fatal To Aged Lee County Lady

Mrs. Sarah Kinzer, 89, met tragic death by flames which enveloped her clothing about noon Tuesday, December 8, at the home of her son, and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs Walter Kinzer who live in the Cedar Hill Community near Jonesville.

According to reports, Mrs Kinzer was sitting by the fire when her daughter-in-law left the room to see about dinner. When she returned Mrs Kinzer's clothing was ablaze and by the time the fire could be extinguished she was burned to the extent that death followed within a short time

Funeral services were held at Cedar Hill Christian Church Wednesday afternoon, in charge of Rev. E. A. Robertson. Burial in Cedar Hill Cemetery.

Mrs. Kinzer is survived by two sons, Walter and Will Kinzer; two daughters, Mrs. Josie Matlock and Mrs. Roxie Wolfe, all of the same community.

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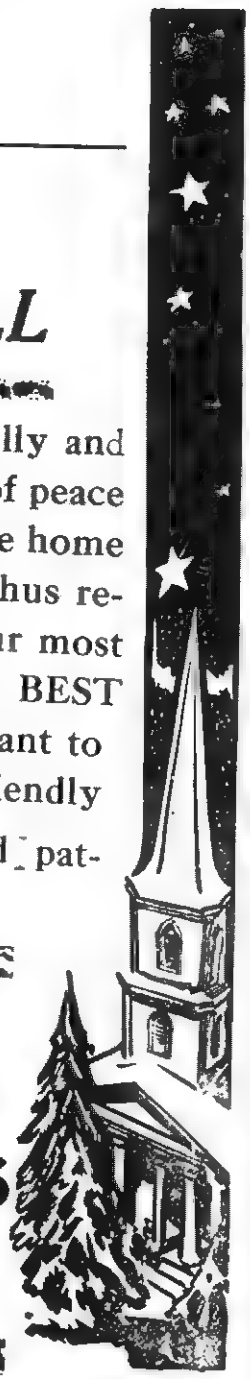

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Changes in Election Laws Advocated By Special Legislative Committee

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apply in person at the office of the local electoral board

Some score or more constitutional changes and perhaps as many as 200 bills amending statute law will be necessary to carry out the sweeping revisions recommended by the Commission.

Ultimately the election system would be administered by a three man State Electoral Board and 124 local electoral boards but this will require changing the Constitution and will require approval by two sessions of the General Assembly and a vote of the people. The Commission however recommends the immediate creation of the three-man State board to take over the electoral duties of the Secretary of the Commonwealth and the State Board of Canvassers, and, until Constitutional changes are made, this Board will for the present function through the present county and city electoral boards and registrars

The minority party will have representation on the State and local boards with each of the major political parties nominating its representatives.

To replace the revenue of some $900,000 a year from poll tax payments the Commission suggests a capitation tax of no more than $3 which would not be a prerequisite to voting but which might be made a prerequisite to obtaininglicenses or permits.

The nine-man Commission—three from the Senate, three from the House of Delagates and three appointed by the Governor were not unanimous in the recommendations made Judge John Paul of Harrisonburg and W. R. Shaffer of Shenandoah dissented on the majority's opinion concerning the absent voters law and Judge Paul also recommended heavier penalties for election law violations than those approved by the Commission Vernon C. Smith of Grundy and J. Frank Wysor of Pulaski dissented from the recommendation concerning the repeal of the poll tax but stated that if it was to be repealed then they approved the proposed plan Dr. Charles J. Smith of Roanoke wrote a dissenting opinion in which he urged the poll tax should be abolished and W. L. Prieur, Jr of Norfolk objected to the proposal that payment of taxes other than realty taxes be considered equivalent to annual registration to the voter and urged that tax payments be divorced completely from matters affecting the franchise. Other members of the Commission in addition to those mentioned were Senators R. C. Vaden of Gretna and W. D. Medley of Arlington.

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St. Charles PERSONALS

Misses Eileen Parsons and Margaret Stapleton were shopping in Bristol Tuesday.

Mr Dexter Rains has been absent from his work this week due to flu.

Arlie Jones arrived home Friday with a discharge from the Navy, after having completed 4 years of service.

Claude Parks of the U. S. Marines, is home for the holidays for the first time in 4 years

Mr. Wallace Winfrey made a business trip to Jonesville Tuesday.

Marion Rowland, Jr., of the U. S. Army, is home with his parents, after serving overseas for the past two years.

Mr. L. B. Hagy, Sr., attended the funeral of his father at Abingdon, Va., Monday

Mrs. Golden Wacks Smith has returned to her work at Krogers after a week's illness of flu.

Gregory Adams, of the U. S. Navy, is spending his holiday leave with his mother.

T-Sgt Raymond Baird, of the U. S. Army, is home with a discharge after 4 years of service and 30 months of which was completed overseas.

Sgt. Edward Arnold arrived home Wednesday to spend the holidays with his mother for the first time in 2 years.

Curtiss Evans, of the U. S. Navy, is home with a discharge.

Miss Ann Watson, a student of Radford College, is home to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Watson.

Mr Clay Hale has returned from a visit in Bristol.

Clarence Price, Jr., a student of Roanoke Business College, is home for the Christmas holidays.

James Garrett, an employee at Oak Ridge, Tenn., is visiting his mother, Mrs Mary A Garrett.

Charles Bruner, an ex-serviceman of the U S Army is now attending school at Danville, Va

Harold Hagy of the U. S. Navy arrived Wednesday night for a 30 day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hagy, Sr.

The St. Charles Woman's Club will meet, January 10, at the home of Mrs Ed Minks.

Mr. Jack Campbell returned home after spending two weeks in Morristown, Tenn., due to the illness of his father.

S-Sgt. Virgil Burgan left Monday to re-enlist in the U. S. Army. Sgt. Burgan has formerly completed 9 years of service in the Army including 30 missions as tail gunner over Germany.

Miss Eva Ruth Adams, formerly a Sgt. in the WAC Corps serving in Italy, is now home with her mother, Mrs. Edith Adams.

Mrs. Geneva Reed of Harlan, Ky., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Leigh.

Mrs. James Yost is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gilham in Big Stone Gap, Va.

Mrs. Bill Warf is visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr and Mrs. Omar D. Warf in Baltimore, Md. While there, Mrs. Warf will go through the Johns Hopkins Clinic

Miss Lillian Kirk of Knoxville, arrived Wednesday to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr and Mrs Fred Kirk

Miss Nancy Gravely spent last week end with her grandmother in Coeburn, Va.

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WOODWAY NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fleenor are glad to hear that their eldest son, Clifton, has recently been discharged from the Army, after a service of eight months. They have two other sons in service, Pfc James P. Fleenor, and S. 2-c J. T. Fleenor, both stationed in California.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wollver are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bruner.

Sgt. Bill Brown is spending the Christmas holidays with his family here.

Arlie Jones, of the U. S Navy, was visiting friends here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Young and Tony, and Mrs. Riley Cook were visiting here this week. The Youngs now live at Oak Ridge., Tennessee

Kelly Grinksky, S. 2-C., U. S. Navy, was home for a few hours. He is stationed at Arlington, Va.

Mrs. Clay Coldiron and son have been visiting her mother at Dryden for a few weeks.

Investment in property by the L. & N. Railroad, including working capital and supplies at the end of 1944 was $38,969,-452.

School Vacation Began Wednesday, Dec. 19th

Schools in Lee County were scheduled to close for the holiday season Friday, Dec. 21, and re-open Wednesday, January 2.

However, due to the flu epidemic Pennington High School dismissed Wednesday, December 19. Prof. R. E. Beeler, Principal, stated that flu had kept a large number of students out of school during the last week or two. Some of the teachers are also ill.

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State Highway Department AGAIN Appeals For Help AS The Winter Season Approaches

As winter approaches, the State Highway Department finds itself little better off than in the winter of 1944-1945, when an appeal was made to farmers, dairymen, war-workers, and others for help in clearing roads after snow storms. The response last winter was exceedingly gratifying, and we believe that with the exxperience of last winter the same people and many others will be glad to come to our aid at critical times.

The Department is, therefore, appealing to all citizens throughout the State to volunteer their help and to notify the nearest Resident Engineer of their availability. With this help, it is felt that the roads can be promptly cleared so that workers, school children, and others will not be handicapped by the condition of the highway.

It is, therefore, requested that you report to the Resident Engineer in your area indicating your availability during the period which you will be needed for this work.

THE RESIDENT ENGINEER FOR THIS AREA IS

B. D. Ferrill

Jonesville, Virginia

Pageant in Bethlehem

There was nothing spectacular, nothing new about their entrance into Bethlehem. Mary on a donkey, Joseph on foot, the halter in his hand. No one noticed; no one cared. They were poor, ordinary, lowly Nazarines, common peasants come to sign the census-rolls, foot-sore and weary, typical of others who had come for days in steady streams to the city they called their own. Bethlehem, tiny village, lay prostrate on a Judean hill. Swollen with strangers, aching with activity, moaning aloud in drunken music and lustful laughter, this was the village through which Mary and Joseph picked their way, searching for a room. From inn to inn they went in desperation, but always there was no room, not a single bed, even for Mary, heavy with child. At last, alone in the quiet outskirts, they chanced upon a rude shed built for cows, and there beneath the breath of beasts Mary brought forth her son, wrapped him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger, because there was no room for them in the inn.

Somehow nature went wild that night, the world turned topsy-turvey, all Creation shook for joy and bowed toward the stable Angels appeared to shepherds on the hillside and sang the news that He had come, He of whom the prophets spoke, for whom the world had waited. A giant star fell from its orbit and traced a route across the midnight sky. Wise men saw the star and set out on camels to adore. Nature rejoiced and laughed for joy for He had come, this Child of Mary, on Christmas Day, He, the Christ, the Savior of the world.

Aged prophets, centuries before, had told about His coming, holy men with bushy beards, on speaking terms with God. For God had told them Adam's crime would one day be reversed, that He would send His only Son to ransom Adam's children. God had promised, and now His Word was Flesh; Christ had come to save the world from sin.

Strange birthplace for so great a birth, a stable filled with cows. Strange place to cuddle at Mary's breast, to feel the touch of gentle hands, to listen to her lullabies; Strange birthday for the Son of God!

But that is what he chose, a strange beginning for a strange career. For thirty years He would live unknown, as Joseph's son in Nazareth, earning His bread with labor and sweat, a lowly Nazarene. And then one day He would leave His home and foot his way through Palestine, raising the dead, curing the sick, giving sight to the blind, his heart on fire to do the work for which He had come. People would follow Him, praise His name, on Sunday try to make Him King, and on Friday nail Him to a cross.

Strange career for the Son of God, nestled now in Mary's arms. Strange, indeed, that this little Child should come to earth that all men might be saved. Wondrous, that this Child who suckles should be the God who made us. Strange, but true. And breathless, we adore!

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Methodist Church

Sunday, December 23: Church School, beginning at 9:30, with Clyde L. Kirk as General Superintendent. "White Christmas" will be observed in each of the Departments by each member bringing a gift wrapped in white to be shared with some friends of the community

Morning worship, beginning at 10 40. The Pastor will use as his sermon theme "BECAUSE!" A Christmas anthem, "And There Were Shepherds," by Wilson, will be rendered by the choir.

Discussion groups, of the various departments will meet Sunday evening at 6 15 James Alyce Laningham will be in charge of the Youth Fellowship Meeting

Sunday evening, beginning at 7:00 o'clock, the Christmas Cantata, "CHRISTMAS CAROLS" will be presented by the Choir, with Miss Cora Lewis as Directress and Organist. Everyone is cordially invited.

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Saturday, December 29—Double Feature
Topeka Terror
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—with—
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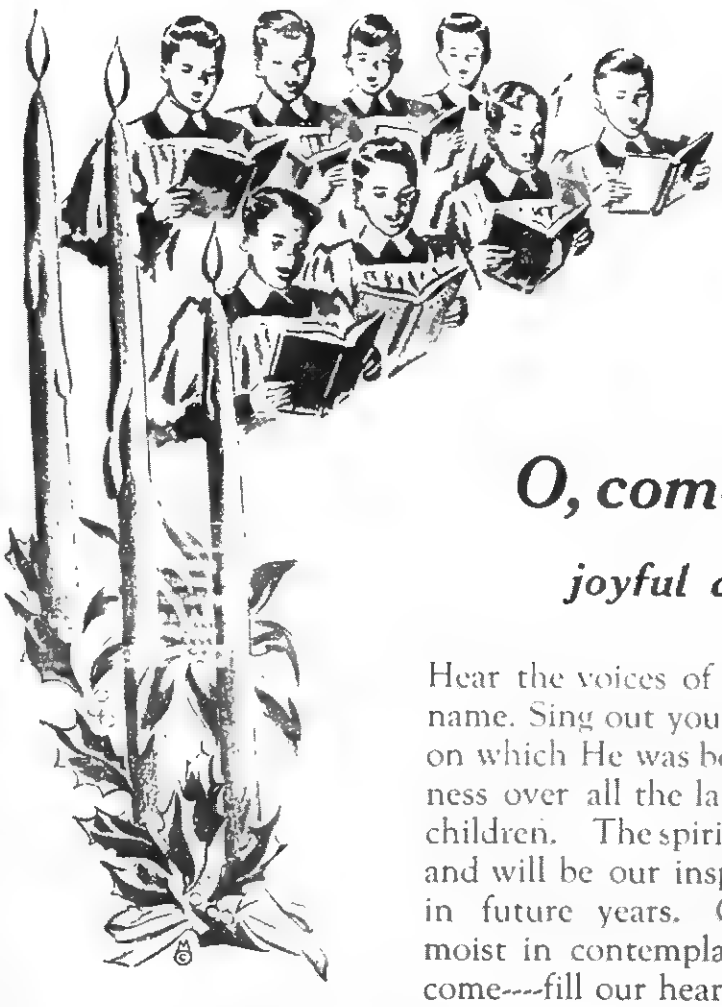

O, come all ye faithful,

joyful and triumphant . . .

Hear the voices of the choir sweet in songs praising His name. Sing out your own devotion and enjoy in the day on which He was born. For Christmas sheds its brightness over all the land and warms the hearts of all God's children. The spirit of brotherhood dwells with us now and will be our inspiration to live in peaceful happiness in future years. Candle light and holly bright; eyes moist in contemplation of Christmases past and yet to come----fill our hearts with sentiment!

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1945 U. S. Crop Harvest 3rd Largest On Record

The 1945 crop turned out to be the third largest on record, surpassed only by the peak harvest of 1942 and the crop of 1944, an Associated Press item dispatched from Washington today stated.

Reporting in final figures for the year, the Agriculture Department said the average of production fell 1.5 per cent below last year and two per cent below 1942.

Secretary of Agriculture Anderson, expecting demands for food to continue at high levels, has asked farmers to produce about as much next year as they gathered in this year.

New production records were established for a number of important crops including wheat, oats, tobacco, rice, popcorn, hops, peaches, pears, grapefruit, almonds and truck crops for fresh markets.

Crops of near record proportons, including hay, soy beans, flax seed, potatoes, sugar cane, oranges, grapes and pecans There were larger than average crops of corn, peanuts, sorgum grain, dry peas and grass and legume seed crops.

On the other hand, production of cotton, apples, barley, rye, dry beans, buckwheat, sorgum silage and forage, sweet potatoes, sugar beets, apricots, sour cherries, maple syrup and maple sugar were below average. Except for 1921, the cotton crop was the smallest since 1896.

The department said the near record level of total production was the result of high yields per acre- yields which were achieved despite such difficulties as a very late spring season, damaging frost in the late spring and early fall, and shortages of labor, machinery and other supplies

The final estimate for the important corn crop was 3,018-410,000 bushels compared with 3,203,310,000 produced last year and with 2,433,060,000 for the 10-year (1934-43) average period.

The department said, however, that more than a normal amount of this year's corn is either "soft" or of high moisture content and unsuitable for long storage Much of the "soft corn" is being fed to livestock

The record wheat crop was placed at 1, 123, 113,000 bushels, compared with last year's previous record of 1,072,177,000 bushels and with the 10 year average of 789,080,000

The wheat crop was made up of 823,177,000 bushels of winter wheat, 35,020,000 bushels of durum wheat and 264,946,000 bushels of spring wheat other than durum

The department said the land devoted to the 52 crops harvested this year totalled 347 000,000 acres, or 4,000,000 acres less than in 1944

This year's output of food grains was described as the largest on record while the production of livestock feed grains was the third largest Supplies of feed grains appears generally adequate to maintain high level of production of meat, dairy and poultry products in 1946, the department said.

For the first time in history, more than 2,000,000,000 pounds of tobacco was harvested. The burley and flue-cured crops used for cigarets were the largest ever produced.

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And again may the meaning of
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Deep and still more true
Bring faith and hope and gladness
To the hearts of yours and you.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, the 18 day of December, 1945,

Vernon Herron, Complainant
vs. **Order of Publication**
Ellen Herron, Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce A Vinculo Matrimonii upon grounds of Desertion for a period of over two years And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Ellen Herron, is non-resident of the State of Virginia, and her last address is unknown, it is ordered that she appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of Lee County, Virginia, that a copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address and that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Powell Valley News, a weekly newspaper published at Pennington Gap, Virginia

Teste:
VESTA E. SEWELL, Clerk.
By Louise McNiel, D C
p. q. Raymond C Shannon
Adv. No 51-4t

Christmas Play To Be Presented At Admant

A Christmas play, entitled "Following Yonder Star," directed by H. T. Pennington, assisted by Coy Martin, will be presented at Admant Baptist Church Sunday evening, December 23, at 7:00 o'clock.

In addition, Mrs. Willard Gollahon and Miss Dorothy Jones will give two short plays.

Everyone is invited to come.

W. H. Parrott, Pastor.

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Railroads in the first forty weeks of 1945 transported more car loads of grain products than ever before on record for any corresponding period.

Eighty six per cent of all accidents at highway-railroad grade crossings in 1944 involved motor vehicles.

MERRIEST *Christmas* OF ALL ·1945·

And now comes another Christmas to be added to your store of memories. We hope this Christmas of 1945 will be a very enjoyable one—a truly happy one—fulfilling all the fine traditions of Christmas.

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Social and Personal

Family reunion.
The Pochadzay family, who live on R2, Jonesville, will all be at home this Christmas for the first time in four years.

Be sure to see, Twice Blessed, with Preston Foster and Gail Patrick coming to the Lee Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, December 24th and 25th.

Mrs. O. R. Parsons left Saturday to spend a few days with her husband at Nashville, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Minnex returned to Detroit, Michigan, after spending a few days here with Mr. Minnex's mother.

Mrs. Ollie Shufflebarger is back in her hotel apartment after spending several months with her sister, Mrs. John Cecil and Mr. Cecil at Dryden.

Carol D. Bailey has dropped his title of S. Sgt. for that of "Mister" He, with his wife, Mrs. Thelma Kelly Bailey, are here for the holidays.

Phoebe Archer resigned her job as nurse at Lee General Hospital temporarily to care for sick folks at home.

Be sure to see, Twice Blessed, with Preston Foster and Gail Patrick coming to the Lee Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, December 24th and 25th.

Mrs. Lester Ratliff and children, Sonny and Margie, left December 10th for Panama, where they will join Mr. Ratliff, who is employed there.

Mrs. E. W. King, of Kingsport, Tenn., has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Bolin, and family.

Attends funeral.
Rufus Fugate, Principal of St. Charles High School, went to Dungannon today to attend the funeral of Dr. N. W. Stallard, beloved Southwest, Va. physican who died Tuesday at the age of 83, after having practised medicine in Scott County for 60 years.

Be sure to see, Twice Blessed, with Preston Foster and Gail Patrick coming to the Lee Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, December 24th and 25th.

Marx Pochadzay is home on leave from the Navy, and his two brotheers, W. Y. and Marion, were honorably discharged in October.

Rev. Edsel Pugh here.
Edsel F. Pugh arrived home today for the holidays and will preach at the morning hour in the First Christian Church Edsel is pastor of the Martinsville Christian Church and also ministerial student of Lynchburg College

Miss Ida Stacy, member of P. H. S faculty is numbered among the flu patients.

ADDITIONAL HOMECOMERS
In addition to those mentioned in our last week's issue, among the young folk who will spend the holidays at their homes here are Doris Jean Jessee and Virginia Fry of Mary Washington College, of the University of Virginia, Mary Lou Smith, Berea; [illegible] Orr, W[illegible] and Mary [illegible] Denver [illegible] from Havard Field, Neb., Cpl. Willard Brewer, from Camp Swift, Texas; Miss Jane Graham, from Baltimore, where she teaches Home Economics; Cpl. Emmett Wilder has been honorably discharged and will be home in time for Christmas; Miss Betty Cox, of Dryden, will be home from Mary Washington, Univ. of Virginia; Miss Nina Sprinkle of Berea.

Mrs. Lenora Scott and daughter, of Detroit, Michigan, are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wheeler, of Peennington Gap, Rt. 1.

Farmer - Andis

A wedding of much interest was solemnized November 20, when Miss Margaret Marie Farmer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs Arch Farmer, of Hansonville, Va., became the bride of Captain Sherman Andis, of Jonesville.

The wedding took place at the home of the groom's sister, Mrs. U. R. Waddell, 217 Johnson St., Bristol, Va., with the Rev E. A. Wagner officiating, using the double ring ceremony Relatives and closest friends of the couple witnessed the wedding

The bride graduated from Lebanon High School, attended Mars Hill College and University of Tennessee, and had been a student nurse at Knoxville General Hospital.

Captain Andis served twelve years with the Medical Corps in the U S Army, and only recently returned from serving forty-three months overseas. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Andis of Jonesville.

The couple will make their home in Baltimore, Md., where Captain Andis is assigned.

Smith - Smith

On last Saturday, December 15, Mrs Ida Nelms Smith, of Pennington Gap, and J. Marion Smith, of Pennington Gap, Rt 2, motored to Harlan, Kentucky and came back "Mr. and Mrs. Smith."

They were married at 3:00 p. m., at the home of his brother David H. Smith, by the Rev. F. E. Mosely, Pastor of the Baxter Methodist Church, in the presence of a few relatives and close friends of the contracting parties. This is the second marriage for both. Oddly enough, both husbands bore the same first name as well as the last—that of James.

Mr. Smith formerly held various public positions. He served for four years as Commissioner of the Revenue, sixteen years as Clerk of the County Court, and has also taught in public schools. At present he owns and operates a farm on Route 2, where the couple will make their home.

First Christian Church

Sunday, December 23: Bible School at 10:00 a. m., H. O. Hines, Supt. Worship with communion at 10:45. Sermon by Rev. Edsel F. Pugh. Sermon subject, "Master of the Centuries."

Special Christmas music.

Christian Endeavors meet at 6:15 p. m., Mrs. Ruth Keith, president.

No preaching at night as pastor goes to Union Church for Christmas program.

Christmas program and treat by the Bible School Monday evening at 6.30. Visitors cordially invited.

Christmas greetings & Christmas cheer to all people everywhere

W. B Moore, minister

First Baptist Church

Sunday morning, Dec. 23: Sunday School at 9:30, A. T. Burchette, Supt

Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon subject, "No Room."

Evening: A Sunday School Christmas pageant will be presented at the preaching hour, with a Christmas tree and offering for the organ fund

Members are also asked to bring gifts suitable to be distributed among the needy in the community.

Midweek prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

P. R. Stubbs, Pastor.

Winston Isom

Winston Isom, thirteen-months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Isom, of Pennington Gap, R1, died Tuesday, Dec. 18. The body was taken to Dorchester, Va., for burial.

Jackie Martin

Jackie, the seven-weeks' old son of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Martin, of Pennington Gap, R1, died from pneumonia Tuesday, Dec. 18, and was buried this morning at ten o'clock.

Funeral services were held from the home by Rev. Clinton Green, of St. Charles.

TOWN TALK

(Continued from page one)

Cold and more cold.

According to Cam J. Lewis, official weather reporter, the temperature last Sunday morning registered 2 above, and Monday morning at zero.

Mr. Lewis says the Weather Bureau predicts that more cold is headed this way, and that the present cold wave will probably last several days yet.

ABC Violations.

Somehow I'm beginning to get a kick out of attending those ABC cases over at Jonesville. Hope they'll have some more.

Not that there's any delight in folks breaking the laws of our land but when they do, naturally the trials follow, and it's just downright amusing the different tactics taken to establish their guilt or innocense, as the case may be. The affairs are viewed from about as many angles as the blind men "viewed" the elephant.

To each of us the word Christmas summons many happy memories. To some it recalls a ride over the frozen countryside to grandma's, sleighbells tinkling all the while. To others it recalls happy reunions in mirth-filled living rooms, gay banquets and glowing Christmas trees. But to all it recalls days of charm and endearment, the happiest days of our lives.

May you know this happiness in all its fullness once again, dear friends, this Christmas season of 1945.

Flanary Brothers
Pennington Gap, Va.

OUR FOREFATHERS
celebrated Christmas sometimes under the greatest of difficulties, to say nothing of danger. Today, in warm, lighted homes we welcome the arrival of Yuletide, without thought of those early hardships. It might make our Christmas a little happier, our hearts a little more thankful, to take thought of these things

In the reverent spirit of this glorious season we now wish each and every one of you the deep joys which only Christmas can bring.

May & Company
Pennington Gap, Va.

Announcing . . .
Snow Goose Flour
Contest Winner

Although Many Letters Were Received Praising The Good Qualities and Merits of SNOW GOOSE Flour, The Judges Selected The Following Letter as Winner of 20 TEN POUND BAGS of SNOW GOOSE FLOUR Offered as Prize.

Jonesville, Virginia
December 14, 1945

Pennington Milling Co
Pennington Gap, Virginia
Dear Sirs:

One day, about fifteen months ago, I was at the store and called for a bag of my favorite flour A former pastor here, who lived in North Carolina, was visiting in the community and was also at the store He said, "Why don't you buy Snow Goose flour?" We like it down our way better than any other flour" So after discussing it a few moments I decided to buy a bag and try it So I wish to say since then I have never bought any other flour but Snow Goose

There are several reasons I like to bake with Snow Goose flour

First, the flour itself is very light and fluffy. Biscuits made with it are very white and fluffy and raise extremely well It does not require as much lard or shortening as other flour, to have equally as good or better biscuits. This has made it an excellent flour since the lard shortage

I like to bake with Snow Goose flour, because it makes lighter rolls than any other flour, I have ever used They rise to the top of the pan. I can make better cakes with it, or equally as good as the cakes made with cake flour and isn't nearly so expensive.

Thanking you,

Yours truly,
Mrs Walter Spangler

Regret All Contestants Could Not be Winners, But All Letters Were Appreciated.
The Judges: Mrs. M. H. Robbins, Mrs. W. D. Harr and Mrs. Charlie D. Mehaffey State That Letters From The Following Deserve Honorable Mention: Mrs. J. A. Wolfe, Jonesville, Va., Mrs. W. B. Stapleton, Leona Mines, Va., and Mrs. Don Myers, Pennington. Thanks to All For Your Interest and Cooperation in The Contest.

Ask for Our Products at Your Favorite Grocery!

Pennington Milling Co.
Phone 76-J Pennington Gap, Va.

As the Shadows
fall on the close of an other year, we desire to express our deep appreciation of your good will and friendship, and to wish for you during the Christmas season of 1945 all the better things that life affords

The Economy Store
Pennington Gap, Va.

Be Quick To Treat Bronchitis

Chronic bronchitis may develop if your cough, chest cold, or acute bronchitis is not treated and you cannot afford to take a chance with any medicine less potent than Creomulsion which goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlegm and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes.

Creomulsion blends beechwood creosote by special process with other time tested medicines for coughs. It contains no narcotics.

No matter how many medicines you have tried, tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough, permitting rest and sleep, or you are to have your money back. (Adv.)

We Sell Creomulsion
[illegible]
LEE DRUG CO.
Phone 85
Pennington Gap, Virginia

Need a LAXATIVE?

Get BLACK-DRAUGHT
CAUTION: USE ONLY AS DIRECTED

Cardui - Black Draught
"WE SELL IT"
LEE DRUG CO.
PHONE 85
Pennington Gap, Virginia.

Pennington Gap Has Destructive Fire

Lee Theatre - Lee Motor Company Buildings Burn

Tonight shortly before the hands on the clock pointed to the end of our date line, the fire whistle gave a wild loud shriek which proclaimed fire in town.

Very soon flames began teeming from the Lee Theatre Building and later spread into the Lee Motor building adjoining the Theatre. Despite strenuous efforts of both Pennington Gap and St. Charles Fire Departments, to save these buildings, they were completely demolished.

According to Mayor E. E. Parsons, the fire was discovered shortly after eleven o'clock by Policeman D. H. Livesay, who told the Mayor that, the show being over, he just thought he would stroll down that way and see if any drunks were loafing around, and saw the smoke evolving from the up stairs of the Theatre building.

These buildings and businesses were owned by J. E. and E. C. Laningham and Perle Stewart. The loss is estimated at about $125,000.00, with small insurance.

The Lee Motor building was operated as a garage and sales room for Ford cars on the first floor, and on the second floor was located the headquarters of Miles Lodge 165, AF & AM., also the Eastern Star and work room of the American Red Cross. The loss of these three organizations has not been definitely determined. In the Eastern Star room was a newly purchased piano, one of the officers said, on which was no insurance.

The installation of officers in the Masonic Lodge which was to have taken place next Tuesday night in the Hall, will take place at the First Baptist Church, B. H. Wainscott, Master Miles Lodge said.

The owners state that both these buildings will be rebuilt just as soon as materials and labor conditions will permit.

Former P. Gap Girl Is Married At Abingdon

The marriage of Miss Marian Elizabeth Ellison of Abingdon, Va., to Mr. Richard Porter Ham took place at five o'clock Saturday evening, December 15, in the Methodist Church at Abingdon, with the pastor, Dr. W. M. Hunts officiating, using the double ring ceremony.

The church was decorated with palms as a back ground for baskets of white lilies, gladioli and chrysanthemums. Burning white tapers in candalabra on each side and sprigs of pine on the white draped altar added beauty to the church.

Programs of traditional music were rendered.

The bride wore a wedding gown of ivory satin with sweetheart neckline, fitted bodice and full length pointed sleeves, the chapel train falling gracefully from shirring at the waist line. Her veil was held in place with a delicate crown of seed pearls. It was fingertip length, edged with tiny brocaded orange blossoms. She carried a prayer book with gardenias and sweetheart roses, showered with ribbon and net.

A reception followed the ceremony at Martha Washington Inn.

Immediately after the reception the couple left for a honeymoon trip to New York City. Her traveling suit was of grey wool and she wore a soft red hat with grey feather, and her other accessories were black.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles K. Ellison, Sr., formerly of Pennington Gap. She received her education at Virginia Intermont College where she was member of the Phi Theta Kappa honor sorority, and also took her A. B. Degree from the University of Tenn.

The groom is the son of Mr. Dick Ham, of Pulaski, and Mrs. Elsie Ham, of Richmond. He was recently discharged from the Army Air Corps where he served as a pilot, and completed his missions over Germany in a B-17.

Coal chutes capable of dumping 43 tons of coal in 75 seconds are now in use for the refueling of locomotives.

THE COST OF LIVING

The Research Department of The Nebraska Farmer has been doing some digging into comparative food expenses of country and city families. Its findings just published, should prove of timely interest to ex-servicemen and to all those other patriotic citizens who left their homes in smaller communities to engage in war work, and who are now faced with decisions of where they want to live and work.

Basing the survey on families of average size as determined by the Bureau of Census, monthly exxpenditures for food by city families, were placed at $47.85. The average rural family pays out only $33.78 each month for food.

In other words, the average family in rural areas spends 41 per cent less for food than is spent by a city family of the same size. And just to make sure that the survey would truly reflect comparative conditions, care was taken by The Nebraska Farmer to balance the incomes in both groups so that findings would be as nearly average as possible.

Of all the various items that go into living costs, food is the one that is most nearly the same in both city and country. City rents are notoriously higher. Entertainment costs in cities may run anywhere from 50 per cent to 500 per cent higher than in rural communities.

Freight revenues of the L. & N. Railroad for 1944 showed an increase over 1943 of 2.7 per cent.

Ninety-seven per cent of all organized troop movements within the United States, and more than ninety per cent of all war freight has been made by rail.

Let's Help Finish The Job! BUY VICTORY BONDS!

Some Attractions Coming To The Virginian Theatre

St. Charles, Virginia

Through Your Holiday Season

SUN. - MON., DEC. 23 - 24
"Girls Of The Big House"
Special For Your Xmas.
"THE NATIONAL BARN DANCE"

WED. - THURS., DEC. 26 - 27
'Love Honor & Goodbye'

FRI. - SAT., DEC. 28 - 29
"Utah Kid" & "Jealousy"

SUN. - MON., DEC. 30 - 31
"JUNIOR MISS"

TUESDAY, JANUARY 1—
"TOPPER RETURNS"

WED. - THURS., JAN. 2 - 3—
'Rainbow Island' in color

FRI. - SAT., JAN. 4 - 5—
"Man From Oklahoma" & "Bowery Champs"

SUN. - MON., JAN. 6 - 7—
"Thrill Of a Romance" in color

TUESDAY, JANUARY 8—
"Don Juan Quilligan"

WED. - THURS., JAN. 9 - 10—
"WILSON"

FRI. - SAT., JAN. 11 -12—
"Guns and Guitars" and "Within These Walls"

Cut Out and Put on Your Shopping List

Time To Hang Up Your Stocking

★ One of the biggest items in your Christmas stocking this Yule season of 1945 will be our note of thanks to you and our wish for the biggest, merriest, happiest Christmas you have ever had.

Virginian Theatre
Dillard Ball, Mgr.
St. Charles, - Virginia

Christmas means more to us than holly, cards and pretty sentiments, neatly embossed. When, on Christmas morning, we find candles on our cedar tree, we realize that there would not even be a cedar tree but for the good will and patronage of you and our other good customers.

And we are grateful.

Just counting our own blessings leads us to wish you the most prosperous New Year you ever have known, and a Christmas as merry as ours.

Sincerely,

PENNINGTON PHARMACY
Incorporated
The Rexall Store
Pennington Gap, :: Virginia

A BLANKET of snow on the roof, peace and stillness and warmth and firelight, the lovely litter of Christmas on the living room floor. Certainly there's a Santa Claus, and as we wish you a Merry Christmas we add this wish for good measure: May good old St. Nicholas come laden, this Christmas of 1945, with more of the good things of life for you than you have ever before enjoyed.

Billings Garage
H. P. Billings
Phone 137-W
Pennington Gap, :: Virginia

● The long awaited occasion is here—CHRISTMAS—and with it the opportunity of renewing friendships. We cannot tell you how much these friendships have meant to us. We treasure them, every one.

Let us celebrate the Yuletide with rejoicing and good cheer. Let us celebrate it with a genuine thankfulness in our hearts for the blessings that have been ours to enjoy.

Ewing Livestock Co.
INCORPORATED
Ewing, Virginia

"Let not one heart be sad today,
May every child be glad and gay,
God bless thy children, great and small,
In lowly hut or castle hall,
And may each soul keep festival
At Christmastime."

We wish all of our friends a
MERRY, MERRY CHRISTMAS

GULF SERVICE STATION

EAST END SERVICE STATION

Pennington Gap, :: Virginia

For Sale

GOOD 63 ACRE FARM, 5 Room House; Good Big Barn, and All Out Buildings; Electricity. About 3 Miles East of Jonesville. Plenty Water and Some Timber. PRICED To SELL, $4,000.00
CASH OR TERMS

Also Will Sell Good Young Team Horses With Harness and Farm Machinery, Some Corn and Several Hay Stacks.

ALSO

ONE GOOD 4 ROOM HOUSE and One Acre In East End Of Pennington Gap. PRICE $3,000.00. SEE OR WRITE

T. L. [Dick] Forester

TO WISH YOU
Christmas Joy 1945

At Christmastime we feel more sensibly the charm of each other's society, and are drawn more closely together by dependence on each other for enjoyment.
—WASHINGTON IRVING.

May this spirit of Christmas, which Washington Irving so ably wrote about, pervade your home this Christmas season of 1945.

Best wishes from us for a Merry Christmas

Pennington Wallpaper & Paint Store
Store Phone 124-J Home Phone 156-J
Pennington Gap, :: Virginia

A Salute

to our friends and a big, hearty Christmas wish to you all, this merry, merry Christmas season.

Looking back over the year calls to mind our greatest source of pleasure has been our contact with folks like you.

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Cuma's Shoppe
Cuma and Leonard
Pennington Gap, — Virginia

Newspapers Will Invite Staffers From U N To Temporary Positions

The Virginia Press Association announced last week through it's president, Miss Daphne Dailey, editor of the Carolina Progress, Bowling Green, Virginia, that it is planning to invite newspapermen from the United Nations to temporary staff positions on Virginia newspapers in order to promote international understanding.

Participants in the plan would be 33 Virginia daily and weekly newspapers. They have agreed to underwrite salaries, with details to be arranged, Miss Dailey said. Other newspapers have indicated they will join in the plan when arrangements are complete.

The VPA president said if the plan has the approval and cooperation of the American government, the VPA's executive committee will arrange time, duration, salaries and schedule for extending invitations.

Virginia papers endorsing the plan include the Herald-Courier and News-Bulletin, Bristol; Daily Progress, Charlottesville; Free Lance-Star, Fredericksburg; Daily Press and Times-Herald, Newport News; Ledger-Dispatch and Virginian Pilot, Norfolk; Southwest Times, Pulaski; News Journal, Radford; Times and World-News, Roanoke; News-Virginian, Waynesboro; Carolina Progress, Bowling Green; News, Buena Vista; Pittsylvania Tribune, Chatham; Star, Chatham; Chronicle, Crewe, and Herald, Farmville.

Also Post-Herald, Galax; News Hopewell; Rappahannock Record Kilmarnock; News, Leesburg; Page News and Courier, Luray; Smyth County News, Marion; Coalfield Progress, Norton; Powell Valley News, Pennington Gap; Southside Virginia News, Petersburg; Press, Richlands, and Franklin News-Post, Rocky Mount.

ODM Mgr. Pleased With Lee Highway Conditions

The following letter from J. C. Boston, Manager Old Dominion Power Company at Big Stone Gap, to B. D. Ferrill, Resident Engineer for Lee and Scott Counties, speaks for itself of the fine work Mr. Ferrill and his employees are doing:

Mr. B. D. Ferrill, Resident Engineer
Department of Highways
Jonesville, Virginia

Dear Mr. Ferrill:

I drove to Bristol yesterday to meet some visitors who arrived there by rail last night. This was after snows on Monday and Tuesday, and I was amazed to find the road in the other counties was a sheet of ice covered with powdery snow after the light snow last night.

I want to tell you what an excellent job your maintenance forces had done in this end of Lee County and Scott. The road was safe for any travel in your district and I removed my chains soon after I entered your territory, but had to replace them when I left it. You and your men are certainly to be commended for such careful attention to your highways.

Yours very truly,
J. C. Boston

Tire Rationing To End On January 1

According to an Associated Press article dated Washington, December 20, Price Administrator Chester Bowles has announced that tire rationing will end at 12:01 a. m., on January 1, 1946.

He said the rationing program can be terminated then "because production of tires, particularly passenger tires, the shortage of which has been most acute, has increased steadily the past two months, reaching an output for this quarter of about 11,000,000."

Bowles said OPA and the Civilian Production Administration had agreed that rationing could be lifted when production reached this level. Holders of tire purchase certificates will have through December 31 to turn in ration coupons to dealers and obtain passenger or truck tires before unrationed sales begin. After Dec. 21 no additional ration certificates will be issued except in emergency cases.

Bowles warned that termination of rationing does not mean that there is ample supply of tires to meet all requests. "For many months," he added, "It will remain important that motorists continue to do everything possible to avoid excessive wear and tear on tires. There will be many who will have to side wall tires and tire exports."

The OPA chief urged all motorists who can wait for a new tire until rationing ends to do so.

Bethlehem Star Is To Shine Again This Year

At Bethlehem, Pa., the 90-foot electrical constellation which casts its beams over a radius of 20 miles, will be relighted on South Mountain this year because citizens no longer feel that it's "not right for the lights to be all lighted up when our boys were out there in the darkness fighting for us."

Ten miles of colored lights, dimmed since Pearl Harbor, already have been lighted in this city, founded in 1741 by Moravians.

HOME FOR CHRISTMAS

Martin Gilliam, student of Tennessee Wesleyan College, is spending the holidays with his parents at St. Charles.

Selecting Turkeys For Your Breeding Flocks

Since inferior qualities, as well as superior qualities, are multiplied many times during the turkey producing season, it is particularly important to use good judgment when you select your turkey breeders.

The most valuable asset in a breeding turkey is vigor, states A. L. Dean, poultry specialist of the Agricultural Extension Service.

When you are selecting turkeys for breeders, the specialist suggests you make the bird walk around, watching to see how it moves. If the turkey moves around in a lively manner, the chances are it is vigorous, but if is moves slowly, it may be a weak bird, Dean warns.

Examine the turkey's head. It should be rather broad and deep, and the neck should be well curved and medium length. The face should be a healthy blood red color, with eyes that are full and bright.

Other qualities to look for, according to Mr. Dean, are the following: a broad long back; a strong, long, well fleshed breast; sturdy medium length legs, set well apart; rather large feet and straight toes; and feathers with markings true to the breed the bird represents.

Be sure to see if the turkey breathes normally, is free from a rattling in the throat, has a strong clear voice, and has a good disposition. Nervous turkeys are unsatisfactory breeders, Mr. Dean says, because they usually have a weak constitution.

A DEBTORS REPLY

Gentlemen:

In reply to your request for a check, I wish to inform you that the present condition of my bank account makes it almost impossible.

My shattered financial condition is due to Federal laws, State laws, County laws, Corporation laws, Liquor laws, Mother-in-laws, Sister-in-laws and outlaws.

Through these laws I am compelled to pay a business tax, amusement tax, head tax, liquor tax, carpet tax, income tax, food tax, furniture tax and excise tax. Even my brain is taxed.

I am required to get a business license, car license, truck license, liquor license, not to mention a marriage license and dog license.

I am required to contribute to every society and organization which the genius of man is capable of bringing into life; to Woman's Relief, the unemployed relief and the gold diggers relief; also every hospital and charitable institution in the city, including the Red Cross, the Black Cross, and the Purple Cross, as well as the Double Cross.

For my own safety I am required to carry life insurance, accident insurance, business insurance, property insurance, earthquake insurance, tornado insurance, unemployment insurance, old age insurance and fire insurance. My business is so governed it is no easy matter for me to find out who owned it.

I am inspected, suspected, disrespected, rejected, dejected, examined, fined, commanded, and compelled until I provide an inexhaustable supply of money for every known need, desire or hope of the human race.

Simply because I refuse to donate to something or other I am boycotted, talked about, lied about, held up, held down and robbed until I am about ruined.

I can tell you honestly that except for the miracle that happened I would not enclose this check. The wolf that came to my door of late just had pups in my kitchen. I sold them and here is the money.

Yours truly—

Cold Spell Of Last Year Is Repeated

In looking over our backward files we incidentlly find that at exactly this same period last year we were writing about dropping temeperatures, cold snowy weather and people being injured in falls on the icy pavements.

This spell seems to be letting up a bit in some sections according to newspaper reports.

Hubert Ty Brooks, S. 1-C., is spending the holidays at his home here with his mother from 13 months service overseas, 12 of which were spent in the Southwest Pacific area.

Mrs. Brooks also has as a holiday guest Mr. John M. Carroll, of New York City.

THE
Virginian Theatre
ST. CHARLES, -:- VIRGINIA.

Sunday and Monday, Dec. 23—24
LYNNE ROBERTS — MARION MARTIN
—in—
Girls Of The Big House
also Comedy and News

YOUR CHRISTMAS SPECIAL
National Barn Dance
Your Great W. S. M. Stage and Barn Dance,
With a Great Cast of Radio Stars.
also Comedy and Serial.

Wednesday and Thursday, Dec 26—27
JOHN LODER — VIRGINIA BRUCE
VICTOR McLAGLEN
Love, Honor and Goodbye
Comedies — Cartoon — News

Friday and Saturday, Dec. 28 — 29
—2 Big Features—
BOB STEELE — H. GIBSON
—in—
UTAH KID
—also—
JOHN LODER
In
Jealousy
also Serial

Christmas is always a welcome event with us, for two reasons:

First, because we enjoy the spirit of friendliness that is all-prevailing; second, because it affords an appropriate opportunity of expressing our sincere appreciation for your valued patronage.

It has, indeed, been a pleasure to serve you, and in sending you our best wishes for a Merry Christmas we do so with the hope that the Christmas season of 1945 will transcend all of its predecessors in real happiness for you.

Pennington
Milling Company
PENNINGTON GAP, VA.

KEITHLEY
THEATRE
JONESVILLE, VIRGINIA

Monday and Tuesday, Dec. 24 & 25
A Medal For Benny
—with—
Dorothy Lamour — Arturo de Cordova
Also News and Shorts

Wednesday and Thursday, Dec 26 & 27
The Sign Of The Cross
—starring—
Fredric March — Elissa Landi
News and Shorts

Friday and Saturday, Dec. 28 & 29
DOUBLE FEATURE
Lone Texas Ranger
Bill Elliott — Alice Fleming
—also—
Hotel Berlin
Helmut Dantine — Raymond Massey

PEACE ON EARTH · GOOD WILL
···TOWARD ALL MEN···

EVERY holiday has its significance, but none can compare with Christmas. It is the one time of the year when self-seeking gives way to selflessness, and all are united in one common attitude of good will towards our fellowmen.

Our entire personnel joins in wishing Christmas joy to those whom we have served, and to others as well. Accept our sincere thanks for the privilege of being of help in making this Christmas of 1945 truly merry.

LEE THEATRE Pennington Gap
KEITHLEY THEATRE Jonesville

'HARK THE HERALD ANGELS SING'

Once more we assemble in happy reunion to celebrate the age-old tradition of Christmas. Short though the days, long though the nights, the glowing background of Christmas makes all hearts light.

Recalling now the happy relationships of 1945 we wish you the choicest blessings this holy season can bestow.

H. E. Meade
BARGAIN STORE
Pennington Gap, Va.

That best part of a good man's life—
His little, nameless unremembered acts
Of kindness and of love.
—WILLIAM WORDSWORTH

Christmas is the season of the open heart and the open door. Let none stand out in the cold or be unremembered.

In this community of good fellows, where each helps share the other's happiness and all do their part towards making the Christmas season enjoyable for each and everyone, it is a privilege to be in a position to serve you. We take great pleasure in wishing you a Merry Christmas.

Fletcher's Dry Cleaners
C. L. Fletcher
Pennington Gap, Virginia

THE CHRISTMAS TREE

It may come as a surprise to some people to learn that the custom of bringing a Christmas tree into the house for the holiday season was borrowed by our early Christian ancestors from the pagan people who lived around them.

According to the late Sir James George Frazer, writing in his great book, "The Golden Bough," these early pagans believed that winter's coming caused the spirits that inhabited other forms of plant life to seek shelter in the trunks of the great evergreen trees that stood in the forest. To their primitive minds this seemed a perfect explanation for the disappearance of greenness from other trees while it still remained in the evergreen such as our own Southern Pine.

And so, Sir James points out, they brought fir trees into their huts, warmed their boughs by placing lighted candles on them, tempted the frightened spirits to come out again by tying gaily colored trinkets to the branches, thus hoping to persuade these spirits to come again restore warmth and growth to the forests.

Our early Christian ancestors saw much that was beautiful in this custom. They adopted it to their own Christmas observance, dropping only the primitive reasoning that had prompted their pagap neighbors to set up trees indoors.

Nevertheless, as we try to imagine what those earliest bleak winters must have been like, there is something prophetic in the vision of ignorant peoples blindly turning to the tree for growth and light. For surely it has been the trees that has lighted mankind's way through the centuries with the paper that has been made from it.

With paper for Bibles and books, for newspapers, for education, for communication among peoples, for wrapping and packaging the fruits of man's toil, he has been able to move always a little nearer to that everlasting hope of all men: "Peace on earth good will to men."

It is in this spirit—in the spirit of an area that produces much of the pulpwood from which paper is made—that we wish all of you a MERRY CHRISTMAS.

6,000,000 GI's To Be Home For Christmas

According to a UP (United Press) Story, dated New York, December 19, six million Americans who were in Uncle Sam's uniform a year ago will be home for Christmas as civilians this year, their figures taken from a survey of Army, Navy and Embarkation.

To the "returnees" who will help make it the Nations happiest Yuletide since 1940, Christmas of 1944 will be just a memory of fighting in Europe's bitter cold and in the searing heat of the Pacific jungles, of manning the Navy's warships, or of sweating out the war in Army camps here and abroad.

The army has sent to their homes since 4,250,000 GI's since VE-Day last May. Last week the Navy discharged the 1,000,000th sailor released since the Japanese surrendered in August.

Thousands of overseas veterans were pouring into east and west coast ports on transports in the week before the holiday, adding domestic discharges and those from other branches of the Armed forces, some 6,000,000 ex-servicemen and women will be on hand Dec. 25 to celebrate the nations first peacetime Christmas in five years.

Pvt. Sorah Of Calvin Continues Service

MANILA—Private Lester C. Sorah is serving with the 357th Quartermaster Service Company on Leyte, P. I. His wife, Mrs. Margie F. Sorah resides in Calvin, Va., with three childlren, Billy, age 7, Glunita, age 5, and Sheila, age 3.

The 357th is one of those outfits under the Quartermaster Corps who seem destined to "hide their light under a basket," as their achievements receive scant attention from the press and public during war time.

The Quartermaster Service Co. is seldom spectacular. They are the part of the team which must insure delivery of necessary supplies to the men who do the fighting. They must accomplish this in spite of bombings, straffings, and artillery fire, and regardless of weather or terrain. The men of a service company are not specialists, they are handy men. Theirs is the task of going ashore with the first assault beach head.

With the end of hostilities, the job of the service company is not finished. There are still many troops to feed, clothe, and equip. Vast stores of supplies were concentrated for the invasion of the Japanese homeland—, supplies which must now be protected from the weather, from rats, from pilferers, and many "gremlin-like" sources of trouble until the supplies may be sold to native agencies, shipped back to the States, or otherwise disposed of. The service companies will continue to assist until this task is completed.

Prior to entering the service, Pvt. Sorah was employed by the Acme Pattern and Tool Company. He left the United States in August 1945 on his first overseas assignment, and is authorized to wear the Asiatic-Pacific Theatre Ribbon.

A brotheer is in the Service; Earl D. Sorah, who is with the Navy.

Cafe Operator At St. Charles Is Stabbed

Ervin Fritz, owner and operator of the former Rogers Cafe in St. Charles, was stabbed in the left side by Worley Webb today as Fritz was evicting Webb from his cafe because of disorderly conduct on the part of Webb according to Fritz.

Fritz was rushed to Lee General Hospital where he was treated, Webb was arrested later by police who found him hidden at his home, he was brought to jail then later released on Fritz' request.

He was again arrested by Deputy Sheriff Warner on a felony warrant, and was taken to Jonesville.

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☆TO ONE AND ALL☆

Unselfish interest in others is the keynote of happiness at Christmastime. May each gift you receive breathe love and devotion and bind the ties of home and friendship more securely.

As for ourselves, we desire to express our appreciation for your loyalty to us in 1945, and wish you a Merry Christmas.

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YULETIDE HAPPINESS

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At this time when Christmas trees are beginning to glow in the windows everywhere, and the holly wreaths are going up, we want to send you our best wishes for a very Happy Christmas. You have made 1945 a very pleasant year for us, for which we are duly grateful.

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● Measured by the span of years, it has been a long, long time since that first Christmas night, but it might have been but yesterday when we measure the spirit of kindness which Christmastime releases.

Christmas means happiness, and Christmas happiness is to be shared. We want to share our 1945 Christmas happiness with you.

Hotel Pennington
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Niggerhead Club Plans Special Christmas Program

Smith "Spike" Carson And His Orchestra Will Entertain The Holiday Dancing Crowd The Night of December 24 and Also On Christmas Night.

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Improved G. I. Bill Of Rights Is Made Law

Highly Improved GI Bill Of Rights Is Passed

Rules on loans and education greatly liberalized

Congress passed a broad revision of the G. I. bill of rights Wednesday liberalizing rules on loans and education for veterans.

The measure, amending the original law of last year benefitting veterans of World War II, now goes to the White House.

One purpose was to simplify the law. New features include:

1. Removal of a requirement that tuition fees, unemployment compensation and defaults on loans be deducted from any future federal bonus;

2. Increase in substance allowance for G. I. students from $50 to $65 monthly to those unmarried and $75 to $90 for those married;

3. Expense-paid correspondence time to pay back a real estate loan.

9. Americans who fought for allied governments would come under the bill.

4. Removal of a requirement that men over 25 must show their education was interferred with to be eligible for educational benefits;

5. Increase in maximum government loan guarantee from $2,000 to $4,000 on real estate, thus permitting a maximum $8,000.00 loan, with the government guaranteeing half.

6. Real estate loans to be arranged by recognized lending agencies, the veteran and the local appraiser of the veterans administration, an agreement of the three to be binding on the administration. Business loans still would require administration approval;

7. Easing up on loans by substituting "reasonable value" of property as the basic consideration instead of "normal reasonable value;"

8. Additional purpose for which a loan may be obtained and more

The Farmer's Stake In Price Controls Of The Post War World

The farmers of America, remembering what happened after the last war, have a tremendous stake in preventing inflation now that the world is again at peace.

With farm production and farm income at a national all-time high in America, OPA is bending every effort to see that there is no sudden let-down. The best way to smother the flames of inflation is under an avalanche of civilian goods such as cultivators, tractors, refrigerators, automobiles, trucks, building supplies, etc.

But for some time, there will be several farmers bidding for every piece of equipment that can be produced. Only a continuation of price control until production can reasonably meet demands will keep prices to the level where they belong.

OPA is following a policy of removing from rationing every single item possible, just as soon as the supply approximates the demand. For example, gasoline, fuel oil, oil stoves, processed foods and farm implement tires already gone off the rationed list.

OPA's reconversion pricing program is aimed at preventing the wild inflation and collapse that followed the War 1 Armistice.

Farmers suffered perhaps more than any other group in the collapse that followed the inflation of the last war.

AFTER WORLD WAR 1, AVERAGE FARM INCOME SHRANK FROM $1,360 IN 1919 TO $460 IN 1921. IN THE NEXT FIVE YEARS 453,000 FARMERS LOST THEIR FARMS THROUGH MORTGAGE FORECLOSERS.

The worst inflation in farm land values came AFTER the Armistice in World War I. Between 1914 and 1918 farm land values rose 25 per cent—by 1920 prices had increased to 65 per cent. By the time the collapse came, in 1922, deflation cut farm land values 30 per cent. In the five years following the collapse, 453,000 farmers lost their farms through foreclosure.

Nearly half the inflation of the War I period came after the Armistice. Prices advanced so fast and high that people could not pay for what was produced by farms and factories. As markets dwindled, millions became unemployed, thus reducing the purchasing power and further reducing the market for the goods produced by farmers and factories.

During the last war, things farmers sell increased 113 per cent but things farmers buy increased 94 per cent. In World War II, things farmers sell have have increased 118 per cent, but the things farmers buy have increased in price only 38 per cent. During World War II, the price of things farmers sell have increased five fimes industrial goods prices.

Appeal Made In Behalf VC Campaign Jan. 7-31

Former President Herbert Hoover declared today that "there are certainly one hundred and fifty million people in Europe alone who are dreadfully underclad as a result of the War." He appealed to the American people to start putting aside now all the serviceable used clothing they can spare for donation to the Victory Clothing Collection for overseas relief, January 7-31.

Mr. Hoover, who was administrator of American relief activities during World War I, said:

"With the current shortage of fuel overseas, suffering will be doubled. Tens of thousands of children are unable to attend school for lack of shoes. American families cannot give too much."

He pledged utmost personal support to January's nation-wide clothing collection on behalf of UNRRA (United Nations Relief and Rehibilitation Administration) for the relief of the needy and destitute in war-devastated lands. Henry J. Kaiser is national chairman of this collection as he was of the United National Clothing Collection last spring which provided clothing, shoes & bedding for 25,000,000 war vistims in Europe, the Philippines and China.

Mr. Hoover made his statement in accepting membership for a second time on the national clothing drive committee. Seventy other leaders in American life, including national heads of religious, educational, philanthropic, and civic and service organizations, have also accepted membership on the national committee. They include:

Among the prominent members on the National Committee roster are Mrs. Harry S. Truman; Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt; Mrs. Wendell L. Willkie; former Governor Herbert H. Lehman, now Director General of UNRRA; the Most Rev. Francis J. Spellman, Archbishop of New York; Eric A. Johnson, Washington, D. C., President of the U. S. Chamber of Commerce; Edward N. Scheiberling, National Commander of the American Legion, Indianapolis; Dr. Herbert S. Goldstein, President of the Synagogue Council of America, New York, and many other outstanding leaders from over the nation.

Carbon Monoxide Hazard

"Several weeks ago a near-tragedy occured in the nursery of a church. Heated by a gas stove, a worn out hose caused the gas to leak for a short time while the superintendent was absent. When she returned several of the babies were overcome, and the remainder of the youngsters were affected in varying degrees. Immediate removal of the occupants to the outside fortunately revived them. This close call, however, emphasizes the seasonal hazard of carbon monoxide poisoning," states Dr. I. C. Riggin, State Health Commissioner.

"The carbon monoxide hazard usually associated in the public's mind with a running motor in a closed garage, and quite properly so. Throughout the United States each year carbon monoxide takes its needless toll of life, because automobilists insist on tinkering with the motor or warming it up in comfort. Shutting out the rigorous outdoor air, they succumb to this tasteless, odorless, painless and invisible gas which invades the system by inhalation of fumes from the exhaust pipe of the automobile.

"If carbon monoxide had the growl of a wild beast, or the hiss or rattle of a snake, deaths from this cause practically would be eliminated. It actually possesses the traits of a master-criminal, however. By its stealthy and unannounced approach, it victimizes the thoughtless and careless, and painlessly deprives them of life.

As indicated at the outset, the automobile is not the only cause of death from carbon monoxide. Gas heaters, stoves, and other types of gas consuming equipment sometimes are responsible for fatalities from this poison. It is emphasized, however, that the fault is not inherent in the equipment, but in users becoming careless in their proper operation, especially in failing to check-up on worn out parts and connections, and having them replaced with new material.

"All appliances of this type leave the factory in proper and safe condition. In so far as it is possible to make them so, they are fool-proof. The trouble arises when owners, after years of usage, fail to realize that rubber tubing and connecting parts do deteriorate, and therefore require checking against possible defects in the course of normal wear and tear. If this situation were generally appreciated, deaths attributed to worn parts of gas equipment also could be reduced to the vanishing point.

"In brief, appreciation of carbon monoxide's lethal power, and governing oneself accordingly, can remove the hazard. But it will take personal cooperation to do it."

Visitors at Kellys

M. D. Kelly and family entertained the following guests this week: Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. Wilder of Chicago; F. W. Taylor, Kingsport; Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Cruse, Wilmington, N. C., Mrs. John Cress, Frank and Ann Cress, Appalachia.

Delp Is Chosen Head Virginia County Agents

J. E. Delp, County Agent for Scott County, was elected President of the Virginia County Agents Association at their annual meeting held in Blacksburg.

Mr. Delp, who for the past year was vice president, succeeds G. H. Clark, of Luray, as president.

Delp came to Scott as County Agent fifteen years ago. Farmers of the county are lavish in their praise for the good work done for them during those years.

Mrs. Pence Resigns As Post Office Clerk

Mrs. David Milton Pence, formerly Miss Sue Richards, has resigned her position as clerk in the U. S. Post Office, here, effective Saturday, December 22, and after the holidays will accompany her husband to Richmond, Va., where they will make their home.

Mrs. Pence has worked in the Post Office for the past four years. She and Mr. Pence, a student of the Medical College of Richmond, were married Oct. 26, 1945.

Tidings of great joy
1945
Merry Christmas

Christmas Is All of These

Christmas is the good will shared at the family hearth; the carol sung together; the candle in the window, the glowing faces gathered around the festive board. And it is much more —ever so much more!

We cannot begin to put into words all that Christmas is, nor begin to express how ardently we wish for you the complete enjoyment of Christmas. So, all we can say to you, kind friends, is Merry Christmas To You

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AS the light of Christmas again brightens our faces and lightens our hearts, we turn our thoughts from ourselves to help others. For this is the spirit that first saw the light of day in a stable at Bethlehem, two thousand years ago, and which has endured ever since.

May God bless and protect you and your dear ones and bring happiness to your home this Christmas season.

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Joyous Christmas

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★ Stealing over the countryside is the blessed peacefulness of Christmastime. The very air seems charged with it. Even the birds—what few remain—appear to share in the general rejoicing that has come over the world.

We earnestly hope that this Christmas season of 1945 will bestow unusual blessings upon you and yours . . . that it will bring to your home the soft glow that even Christmas tree lights cannot bequeath—the full joy of Christmas seasons long past but forever remembered. May such a Christmas be yours!

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